

For CDE RBPB Training Finishers Early Childhood Coaching Certificate

The **Early Childhood Coaching Certificate**, offered by the University of Colorado Denver, provides cutting-edge coaching development for individuals seeking to strengthen and enhance the early childhood professional's coaching practice through self-awareness and foundational coaching skills, practical hands-on experiences, peer networking, and reflection.

Certificate Structure

Each course is offered in a hybrid format (combination of online and face-to-face instruction) that meets in Denver on three separate weekends including Friday evenings and a full day on Saturdays. Courses also require field work. Students can register to receive either undergraduate or graduate-level credit for the courses.

Related Programs

Each of the three courses may be applied as an elective course to the [MA, Early Childhood Education](#)

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Have you completed the Relationship Based Professional Development (RBPB) training and are ready for next steps in developing your skills?

If you have completed the RBPB training, you are eligible to combine the 4-day training with an additional 2 credit hour course, ECED 5800, to meet the requirements of the first course of the certificate, ECED 4410/5410, and receive 3 graduate credit hours through CU Denver. ECED 5800 and ECED 4430/5430 will be offered concurrently in Summer 2017 only. Assignments will be specific to each course and will be carefully spaced so as to not place undue burden on the students.

Next steps:

1. Register for the 2 credit course, ECED 5800. The course runs April 13 - June 21, 2017. Meeting dates are: April 17, 4:30 - 6 pm via Zoom; May 5, 5 - 9 pm in person; May 6, 8:30 am - 4 pm in person; June 3, 8:30 am - 4 pm in person; and June 14, 4:30 - 6 pm via Zoom.
2. Register for the third course in the certificate, ECED 4430/5430. **Each course in the certificate is only offered once per year**, so don't miss the opportunity to complete ECED 4430/5430 in summer 2017.
3. In spring 2018, register for the final course, ECED 4420/5420, to complete the certificate.

Courses

ECED 4410/5410: Using Coaching Skills in Early Childhood Settings

This course sequence prepares early childhood staff with material from research-based sources and program experiences in an intentional and sequential coaching approach.

RBPB Training (1 credit hour)

and

ECED 5800 (2 credit hours)

Term offered: Already completed

Term offered: April - June, 2017

Cost: \$105, plus student fees

Cost: \$260/credit hour, plus student fees

ECED 4420/5420: Connecting Awareness with Application & Deepening of Practice

This course identifies effective ongoing support strategies for individuals providing coaching, including self-reflective practices, self-directed action, planning and goal setting, and managing progress and accountability. (3 credit hours)

Term offered: Spring 2018, course begins January 2018

Cost: \$260/credit hour plus student fees

ECED 4430/5430: Attuning for Personal and Organizational Change

This course is designed to support coaches in creating a social learning climate where a synergy of shared learning and reflective dialogue about practice are examined, analyzed and refined. (3 credit hours)

Term offered: Summer 2017, course begins June 2017

Cost: \$260/credit hour, plus student fees