



# Preschool

## CERTIFICATE

Program Code: 61-307-1

**Downtown Milwaukee, West Allis campuses (Also offered online)**

**Bilingual (Spanish) mode is offered at the West Allis Campus**

Take this step to further develop your options in a child care career. After completing this certificate's coursework and an additional required course (CHILDD-175), you become eligible for The Registry Preschool credential.

### Admission Requirements

- A high school diploma or GED
- Documentation of compliance with Wisconsin's Caregiver Law
- Proper immunizations and good health as evidenced by a medical examination
- Practicum placement contingent upon results of criminal background check

After earning this certificate, your credits can be applied to completing the Child Care Services technical diploma and Early Childhood Education associate degree.

### COURSES

| COURSES    |   | Credits |
|------------|---|---------|
| CHILDD-148 | ECE: Foundations of Early Childhood Education | 3       |
| CHILDD-167 | ECE: Health, Safety and Nutrition             | 3       |
| CHILDD-188 | ECE: Guiding Child Behavior                   | 3       |
| CHILDD-108 | ECE: Early Language and Literacy              | 3       |
| CHILDD-174 | ECE: Introductory Practicum                   | 3       |
| CHILDD-179 | ECE: Child Development                        | 3       |

**TOTAL CREDITS: 18**

*Program curriculum requirements are subject to change.*

**Current MATC students should consult their Academic Program Plan for specific curriculum requirements.**



**Community & Human Services**  
**MILWAUKEE AREA Technical College**

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## A Quick Study

MATC certificate programs provide focused, career-centered learning and many can be completed in one semester. They fulfill the needs of local businesses and have the input of industry professionals. Certificate programs train you for specific skills that are in demand, improving your odds of getting the job.

## Explore MATC's Certificate Programs

- Strengthen core skills
- Add traction to your résumé
- Enhance your employability
- Try out a new career
- Earn credits toward a related associate degree or technical diploma
- Ease back into college if you have been away for a while

All credits in certificate programs must be earned at MATC with a 2.0 cumulative GPA or higher.

Upon completion of the certificate's requirements, the student's transcript is notated with the credential earned.

Some certificates can be earned while completing associate degrees and/or technical diplomas that are eligible for financial aid. Certificate programs alone are not eligible for financial aid; contact MATC for details.

## Possible Careers

- Child Care Services
- Child Care Assistant
- Preschool Child Care

## Related Programs

- Child Care Services
- Early Childhood Education
- Associate of Arts – Teacher Education: Pre-Major



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### **Downtown Milwaukee Campus**

700 West State Street

### **Mequon Campus**

5555 West Highland Road

### **Oak Creek Campus**

6665 South Howell Avenue

### **West Allis Campus**

1200 South 71st Street

### **MATC Education Center at Walker's Square**

816 West National Avenue, Milwaukee