

Early Childhood Authorization Program Plan

The Early Childhood Authorization is for those candidates who hold an Education Specialist Credential in Mild/Moderate or Moderate/Severe.

<https://ed.fullerton.edu/sped/academic-programs/auth-sped.php>

- **Prerequisites:**

- Baccalaureate degree
- Minimum grade-point-average of 2.75.
- Background knowledge in typical child development and experience with young children.

NUMBER	TITLE
SPED 400	Early Childhood Special Education (3)
SPED 421	Working with Families of Individuals with Disabilities (3)
SPED 489C/D	Adviser-approved Directed Teaching in Special Education Course (6)
SPED 514	Infant Assessment and Intervention (3)
SPED 515	Preschool Assessment and Intervention (3)
SPED 535	Seminar in Special Education: Early Intervention (3)

Electives: The nine elective units must meet the following criteria: (1) courses will have to diversify and expand upon the student's previous higher education coursework or degree program, and (2) all selected coursework will have to be approved by the student's program adviser.