CHILD DEVELOPMENT PERMIT WITH A SCHOOL-AGE EMPHASIS

PERMIT	SCHOOL-AGE EMPHASIS	EXPERIENCE	SCHOOL-AGE EMPHASIS ALTERNATIVE	AUTHORIZATION	FIVE YEAR
TITLE	EDUCATION REQUIREMENT	REQUIREMENT	QUALIFICATION	AUTHORIZATION	RENEWAL
Assistant (Optional)	6 units Early Childhood Education (ECE) or Child Development (CD) 3 units of the 6 must be in School-Age	None	None	Authorizes the holder to care for and assist in the development and instruction of children in a child care and development program under the supervision of an Associate Teacher, Teacher, Master Teacher, Site Supervisor or Program Director.	105 hours of professional growth****
Associate Teacher	12 units ECE/CD including core units** 6 units of the 12 must be in School-Age	50 days of 3+ hours per day within 2 years	None	Authorizes the holder to provide service in the care, development, and instruction of children in a child care and development program, and supervise an Assistant and an aide.	Must complete 15 additional units toward a Teacher Permit. Must meet Teacher requirements within 10 years.
Teacher	24 units ECE/CD including core units** plus 16 General Education (GE) units* 12 units of the 24 must be in School-Age	175 days of 3+ hours per day within 4 years	Option 2: AA or higher in Early Childhood Education (ECE) with 3 semester units of supervised field experience in a school-age (SA) setting or AA or higher in SA education with 3 semester units of supervised field experience in ECE.	Authorizes the holder to provide service in the care, development and instruction of children in a child care and development program, and supervise an Associate Teacher, Assistant and an aide.	105 hours of professional growth****
Master Teacher	24 units ECE/CD including core units** <u>plus</u> 16 General Education (GE) units* <u>plus</u> 6 specialization units <u>plus</u> 2 adult supervision units 12 units of the 24 must be in School-Age	350 days of 3+ hours per day within 4 years	Option 2: BA or higher with 12 units of ECE or SA, <u>plus</u> 3 units of supervised field experience in ECE or SA setting. Of the 12 units, 6 units must be in ECE and the other 6 units must be SA	Authorizes the holder to provide service in the care, development and instruction of children in a child care and development program, and supervise a Teacher, Associate Teacher, Assistant and an aide. The permit also authorizes the holder to serve as a coordinator of curriculum and staff development.	105 hours of professional growth****
Site Supervisor	AA (or 60 units) including: • 24 ECE/CD units with core courses** plus 6 administration units plus 2 adult supervision units 12 units of the 24 must be in School-Age	350 days of 3+ hours per day within 4 years, including at least 100 days of supervising adults	Option 2: BA or higher (does not have to be in ECE/CD) with 12 units of ECE/CD, plus 3 units supervised field experience in ECE/CD setting; or Option 3: Admin. credential *** with 12 units of ECE/CD, plus 3 units supervised field experience in ECE/CD setting; or Option 4: Teaching credential**** with 12 units of ECE/CD, plus 3 units supervised field experience in ECE/CD setting Of the 12 units, 6 units must be in ECE and the other 6 units must be SA	Authorizes the holder to supervise a child care and development program operating at a single site; provide service in the care, development, and instruction of children in a child care and development program; and serve as a coordinator of curriculum and staff development.	105 hours of professional growth****
Program Director	BA or higher including: • 24 ECE/CD units with core courses** plus 6 administration units plus 2 adult supervision units 12 units of the 24 must be in School-Age	One year of site supervisor experience.	Option 2: Admin. credential *** with 12 units of ECE/CD, <u>plus</u> 3 units supervised field experience in ECE/CD setting; or Option 3: Teaching credential**** with 12 units of ECE/CD, <u>plus</u> 3 units supervised field experience in ECE/CD setting, <u>plus</u> 6 units administration; or Option 4: Master's Degree in ECE/CD or Child/Human Development Of the 12 units, 6 units must be in ECE and the other 6 units must be SA	Authorizes the holder to supervise a child care and development program operating in a single site or multiple sites; provide service in the care, development, and instruction of children in a child care and development program; and serve as coordinator of curriculum and staff development.	105 hours of professional growth****

NOTE: All unit requirements listed above are semester units. All course work must be completed with a grade of C or better from a regionally accredited college. Spanish translation is available.

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^{*}One course in each of four general education categories, which are degree applicable: English/Language Arts; Math or Science; Social Sciences: Humanities and/or Fine Arts.

^{**}Core courses include child/human growth & development; child/family/community or child family relations; and programs/curriculum. You must have a minimum of three semester units or four quarter units in the core areas.

^{***}Holders of the Administrative Services Credential may serve as a Site Supervisor or Program Director.

^{****}A valid Multiple Subject or a Single Subject in Home Economics.

^{*****}Professional growth hours must be completed under the guidance of a Professional Growth Advisor. Call (209) 572-6080 for assistance in locating an advisor.