



# Early Childhood Coaching Credential

## Overview of Levels

Requirements	Level I	Level II	Level III
Coaching Credential Application	Completed	Completed	Completed
EC Professional Credential	Level III	Level III	Level III
Experience	3 years experience in ECE including 1820 hours direct work with young children and/or their families.	3 years experience in ECE including 1820 hours direct work with young children and/or their families.	3 years experience in ECE including 1820 hours direct work with young children and/or their families.
Relationship Based Professional Development Training (RBPDP)	RBPDP or equivalent	RBPDP or equivalent	RBPDP or equivalent
Reference Forms	1 from Supervisor (or from family for FCC) 1 from peer	2 from current or recent coachees 2 from professional colleagues	2 from current or recent coachees 2 from professional colleagues
Coaching Professional Development Plan (**Updated if moving to next level)	Initial	Initial**	Initial**
Coaching Credential Questionnaire	Level I	Level II	NA
Direct Coaching Hours	NA	300 hours	600 hours
Statement of Coaching Philosophy	NA	NA	Completed
Case Study	NA	NA	Completed
Degree	NA	NA	Bachelor's Degree

Renewal Requirements:			
Reflective Supervision Hours	25	40	40
Updated Professional Development Plan	✓	✓	✓
45 hours/3 credits ongoing PD in early childhood or coaching related topic	✓	✓	✓

Where can I learn more?

- Colorado Coaching Consortium: [www.cocoaches.net](http://www.cocoaches.net)
- Colorado Department of Education: <https://www.cde.state.co.us/educatortalent/ecwd>