



Save Time and Money in College

The Steps to Start Planning Your Future NOW through ROP Classes!



Education, Child Development & Family Services Pathway

**High School Students
Follow the Steps Below**

Step 1

When: Junior Year High School
Exception: FHS, GHS, and LHS students can start the pathway in their sophomore year
Class: Developmental Psychology I

Step 2

When: Senior Year High School
Class: Developmental Psychology I or II

College Credits Earned

Time saved= approx. 30 weeks
Money saved – approx. \$450-\$5000

Credits based on your academic performance during the duration of the class.

Step 3

Option 1

2-Year College Pathway

Option A

Where: Las Positas College
What: AA/AS Degree...
• Early Childhood Development
Credits are also Transferrable to UC/CSU

Option B

Where: Diablo Valley College
What: AA/AS Degree...
• Early Childhood Education
Credits are also Transferrable to UC/CSU

Option C

Where: Chabot College
What: AA/AS Degree...
• Early Childhood Development
• Early Childhood Education
• Liberal Studies
Credits are also Transferrable to UC/CSU

Step 4

Transfer Pathway

Option A (Example)

Where: UC Irvine
What: BA/BS Degree...
• Education Sciences

Option B (Example)

Where: CSU East Bay
What: BA/BS Degree...
• Human Development
• Liberal Studies

Option C (Example)

Where: University of the Pacific
What: BA/BS Degree...
• Education
• Liberal Studies

Step 3

Option 2

4-Year College Pathway

Action Required: Obtain transcript from articulated Community College

Education, Child Development, and Family Services Pathway

The Education, Child Development, and Family Services Sector translates into high paying jobs for individuals with post-secondary education.



Developmental Psychology of Children

Where can this pathway take you...?

Projected
12% Job
Market
Increase in
California



Data based on median range of job descriptions

JOBS

(Not Inclusive)

Adoption Counselor
After School Program Aide
Child Care Provider
Child Protection Social Worker
Child Psychologist
K-12 School Teacher
Parent Educator
Preschool Teacher
Preschool Director
Recreation Aide
Special Education Aide
Speech Pathologist
Teacher Assistant
Tutor

\$17.00/hr.

California
Entry Level Wage

**\$57,750 Annual
Earnings**

\$25.00/hr.

Median Wage with 2-year degree
or certification

\$35.00/hr.

Median Wage with 4-year degree

Earn College Credits, Save Money, Save Time, Enroll in ROP!

Students who would like to get a jump on their post-secondary education in high school and start earning college credits can choose from Tri-Valley ROP classes in the Education, Child Development & Family Services Sector.

Developmental Psychology of Children I

- 6 college credits available
- UC Approved "g" (College Preparatory Elective)
- Earns California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, Early Childhood Assistant Certification, CPR Certification

Developmental Psychology of Children II

- 6 college credits available
- UC Approved "g" (College Preparatory Elective)
- Earns California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, Early Childhood Assistant Certification, CPR Certification