

EDU-144 : Child Development I

Credits 3

Lab 0

Lecture 3

Clinical/WkExp 0

Local Corequisites

[EDU-234: Infants, Toddlers, and Twos](#)

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Session Cycle

Fall Only

Description

This course includes the theories of child development, observation and assessment, milestones, and factors that influence development, from conception through approximately 36 months. Emphasis is placed on knowledge, observation and assessment of developmental sequences in approaches to play/learning, emotional/social, health/physical, language/communication and cognitive domains. Upon completion, students should be able to compare/contrast typical/atypical developmental characteristics, explain biological and environmental factors that impact development, and identify evidence-based strategies for enhancing development for children that are culturally, linguistically, and ability diverse.