

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS

NOC 42202: EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS AND ASSISTANTS

Plan, organize and lead activities to help children develop intellectually, physically and emotionally. They work with children between the ages of 0 and 12 years in a variety of settings.



3-YEAR OUTLOOK



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3-YEAR JOB OPENINGS

260

MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

$23.47

$16.90 LOW

$25.60 HIGH

TYPICALLY REQUIRED



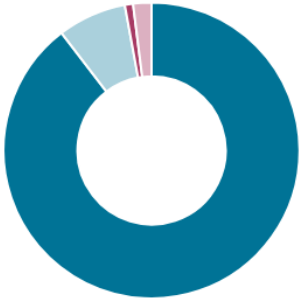
College or apprenticeship

EMPLOYED

5,321

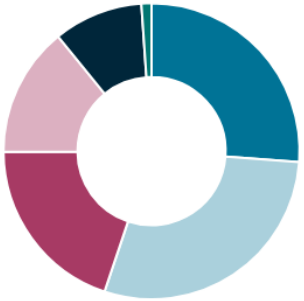
AVERAGE SALARY

$31,840



EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

89.6%	Health care and social assistance
7.5%	Educational services
0.9%	Public administration
2.0%	All Other Industries



EMPLOYMENT BY AGE

26.2%	15-24
29.0%	25-34
19.8%	35-44
14.2%	45-54
9.8%	55-64
1.1%	65+

ALSO KNOWN AS

- Child Care Worker Assistant
- Daycare Helper
- Daycare Supervisor
- Daycare Worker
- Early Childhood Assistant
- Early Childhood Education Worker

MAIN DUTIES:

Early childhood educators perform some or all of the following duties:

- Develop and implement child-care programs that support and promote the physical, cognitive, emotional and social development.
- Lead activities like storytelling, singing, creative arts, dramatic play, and physical activities.
- Plan and maintain safe and healthy environments that prioritize children's well-being.
- Assess the abilities, interests and needs of children and discuss progress or problems with parents and other staff members.
- Observe and assess children's development, addressing learning or behavioral issues and communicating progress with parents and staff.

