

The Institute for Early Childhood Education & Research



SUMMER KINDERGARTEN COURSES AT UBC
JULY 5 - 23, 2010

Neville Scarfe 1004, 2125 Main Mall, UBC MAP: <http://bit.ly/856HoB>

ECED 416 KINDERGARTEN CURRICULUM 8:30-11:00 AM

The development of kindergarten programs with reference to recent research, theories of early learning, curriculum trends and practices, and the place of kindergarten in contemporary education. Students will engage in activities, such as:

- investigating kindergarten programs in BC with a focus on curriculum,
- creating materials conducive to the needs of kindergarten students,
- exploring a variety of organizations, resources, websites, and BC Ministry of Education documents,
- planning for kindergarten students in either full or half day settings using a variety of planning strategies (project approach, backwards design, thematic, etc.) and schedules.

ECED 417 SUPPORTING LEARNING IN THE KINDERGARTEN YEAR 1:00-3:30 PM

Designing environments, experiences, activities, instruction, and assessment to foster children's learning in the kindergarten year. Students will be provided opportunities to learn about:

- the role of kindergarten in terms of schooling and society,
- developmentally appropriate practices in terms of play, assessment, routines, centers, and classroom design,
- kindergarten students and their families,
- school readiness and activities leading up to kindergarten,
- a variety of instructional strategies, activities, and materials.

It is highly recommended that students enrol in both courses.

These two courses (3 credits each) can be taken as part of the Certificate in Kindergarten Instruction and/or as part of the Diploma in Early Years Education.

INSTRUCTOR



Traci Baillie
has specialized in Early Childhood, Educational Studies, and Teacher Education at UBC since 2001.

In her 21 years as an educator, she has worked as a Pre-K-12 teacher, administrator, teacher leader/trainer, curriculum developer, and PAC Executive member in several countries. In 2009, she won a Faculty of Education Instructor of the Year award for her work with teacher candidates and teachers.

HOW TO APPLY

Step 1: ADMISSION

If you are **not** currently enrolled as a UBC student, application for admission and re-admission should be submitted as soon as possible to the UBC Teacher Education Office (allow two to three weeks processing time).

Application form can be downloaded from: http://teach.educ.ubc.ca/unclassified/UNCL_Application_Form_2010-11.pdf

For admission information contact:
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Step 2: REGISTRATION

Once you are admitted you may register in ECED 416 and ECED 417 course/s through UBC electronic registration system. *Registration to summer courses opens mid-March 2010.* Register early, as spaces are limited.

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