

2021-2022



Child and Youth Care

Program Overview

The Child and Youth Care program is designed to prepare students to support children and youth who have experienced social, behavioural, and emotional challenges. Focused on diversity, inclusion, and Indigenous culture, the program teaches students the foundational skills of child and youth care practice, as well as perspectives and strategies for supporting all children and youth in culturally respectful ways.

Career Potential

The program will prepare graduates for employment in a number of careers in the non-profit sectors for child and youth care services, and various departments within municipal and provincial governments.

Admission Requirements

- Language Arts – this requirement can be met with any of the following, or an equivalent course:
 - 60% in English Language Arts 30-1 or English Language Arts 30-2
 - 60% in [ESLG 1860](#) or [ESLG 1898](#)

ELP Requirements

You must provide proof of ELP prior to admission. ELP test results must have been obtained within two years of the start date of your program.

Acceptable evidence of ELP may be one of the following test scores:

- IELTS Academic: 6.5; no section score below 6
- TOEFL iBT: 84; no section score below 21
- Cambridge English Language Assessment: 180; no section score below 165
- CAEL: 70; no section score below 70
- PTE Academic: 59; no section score below 56
- Duolingo: 115
- minimum of:
 - 80% in [ESLS 8000](#) or [ESLS 8100](#), and 80% in [ESLW 8000](#) or [ESLW 8100](#); or
 - 50% in [ESLG 1898](#) and [ESLG 1899](#)
 - 50% in [ESLG 1860](#) and [ESLG 1861](#)

See [Admissions Process](#) for the steps to becoming a student.

Quick Facts

Credential: Diploma

Length: 4 terms

Deliveries:

SEPTEMBER

Edmonton

FT In person

JANUARY

Edmonton

FT In person

Tuition and Fees

Canadian Students

Total tuition: \$12,672.30

Total fees: \$2,876.00

International Students

Total tuition: \$34,574.80

Total fees: \$2,876.00