

# Early Childhood Coaching Certificate

## *Enhance your coaching practice*

Are you a designated coach, a peer coach, teacher, director, principal, special education consultant, or someone wanting to enhance your coaching skills, or learn about coaching skills for working with adult colleagues or families?

### Certificate Cost

All courses are three graduate credit hours. Tuition is \$260 per credit hour, plus student fees.

### Certificate Structure

In order to construct a more complete foundation in, and understanding of, the process of 'best practice' coaching, it is recommended that these courses be taken in sequence. All three courses meet in Denver three weekends including Friday evening and all day Saturday. Courses also require field work. Students can register for these courses as either undergraduate or graduate-level credit.

### Related Programs

Each of the three courses may be applied as an elective course to the [MA, Early Childhood Education](#)

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The [Early Childhood Coaching Certificate](#) is offered in collaboration with the Colorado Coaching Consortium. Designed around the Colorado Coaching Competencies, this 9-credit, 3-course series strengthens and enhances the early childhood professional's coaching practice through foundational coaching skills, practical hands-on experiences, peer networking, reflection, and self-awareness. The first course in this series can be taken as an alternative to the Relationship-Based Professional Development (RBPDP) training the state and the Colorado Coaching Consortium requires for a Colorado Early Childhood Coaching Credential.

## Courses

### ECED 4410/5410: Using Coaching Skills in Early Childhood Settings

This course will train early childhood staff using material from research-based sources and program experiences in an intentional and sequential coaching approach.

**Term offered:** Fall 2016

**Instructors:** Kristen Klaassen and Joan Baronberg

Specific questions about this course, or reference requests from previous students, may be directed to Joan Baronberg at [joanyaffa@gmail.com](mailto:joanyaffa@gmail.com).

**Course meeting dates:**

September 23, 2016, 5:30 – 8:30pm; September 24, 2016, 9am - 4pm  
November 4, 2016, 5:30 – 8:30pm; November 5, 2016, 9am – 4pm  
December 2, 2016, 5:30 – 8:30pm; December 3, 2016, 9am – 4pm

### ECED 4420/5420: Connecting Awareness with Application & Deepening of Practice

Identify effective ongoing support strategies for individuals providing coaching, including self-reflective practices, self-directed action, planning and goal setting, and managing progress and accountability.

**Term offered:** Spring 2017

**Instructors:** Janet Humphryes and Becky Keigan

**Course meeting dates:** To be announced.

### ECED 4430/5430: Attuning for Personal and Organizational Change

This course is designed to support the coach in creating a social learning climate where a synergy of shared learning and reflective dialogue about practice are examined, analyzed and refined.

**Term offered:** Summer 2017

**Instructors:** Janet Humphryes and Geri Mendoza

**Course meeting dates:** To be announced.

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