

# Certificate / Early Childhood Policy and Leadership

Students must apply and be accepted in the Early Childhood Policy and Leadership Certificate program, prior to submitting the Program of Study.

Name BC ID Anticipated Completion Date SEMESTER/YEAR

Course Number and Title <sup>1,2</sup>	Credits	Summer	Fall	Spring
<b>Early Childhood Development (Choose 1 of the following courses):</b>				
APSY7418 Applied Child Development	3			
APSY7611 Fundamentals of Early Childhood Education				
APSY8813 Sociocultural Contexts of Development				
SCWK8822 Child and Adolescent Trauma				
Approved Advanced Course:				
<b>Program and Policy Development (Choose 1 of the following courses):</b>				
APSY6348 Prevention and Intervention Strategies for Children	3			
APSY8620 Child and Family Social Policy				
ELHE7705 Education Policy Analysis				
SCWK8805 Policy Issues in Family and Children's Services				
SCWK8851 Policy Analysis Research for Social Reform				
Approved Advanced Course:				
<b>Leadership, Advocacy, and Partnerships (Choose 1 of the following courses):</b>				
EDUC7304 Family and Community Engagement	3			
ELHE7707 Leadership for Social Justice				
ELHE7712 School Leadership for Emergent Bilinguals				
SCWK8885 Management of Organizations Serving Children and Families				
SCWK8888 Community Organizing and Political Strategies				
Approved Advanced Course:				
<b>Required Experiential Requirements</b>				
ECLP Seminar (Must participate for 3 semesters)	0			
Summer Internship	0			
Capstone Project (final semester, following internship)	0			
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>9</b>			

<sup>1</sup> Students are strongly encouraged to cross-register in a school outside of their own for at least one course satisfying ECPL requirements.

<sup>2</sup> Students who have previously taken graduate coursework in one of these three domains, may request to be placed in an advanced course pending the approval of the certificate director. For suggestions of advanced courses in each domain, please see the ECPL certificate website:

<https://www.bc.edu/content/bc-web/schools/lynch-school/academics/certificate-programs/certificate-early-childhood-policy-leadership.html>

**Program Information**

- Have you met with the Certificate Program Director? YES NO
  
- Are you currently an enrolled Boston College Master's or Doctoral Student? YES NO
  
- If yes, please list the program: \_\_\_\_\_

**Signatures/Approval**

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STUDENT SIGNATURE

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Date

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CERTIFICATE PROGRAM DIRECTOR

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ASSOCIATE DEAN, GRADUATE STUDENT SERVICES

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COMMENTS: