

## **EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CAREER PATHWAY 2019-2020**

# Earn your Child Care Basic certificate

Students who complete the following two courses will earn their Gateway Child Care Basic certificate. Earning these certificates (for free!) prepares you to either begin your career or continue your education after graduation. Courses can be taken through a variety of Dual Credit opportunities:

307-148 ECE: Foundations of ECE 3 Credits

307-167 ECE: Health Safety & Nutrition 3 Credits

#### **Students**

have the opportunity to earn

## **6** college credits

in the Gateway Technical College Early Childhood Education program at



no cost

while they are in

high school.



Students can begin working as an Assistant Teacher & Child Care Worker earning on average \$9.38/hour once they have earned their Child Care Basic certificate.





Apply your credits toward an Early Childhood Education degree at Gateway.

### **Child Care Basics certificate**

Credit

Potential Jobs:

- Assistant Teacher - Child Care Worker

Median Income:

\$9.38 per hour

Early Childhood associate degree

60 Credits

Potential Jobs:

- Early Childhood Teacher
- Preschool Teacher

Median Income:

\$12.24 per hour

\$25,459 annually

## Bachelor's degree

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**60**<sub>cr</sub>

via existing articulation agreements with colleges such as:

Lakeland University UW-Parkside UW-Stevens Point UW-Stout UW-Superior

#### **Certifications**

• Earn 6 Early Childhood Education credits and Registry Level 7.





#### **Get Started**

**Contact our New Student Specialists for more information.** 

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