

NORTHERN BURLINGTON COUNTY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
Course Map

Department	Family and Consumer Sciences	Course	Child Development I
Source of Standards			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards (NJCCCS 2014) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 21st Century Skills/Career Ready Practices NJDOE 2014 Preschool Teaching and Learning Standards 			
Sequence & Enduring Understanding- Unit Titles and Number of weeks per unit			
Unit 1: Families and Child Care - 2 weeks. Unit 2: Children's Health and Safety - 2 weeks Unit 3: Nutrition for Preschoolers - 1 week Unit 4: Preschool Organization - 1 weeks Unit 5: Preschool - 12 weeks (2 days per week for 30 weeks) Unit 6: Lesson Planning - 6 weeks (1 day per week for 30 weeks) Unit 7: Guidance and Discipline - 2 weeks Unit 8: Children's Literacy - 2 weeks Unit 9: Child Abuse - 2 weeks Unit 10: Pregnancy and Prenatal Care - 4 weeks			
Enduring Understanding (if not attached to "Sequence" above)			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Structure and consistency are crucial to success when working with children. All children deal with problems unique to their own family and culture. Every child deserves to be treated with respect. Environment plays an important part in every child's development Special children require special attention Normal development includes social, physical, emotional, and cognitive growth. Informed decision making is a process that requires the collection and evaluation of information before making decisions. 			
Essential Questions			
How do children benefit from family involvement in their care/education? What should be considered when choosing an appropriate childcare option for a child? What are the types and characteristics of families?			

What are the basic needs of children that caregivers must satisfy?
How can environments be made safe for young children?
How can common children's accidents and illnesses be treated?
How do young children learn simple safety practices?
How can the nutritional needs of children be met?
How can meals and snacks be adapted or planned to meet the specific needs of children?
What are the connections between food, physical movement and obesity in children?
What elements should be considered when planning a preschool space?
What makes a stimulating learning environment for children?
What personal qualities are needed to work in a child-related career?
How can a teacher meet the needs of all students?
What is the importance of a well planned lesson in a preschool setting?
What skills and personal qualities are needed by a teacher to run a successful preschool program?
How will preparation achieve the success of a lesson plan?
How can you plan a successful lesson plan based on the age, needs and abilities of the students?
What is the importance of using standards in lesson planning?
What is the difference between discipline and punishment?
How can caregivers help children to manage their own discipline?
How do positive and negative guidance techniques affect a child's well being?
What are the best practices to maximize a child's ability to thrive and grow as a family and societal member?
What are the characteristics of a good children's book?
Why is reading to children so important to their growth and development?
What effect does child abuse have on a child and a family?
What are the four types of child abuse?
How can child abuse be prevented?
How can a woman prevent a pregnancy from occurring
How should a woman prepare and maintain her health and lifestyle prior to conception and during pregnancy?
What growth occurs during each of the three trimesters?
How does heredity and environment impact the development of developing baby?

Reporting Student Progress

All courses follow a balanced assessment system with Practice, Assessments, Evaluations.

Resources (Text and Technology)

- Google Apps For Education (GAFE)
- Text: Child Development, Prentice Hall, 1990
- Text: The Child Care Professional, Glencoe-McGraw-Hill, 1999
- Text: Working With Young Children, Goodheart-Wilcox, 2002
- Text: Your Pregnancy Companion, Pocket Books, 1991