

CHILD DEVELOPMENT PERMIT MATRIX-WITH A SCHOOL-AGE EMPHASIS

PERMIT TITLE	SCHOOL-AGE EMPHASIS EDUCATION REQUIREMENT	EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENT	SCHOOL-AGE EMPHASIS ALTERNATIVE QUALIFICATION	AUTHORIZATION	FIVE YEAR 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	Assist in the care, development and instruction of children in a child care and development program under the supervision of an Associate Teacher or above.	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	May provide service in the care, development and instruction of children in a child care and development program and supervise an Assistant Permit holder 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** <u>plus</u> 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	AA or higher in Early Childhood Education (ECE) or School-Age (SA)*** with 3 semester units of supervised field experience in ECE or SA setting.	May provide service in the care, development and instruction of children in a child care and development program, and supervise all above.	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	BA or higher with 12 units of ECE or SA, plus 3 units of supervised field experience in ECE or SA setting. Minimum of 6 units must be in School-Age	May provide service in the care, development and instruction of children in a child care and development program, and supervise all above. Also may serve as a coordinator of curriculum and staff development in a child care and development program.	105 hours of professional growth****
Site Supervisor	AA (or 60 units) including: • 24 ECE/CD units with core courses** • 16 GE units* • 6 administration units • 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	Teaching or Administrative Credential with 12 units of ECE or SA plus 3 units of supervised field experience in either ECE or SA. Minimum of 6 units must be in School-Age	May 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 coordinator of curriculum and staff development.	105 hours of professional growth****
Program Director	BA or higher including: • 24 ECE/CD units with core courses** • 6 administration units • 2 adult supervision units 12 units of the 24 must be in School-Age	Site supervisor status and one program year of site supervisor experience.	Teaching or Administrative Credential with 12 units of ECE or SA plus 3 units of supervised field experience in either ECE or SA. 6 units administration with teaching credential only. Minimum of 6 units must be in School-Age	May supervise a child care and development program operated 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 translations are available.

*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 of child/human growth & development and child/family/community.

***AA or AS degree in School-Age only. Associates degree in Liberal Arts is not acceptable.

****Professional growth hours must be completed under the guidance of a qualified Professional Growth Advisor. Call (209) 341-1662 for assistance in locating an advisor.