



**Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE)  
ECCE 1103 Child Growth and Development  
COURSE SYLLABUS  
Summer Semester 2019**

**COURSE INFORMATION SUMMER**

Credit Hours/Minutes: 3/2250  
Campus/Class Location: Vidalia Main Building 317  
Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday 8:00-10:15  
Course Reference Number (CRN): 60052  
Preferred Method of Contact: College Email

**INSTRUCTOR CONTACT INFORMATION**

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Classroom: Main Building, Room 317  
Office Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 9:00-12:00 and 2:00-4:00  
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**SOUTHEASTERN TECHNICAL COLLEGE'S (STC) CATALOG AND HANDBOOK**

Students are responsible for all policies and procedures and all other information included in Southeastern Technical College's [Catalog and Handbook \(http://www.southeasterntech.edu/student-affairs/catalog-handbook.php\)](http://www.southeasterntech.edu/student-affairs/catalog-handbook.php).

**REQUIRED TEXT**

Child Development Early Stages Through Age 12--by Anita Decker, 8th edition, Publisher: Goodheart-Wilcox, ISBN: 978-1-63126-038-4.

Students should not share login credentials with others and should change passwords periodically to maintain security.

**REQUIRED SUPPLIES & SOFTWARE**

Reliable access to internet, Microsoft Excel, and Microsoft Word. Internet browser should be Internet Explorer (IE) 7 or higher or Mozilla Firefox 2.0 or higher. If you do not have computer access, see your instructor for information regarding use of open labs on both Swainsboro and Vidalia campuses.

Note: Although students can use their smart phones and tablets to access their online course(s), exams, discussions, assignments, and other graded activities should be performed on a personal computer. Neither Blackboard nor Georgia Virtual Technical Connection (GVTC) provide technical support for issues relating to the use of a smart phone or tablet so students are advised to not rely on these devices to take an online course.

Students will also be required to read a book about discipline that is suitable for adults/parents. Students will have to write about this book. They may borrow a book or use one from our library or other sources. If a student is unable to find a book to borrow, they may have to purchase a book on their own.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This course introduces the student to the physical, social, emotional, and cognitive development of the young child (prenatal through 12 years of age). The course provides for competency development in observing, recording, and interpreting growth and development stages in the young child; advancing physical and intellectual competence, supporting social and emotional development, and examining relationships between child development and positive guidance. Topics include developmental characteristics, prenatal through age 12, developmental guidance applications, observing and recording techniques, ages and stages of development, and introduction to children with special needs.

## **MAJOR COURSE COMPETENCIES**

Topics include Developmental Characteristics, Prenatal through Age 12, Developmental Guidance Applications, Observing and Recording Techniques, Theories of Development, and Introduction to Children with Special Needs.

## **PREREQUISITE(S)**

Provisional Admission

## **COURSE OUTLINE**

1. Developmental Characteristics, Prenatal Through Age 12
2. Developmental Guidance Applications
3. Observing and Recording Techniques
4. Theories of Development
5. Introduction to Children with Special Needs

## **GENERAL EDUCATION CORE COMPETENCIES**

STC has identified the following general education core competencies that graduates will attain:

1. The ability to utilize standard written English.
2. The ability to solve practical mathematical problems.
3. The ability to read, analyze, and interpret information.

## **STUDENT REQUIREMENTS**

Assignments must be turned in on the specified date. All work must be printed off and turned in at the beginning of class the date that it is due. If a student is absent from class, all work must be turned in at the beginning of class the next day upon returning to class. If this is not done, 10 points will be deducted for work turned in late or work not turned in at the beginning of class. Work will not be accepted if it is over one week past the due date. Failure to take tests on the scheduled day will result in a grade of zero for the test not taken. The makeup test must be taken the next day upon returning to class. The zero assigned for the missed test will be replaced with the grade the student makes on the makeup exam. **STUDENTS WILL ONLY BE ALLOWED TO TAKE ONE MAKEUP TEST DURING THE SEMESTER!** Students are responsible for policies and procedures included in the STC Catalog and Student Handbook.

## **ATTENDANCE**

Class attendance is a very important aspect of a student's success. Being absent from class prevents students

from receiving the full benefit of a course and also interrupts the learning process. Southeastern Technical College considers both tardiness and leaving early as types of absenteeism. Responsibility for class attendance rests with the student. Regular and punctual attendance at all scheduled classes is required for student success. Students will be expected to complete all work required by the instructor as described in the individual course syllabus.

Instructors have the right to give unannounced quizzes/assignments. Students who miss an unannounced quiz or assignment will receive a grade of 0. Students who stop attending class, but do not formally withdraw, may receive a grade of F and face financial aid repercussions in upcoming semesters.

Instructors are responsible for determining whether missed work may be made up and the content and dates for makeup work is at the discretion of the instructor.

Students will not be withdrawn by an instructor for attendance; however, all instructors will keep records of graded assignments and student participation in course activities. The completion dates of these activities will be used to determine a student's last date of attendance in the event a student withdraws, stops attending, or receives an F in a course.

### **STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES**

Students with disabilities who believe that they may need accommodations in this class based on the impact of a disability are encouraged to contact the appropriate campus coordinator to request services.

**Swainsboro Campus:** Macy Gay [mgay@southeasterntech.edu](mailto:mgay@southeasterntech.edu), 478-289-2274, Building 1, Room 1208

**Vidalia Campus:** Helen Thomas [hthomas@southeasterntech.edu](mailto:hthomas@southeasterntech.edu), 912-538-3126, Building A, Room 108

### **SPECIFIC ABSENCES**

Provisions for Instructional Time missed because of documented absences due to jury duty, military duty, court duty, or required job training will be made at the discretion of the instructor.

### **PREGNANCY**

Southeastern Technical College does not discriminate on the basis of pregnancy. However, we can offer accommodations to students who are pregnant that need special consideration to successfully complete the course. If you think you will need accommodations due to pregnancy, please make arrangements with the appropriate campus coordinator.

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It is strongly encouraged that requests for consideration be made **PRIOR** to delivery and early enough in the pregnancy to ensure that all the required documentation is secured before the absence occurs. Requests made after delivery **MAY NOT** be accommodated. The coordinator will contact your instructor to discuss accommodations when all required documentation has been received. The instructor will then discuss a plan with you to make up missed assignments.

### **WITHDRAWAL PROCEDURE**

Students wishing to officially withdraw from a course(s) or all courses after the drop/add period and prior to the 65% point of the term in which student is enrolled (date will be posted on the school calendar) must speak with a Career Counselor in Student Affairs and complete a Student Withdrawal Form. A grade of "W" is assigned for the course(s) when the student completes the withdrawal form.

Important – Student-initiated withdrawals are not allowed after the 65% point. After the 65% point of the term in which student is enrolled, the student has earned the right to a letter grade and will receive a grade for the course. Please note: Abandoning a course(s) instead of following official withdrawal procedures may result in a grade of 'F' being assigned.

Informing your instructor that you will not return to his/her course, does not satisfy the approved withdrawal procedure outlined above.

There is no refund for partial reduction of hours. Withdrawals may affect students' eligibility for financial aid for the current semester and in the future, so a student must also speak with a representative of the Financial Aid Office to determine any financial penalties that may be assessed due to the withdrawal. A grade of 'W' will count in attempted hour calculations for the purpose of Financial Aid.

**Remember** - Informing your instructor that you will not return to his/her course does not satisfy the approved withdrawal procedure outlined above.

### **MAKEUP GUIDELINES (TESTS, QUIZZES, HOMEWORK, PROJECTS, ETC...)**

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### **ACADEMIC DISHONESTY POLICY**

The STC Academic Dishonesty Policy states All forms of academic dishonesty, including but not limited to cheating on tests, plagiarism, collusion, and falsification of information, will call for discipline. The policy can also be found in the STC Catalog and Handbook.

### **PROCEDURE FOR ACADEMIC MISCONDUCT**

The procedure for dealing with academic misconduct and dishonesty is as follows:

#### **1. First Offense**

Student will be assigned a grade of "0" for the test or assignment. Instructor keeps a record in course/program files and notes as first offense. The instructor will notify the student's program advisor, academic dean, and the Registrar at the student's home campus. The Registrar will input the incident into Banner for tracking purposes.

#### **2. Second Offense**

Student is given a grade of "WF" (Withdrawn Failing) for the course in which offense occurs. The instructor will notify the student's program advisor, academic dean, and the Registrar at the student's home campus indicating a "WF" has been issued as a result of second offense. The Registrar will input the incident into Banner for tracking purposes.

#### **3. Third Offense**

Student is given a grade of "WF" for the course in which the offense occurs. The instructor will notify the student's program advisor, academic dean, and the Registrar at the student's home campus indicating a "WF" has been issued as a result of third offense. The Vice President for Student Affairs, or

designee, will notify the student of suspension from college for a specified period of time. The Registrar will input the incident into Banner for tracking purposes.

## STATEMENT OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

The Technical College System of Georgia (TCSG) and its constituent Technical Colleges do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, national or ethnic origin, gender, religion, disability, age, political affiliation or belief, genetic information, disabled veteran, veteran of the Vietnam Era, spouse of military member, or citizenship status (except in those special circumstances permitted or mandated by law). This nondiscrimination policy encompasses the operation of all technical college-administered programs, federally financed programs, educational programs and activities involving admissions, scholarships and loans, student life, and athletics. It also applies to the recruitment and employment of personnel and contracting for goods and services.

All work and campus environments shall be free from unlawful forms of discrimination, harassment and retaliation as outlined under Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended, Executive Order 11246, as amended, the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Act of 1974, as amended, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990, as amended, the Equal Pay Act, Lilly Ledbetter Fair Pay Act of 2009, the Georgia Fair Employment Act of 1978, as amended, the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008, the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 and other related mandates under TCSG Policy, federal or state statutes.

The Technical College System and Technical Colleges shall promote the realization of equal opportunity through a positive continuing program of specific practices designed to ensure the full realization of equal opportunity.

The following individuals have been designated to handle inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies:

<b>American With Disabilities Act (ADA)/Section 504 - Equity- Title IX (Students) – Office of Civil Rights (OCR) Compliance Officer</b>	<b>Title VI - Title IX (Employees) – Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) Officer</b>
Helen Thomas, Special Needs Specialist Vidalia Campus 3001 East 1 <sup>st</sup> Street, Vidalia Office 108 Phone: 912-538-3126 Email: <a href="mailto:hthomas@southeasterntech.edu">Helen Thomas</a> <a href="mailto:hthomas@southeasterntech.edu">hthomas@southeasterntech.edu</a>	Lanie Jonas, Director of Human Resources Vidalia Campus 3001 East 1 <sup>st</sup> Street, Vidalia Office 138B Phone: 912-538-3230 Email: <a href="mailto:ljonas@southeasterntech.edu">Lanie Jonas</a> <a href="mailto:ljonas@southeasterntech.edu">ljonas@southeasterntech.edu</a>

## ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT

Southeastern Technical College is committed to making course content accessible to individuals to comply with the requirements of Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). If you find a problem that prevents access, please contact the course instructor.

## GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES

Grievance procedures can be found in the Catalog and Handbook located on Southeastern Technical College's website.

## ACCESS TO TECHNOLOGY

Students can now access Blackboard, Remote Lab Access, Student Email, Library Databases (Galileo), and BannerWeb via the mySTC portal or by clicking the Current Students link on the [Southeastern Technical College Website \(www.southeasterntech.edu\)](http://www.southeasterntech.edu).

## TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA (TCSG) GUARANTEE/WARRANTY STATEMENT

*The Technical College System of Georgia guarantees employers that graduates of State Technical Colleges shall possess skills and knowledge as prescribed by State Curriculum Standards. Should any graduate employee within two years of graduation be deemed lacking in said skills, that student shall be retrained in any State Technical College at no charge for instructional costs to either the student or the employer.*

## GRADING POLICY

Assessment/Assignment	Percentage
Tests	25%
Weekly Assignments	50%
Observations	25%

## GRADING SCALE

Letter Grade	Range
A	90-100
B	80-89
C	70-79
D	60-69
F	0-59

## ECCE 1103 Child Growth and Development Summer Semester 2019 Lesson Plan

Date/Week/Due	Chapter(s)	Content	Assignments	Competency Area
Week 1 Week of May 13th  <b>Due 5/20</b>	Chapter 1 and 21	Orientation Learning about Children  Protecting Children's Physical Health and Safety  Observation and Assessments	-Read Chapters -Define Chapter Words -Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson -Observation 1 Due <b>All Assignments Due: 5/20 (at the beginning of class)</b>	1, 2, 5 a, c

Date/Week/Due	Chapter(s)	Content	Assignments	Competency Area
<p>Week 2</p> <p>Week of May 20th</p> <p><b>Due 5/29</b></p>	<p>Chapters 3-7</p>	<p>Families and Parenting</p> <p>Pregnancy</p> <p>Special Circumstances of Pregnancy</p> <p>Childbirth</p>	<p>-Read Chapters</p> <p>-Define Chapter Words</p> <p>-Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson</p> <p>-Observation 2 Due</p> <p>-Test over Chapters 1,21,3-7</p> <p><b>All Assignments Due: 5/29 (at the beginning of class)</b></p>	<p>3, 4</p> <p>a, b, c</p>
<p>Week 3</p> <p>Week of May 27th</p> <p><b>Due 6/3</b></p>	<p>Chapters 8-13</p>	<p>Physical, Intellectual, Social-Emotional, Developmental Need in the First Year</p> <p>Learning Accomplishment Profile (LAP)</p> <p>Physical, Intellectual, Social-Emotional, and Developmental Need of a Toddler</p>	<p>-Read Chapters</p> <p>-Define Chapter Words</p> <p>-Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson</p> <p>-Begin reading a book on discipline and young children</p> <p>-Observation 3 Due</p> <p>-Test Over Chapters 8-13</p> <p><b>All Assignments Due: 6/3 (at the beginning of class)</b></p>	<p>3, 4</p> <p>a, b, c</p>
<p>Week 4</p> <p>Week of June 3rd</p> <p><b>Due 6/10</b></p>	<p>Chapter 14-16</p>	<p>Physical, Intellectual, Social-Emotional, and Developmental Need of a Preschooler</p>	<p>-Read Chapters</p> <p>-Define Chapter Words</p> <p>-Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson</p> <p>-Continue reading a book on discipline and young children</p> <p>-Observation 4 Due</p> <p>-Test Over Chapters 14-16</p> <p><b>All Assignments Due: 6/10 (at the beginning of class)</b></p>	<p>1, 2, 3, 4</p> <p>a, b</p>

Date/Week/Due	Chapter(s)	Content	Assignments	Competency Area
<p>Week 5</p> <p>Week of June 10th</p> <p><b>Due 6/17</b></p>	<p>Chapter 23</p>	<p>Meeting Children's Special Needs</p>	<p>-Read Chapter</p> <p>-Define Chapter Words</p> <p>-Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson</p> <p>-Philosophy Paper Due Week 15</p> <p>-Continue reading a book on discipline and young children</p> <p>-Observation 5 Due</p> <p>-Chapter 23 Test</p> <p><b>All Assignments Due: 6/17</b></p>	<p>4, 5 a, c</p>
<p>Week 6</p> <p>Week of June 17th</p> <p><b>Due 6/24</b></p>	<p>Chapters 17-19</p>	<p>Physical Development of School-Age Children</p> <p>Intellectual Development of School-Age Children</p> <p>Social-Emotional Development of School-Age Children</p>	<p>-Read Chapters</p> <p>-Define Chapter Words</p> <p>-Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson</p> <p>-List Changes that occur in School Age Children (bulleted list)</p> <p>-Write a 1 page paper on Obesity and School Age Children</p> <p>-List three ways parents can promote self-esteem (bulleted list)</p> <p>-Continue reading a book on discipline and young children</p> <p>-Chapters 17-19 Test</p> <p><b>All Assignments Due: 6/24</b></p>	<p>1, 4, 5 a, c</p>
<p>Week 7</p> <p>Week of June 24th</p> <p><b>Due 7/8</b></p>	<p>Chapter 24</p>	<p>Providing Early Childhood Education in Group Settings</p>	<p>-Read Chapter</p> <p>-Define Chapter Words</p> <p>-Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson</p> <p>-Continue reading a book on Discipline and Young Children.</p> <p>-Bulleted list of examples of activities that are Developmentally Appropriate Practice and activities that are Developmental Individual Practice.</p> <p>-Chapter 24 Test</p> <p><b>All Assignments Due: 7/8</b></p>	<p>2, 3, 5 a, c</p>

<b>Date/Week/Due</b>	<b>Chapter(s)</b>	<b>Content</b>	<b>Assignments</b>	<b>Competency Area</b>
Week 8  Week of July 8th  <b>Due 7/15</b>	Chapter 22	Handling Family-Life Challenges	-Read Chapter -Define Chapter Words -Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson -Write a review of a book on Discipline and Young Children (at least one page in length; site the book) -Chapter 22 Test <b>All Assignments Due: 7/15</b>	2 a, b, c
Week 9  Week of July 15th  <b>Due 7/22</b>	Chapter 25	Career Moves in ECCE	-Read Chapter -Define Chapter Words -Complete Review and Assessment at the end of each lesson -Philosophy Paper Due -Chapter 25 Test <b>All Assignments Due: 7/22</b>	2 a, b, c

#### **COMPETENCY AREAS**

1. Developmental Characteristics, Prenatal Through Age 12
2. Developmental Guidance Applications
3. Observing and Recording Techniques
4. Theories of Development
5. Introduction to Children with Special Needs

#### **GENERAL CORE EDUCATIONAL COMPETENCIES**

- a) The ability to utilize standard written English.
- b) The ability to solve practical mathematical problems.
- c) The ability to read, analyze, and interpret information.

# WRITING RUBRIC

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

ASSIGNMENT \_\_\_\_\_

Criteria	4	3	2	1
<b>Neatly written/typed according to directions</b>	The paper was very neatly written or typed— according to directions	The typing or handwriting was neat	The typing or handwriting was somewhat neat	The paper was lacking in the area of neatness
<b>Length</b>	The length was completely appropriate or was longer than required	The paper was within a few lines of being appropriate length	The paper was approximately $\frac{3}{4}$ as long as it should be	The paper was less than $\frac{1}{2}$ the length it should be
<b>On topic</b>	The entire paper was on topic	Most of the paper was on topic	The paper remained somewhat on topic	Half or more of the paper was not on topic
<b>Spelling/Grammar</b>	There were no more than 2 spelling errors/1 grammar error	There were no more than 3 spelling errors and/or 2 grammar errors	There were no more than 3 spelling errors and/or 3 grammar errors	There were more than 3 spelling errors and/or 3 grammar errors
<b>Main Idea(s) /Supporting Details/Cohesion</b>	The paper contained proper main idea(s), properly developed supporting ideas and was cohesive	The paper contained proper main idea(s), developed supporting ideas but was lacking in cohesion	The paper had main idea(s), poorly developed supporting ideas and cohesion was lacking	The paper did not have a proper main idea, and/or supporting details and/or cohesion

Grammar Errors: fragments, run-on sentences, subject-verb agreement...

Total points \_\_\_\_\_ X 5 = \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: