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**Early Childhood Education 2020-2021**

**Program Hours: 600**

<b>Instructor:</b> Donna B. Hernandez		<b>Phone Number:</b> 334-4544 Ext. 312		
<b>Office Hours:</b> 7:40 – 8:00 a.m. or 2:30 – 3:10 p.m.		<b>Class Hours:</b> 8:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.		
<b>ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:</b> Level 2 Background Screening (FDLE/FBI) – Fingerprint processing is through a local vendor. Upon enrollment you will be sent directions on how to schedule fingerprinting. <b>Results are required before the first day of class.</b>				
<b>ESTIMATED PROGRAM COST IF COMPLETED IN 600 HOURS:</b>				<b>\$2,623.00</b>
Payment Schedule	Due at Time of Registration	Enrollment Period 1 (300 hours)	Enrollment Period 2 (300 hours)	Totals
Application Fee*	\$45.00			\$45.00
AAAE Fee**	\$30.00			\$30.00
Tuition*** (Per Hour Tuition \$2.92)		\$876.00	\$876.00	\$1,752.00
Uniform Shirt Fee (5)		\$138.00		\$138.00
Book Fee		\$124.00		\$124.00
Lab Fee		\$105.00	\$105.00	\$210.00
First Aid/CPR Fee		\$50.00		\$50.00
DCF Online Training Fee		\$44.00		\$44.00
Commencement Fee			\$50.00	\$50.00
<b>Estimated Total Per Enrollment Period</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>	<b>\$1,337.00</b>	<b>\$1,031.00</b>	<b>\$2,443.00</b>
Additional Expenses to be Purchased by Student		Enrollment Period 1 (300 hours)	Enrollment Period 2 (300 hours)	Totals
Background Screening/Fingerprinting		\$75.00		\$75.00
Industry Certification (DCF Exams)		\$45.00		\$45.00
Uniforms (Pants, Shoes)		\$60.00		\$60.00
<b>Estimated Total Per Enrollment Period</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$180.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$180.00</b>
<b>REQUIRED TEXTBOOK:</b>				
ISBN # 9781635637250, Working With Young Children, 9th edition				
<b>Dress Code / Uniforms Required:</b> Red uniform polo shirt, black scrub pants, and athletic shoes must be worn on a daily basis. Since students will be working with young children (birth – 5), long nails of any type are not permitted. They can harbor bacteria and are also a safety hazard when handling children, especially the infants. Many young children suffer from asthma. Our classroom and the lab classrooms are located in "Scent-Free" buildings. Perfumes and scented lotions, bath products, and hair products are not allowed. Rings that may scratch children or loop earrings, necklaces, and other jewelry that may be pulled by small children should not be worn.				
<b>*Students pay a \$45 non-refundable application fee per program enrollment.</b>				
**Some students may be required to pay a \$30 Applied Academics for Adult Education fee.				
***Tuition based on Florida Residency. Tuition fees are subject to change to comply with state guidelines.				
Please visit <a href="http://www.fafsa.ed.gov">www.fafsa.ed.gov</a> for information on the Pell Grant. School Code 007558				
Important information about the educational debt, earnings, and completion rates of students who attended this program is available at: <a href="http://www.fortmyerstech.edu/gainful-employment/CHCA-Gedt.html">http://www.fortmyerstech.edu/gainful-employment/CHCA-Gedt.html</a>				
<b>Important:</b> This is a disclosure statement of costs. All prices are approximate and subject to change. This statement is to be used for informational purposes only. Actual costs, fees and expenses are to be verified by the Bookkeeping Office.				