

Summer Semester 2003

**EDUC 464 - 4**  
**Early Childhood Education**  
**D01.00**

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**PREREQUISITE:**

EDUC 401/402 or PSYC 250

**DESCRIPTION:**

Education 464 is a course for students who are interested in exploring the foundations, current trends, issues and research relating to the education of young children, aged 3 – 8.

**OBJECTIVES:**

1. To develop an understanding of the historical and philosophical underpinnings to the theory and practice of Early Childhood Education;
2. To examine current issues and research related to Early Childhood Education;
3. To develop child observation skills and strategies.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

Final grades will be based on a variety of sources that may include some or all of the following:

- attendance and class presentation
- weekly readings and journal entries
- field observation assignment
- term paper
- mid-term exam

**REQUIRED READINGS:**

TBA