

Career Opportunities

- Teachers working in childcare centers, elementary and private schools
- Teaching assistant/teacher aide
- Child care program director
- Family daycare provider
- Au pairs/Nannies
- Social services worker
- Tutor

Related Careers

- Educational referral/resource specialists
- Early childhood educators: technical instructors, community college instructors, or university professors
- Designers of children's clothing, toys, and computer software
- Playground designers
- Safety testers for children's products
- Authors of children's books and magazines
- Children's artists, illustrators, and photographers
- Magicians, puppeteers, singers, television writers and producers

Community Related Careers:

- Librarians
- Art, dance, music, and sports instructors
- Health care providers: pediatric nurses, doctors, and dentists
- Social services: family/child therapists, counselors, and social workers
- Parent educators



Sullivan County Career & Technical Education Center

"Skills, knowledge and work ethic
for the 21st century"

Early Childhood Education

Early Childhood Education is one of the many programs offered through the Career & Technical Education Center of Sullivan County.

CTE prepares students to be college and career ready. Students leave the program with the skills necessary for success in post-secondary education, the work force, apprenticeships, or the military.

Students have the opportunity to earn up to seven high school credits towards graduation, while meeting industry standards and learning the job skills essential for a specific career or trade.

All of our NYS Education Department approved programs include articulation agreements with colleges and trade schools. Students can earn college credit toward an associate or bachelor degree while they are in high school.

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What is Early Childhood Education ?

The main focus of the Early Childhood Education Program is the education of young children.

The program teaches students about the development of children from infancy to nine years of age. This program provides a foundation for those students who are interested in working with young children.

The program teaches the physical, social, emotional, and cognitive development of children. Studies include using observation as a tool for assessment, the development of student management techniques, handling daily routines, and setting classroom limits. High school students learn how to prepare lesson plans and structure the environment to optimize student learning. Particular attention is placed on managing a budget to purchase educational materials that are safe and effective.

Early Childhood students participate in two internships throughout the school year. Students work with three-four year old children in a childcare center environment along with Pre-K and Kindergarten students in a public school setting. These students become an integral part of the classroom and work closely with teachers, support staff, and the children in everyday activities.



Industry Facts

- U.S. Bureau of Labor indicates there will be a steady **11% growth per year** for employment in education, training and library occupations
- **10,860 Plus** jobs are currently available in the Personal Care and Service Industry based on the NYS Department of Labor September 2017 report
- Mean annual salary **\$62,400**; plus excellent benefits packages

Industry Partners

Easter Seals Project Excel
Liberty Elementary School
Sullivan County Child Care Council

Student Benefits

- Students in the Todays Students Tomorrows Teachers (TSTT) program who attend the Early Childhood program will:
 - * Gain tutoring credit for their internship
 - * Receive credit for co-teaching lessons
- Credits may be earned from the following colleges after successfully completing the program:
 - * Columbia-Green Community College
 - * Dutchess Community College
 - * Herkimer Community College
 - * SUNY Cobleskill
- Students will earn up to five college credits upon completion of the NOCTI exam
- Active hands-on training in an actual classroom
- Career and Technical Endorsement on your high school diploma for successful completion of coursework
- A resume and portfolio that will impress employers and colleges

