

# TEACH Early Childhood® New Hampshire College Directory



A Program of Community Action Partnership Hillsborough and Rockingham Counties

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## TEACH NH College Directory



*This guide includes information on the (7) community colleges and (1) university in NH that offer an Associate Degree, Bachelor's Degree or Certificate in Early Childhood Education, as of January 2025. The TEACH NH Scholarship Program has agreements in place with each college for scholarship recipients.*

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### Colleges Included in This Directory

*Great Bay Community College  
Lakes Region Community College  
Manchester Community College  
Nashua Community College  
NHTI – Concord's Community College  
River Valley Community College  
University of NH – College of Professional Studies  
White Mountains Community College*

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### **Certificates and/or Degrees Offered**

<i>Certificate or Degree</i>	<i>Early Childhood Credit Hours</i>	<i>Total Credit Hours</i>
Associate Degree in ECE	31	61-64
ECE Advanced Certificate	25	29-30
ECE Certificate	19	19

What are the requirements for admission to the ECE degree program?

... Completed application, high school or college transcripts and SAT scores OR ACCUPLACER® Exam.

Does GBCC offer articulation credit for a completed CDA™ Credential?

... GBCC does not currently offer CDA™ articulation credit.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered each Fall/Spring term?

... 8 courses.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered during Summer term?

... 1 course.

How are classes offered?

... online (asynchronous), in-person and hybrid.

What is the tuition cost per credit in 2023-2024?

... \$215 per credit

With which 4-year schools does GBCC have an articulation agreement?

... Southern NH University.

# Lakes Region Community College



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## **Certificates and/or Degrees Offered**

Certificate or Degree	Early Childhood Credit Hours	Total Credit Hours
Associate Degree in ECE	28	61
ECE – Lead Teacher Certificate	18	19
ECE – Associate Teacher Certificate	9	10

What are the requirements for admission to the ECE degree program?

... Completed application, high school or college transcripts.

Does LRCC offer articulation credit for a completed CDA™ Credential?

... LRCC does not currently offer CDA™ articulation credit.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered each Fall/Spring term?

... 5-6 courses.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered during Summer term?

... 2 courses.

How are classes offered?

... online (asynchronous) and in-person.

What is the tuition cost per credit in 2023-2024?

... \$215 per credit

With which 4-year schools does LRCC have an articulation agreement?

... University of NH, College of Professional Studies.

# Manchester Community College



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## **Certificates and/or Degrees Offered**

<i>Certificate or Degree</i>	<i>Early Childhood Credit Hours</i>	<i>Total Credit Hours</i>
Associate Degree in ECE	41	62-63
Advanced EC Certificate	24	24
ECE Lead Teacher Certificate	21	21
ECE Special Education Certificate	12-15	24
Entry Level ECE Certificate	12	12

### What are the requirements for admission to the ECE degree program?

... Completed application, completion of high school or equivalent, attend information session.

### Does MCC offer articulation credit for a completed CDA™ Credential?

... MCC does not currently offer CDA™ articulation credit.

### What is the average number of ECE courses offered each Fall/Spring term?

... 10 courses; 18-20 sections.

### What is the average number of ECE courses offered during Summer term?

... 6 courses.

### How are classes offered?

... online, in-person and hybrid.

### What is the tuition cost per credit in 2023-2024?

... \$215 per credit

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*With which 4-year schools does MCC have an articulation agreement?*

... Keene State College; Rivier University; University of NH, College of Professional Studies.

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**Certificates and/or Degrees Offered**

<i>Certificate or Degree</i>	<i>Early Childhood Credit Hours</i>	<i>Total Credit Hours</i>
Associate Degree in ECE	35	61-62
ECE: Lead Teacher Certificate	18	18
ECE: Associate Teacher Certificate	9	9

What are the requirements for admission to the ECE degree program?

... Completed application, high school or college transcripts, SAT scores or ACCUPLACER® exam.

Does NCC offer articulation credit for a completed CDA™ Credential?

... NCC does not currently offer CDA™ articulation credit.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered each Fall/Spring term?

... 6 courses.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered during Summer term?

... 1 course.

How are classes offered?

... online and in-person.

What is the tuition cost per credit in 2023-2024?

... \$215 per credit

With which 4-year schools does NCC have an articulation agreement?

... Keene State College; University of NH, College of Professional Studies.



# NHTI – Concord’s Community College



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## **Certificates and/or Degrees Offered**

<i>Certificate or Degree</i>	<i>Early Childhood Credit Hours</i>	<i>Total Credit Hours</i>
Associate of Science in ECE	33	60
Associate of Science in Early Care & Education for Young Children with Disabilities	33	57-58
ECE Advanced Certificate	24-25	24-25
Young Children with Autism & Exceptionalities Certificate	18-19	19
ECE Certificate	18	18
ECE Entry Level Certificate	9	9
Associate of Science in Child & Family Studies	17	60

### What are the requirements for admission to the ECE degree program?

... Completed application, high school or college transcripts, fingerprints/background check, SAT scores or ACCUPLACER® exam.

### Does NHTI offer articulation credit for a completed CDA™ Credential?

... CDA™ through DOL Early Childhood Apprenticeship Program = 6-9 credits.

### What is the average number of ECE courses offered each Fall/Spring term?

... 6-8 courses.

### What is the average number of ECE courses offered during Summer term?

... 5-6 courses.

### How are classes offered?

... online (asynchronous) and in-person.



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What is the tuition cost per credit in 2023-2024?

... \$215 per credit

With which 4-year schools does NHTI have an articulation agreement?

... Keene State College; Rivier University, Southern NH University; University of NH, College of Professional Studies.

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**Certificates and/or Degrees Offered**

Certificate or Degree	Early Childhood Credit Hours	Total Credit Hours
Associate Degree in ECE	35	62-66
ECE Level II Certificate	21	24
ECE Infant & Toddler Certificate	18	18
ECE Level I Certificate	12	12

What are the requirements for admission to the ECE degree program?

... Completed application, high school or college transcripts.

Does RVCC offer articulation credit for a completed CDA™ Credential?

... CDA™ = 6 credits; CDA™ through DOL Early Childhood Apprenticeship Program = 9 credits.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered each Fall/Spring term?

... 8 courses.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered during Summer term?

... RVCC does not offer EC courses during the Summer term.

How are classes offered?

... online (synchronous & asynchronous), in-person and hybrid.

What is the tuition cost per credit in 2023-2024?

... \$215 per credit

With which 4-year schools does RVCC have an articulation agreement?

... Keene State College; University of NH, College of Professional Studies.

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# University of NH

## College of Professional Studies



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### **Certificates and/or Degrees Offered**

<i>Certificate or Degree</i>	<i>Early Childhood Credit Hours</i>	<i>Total Credit Hours</i>
Associate Degree in ECE	28	60
Bachelor's Degree in ECE		120

#### What are the requirements for admission to the ECE degree program?

... Completed application, high school or college transcripts, essay, resume, (2) letters of reference, background check.

#### Does UNH-CPS offer articulation credit for a completed CDA™ Credential?

... UNH-CPS offers CDA™ articulation credit based on ACE recommendations.

#### What is the average number of ECE courses offered each Fall/Spring term?

... 9 courses.

#### What is the average number of ECE courses offered during Summer term?

... 9 courses.

#### How are classes offered?

... all classes are online and asynchronous.

#### What is the tuition cost per credit in 2023-2024?

... \$314 per credit

#### With which 4-year schools does UNH-CPS have an articulation agreement?

... N/A – UNH-CPS offers a Bachelor's level EC degree as well.



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## **Certificates and/or Degrees Offered**

<i>Certificate or Degree</i>	<i>Early Childhood Credit Hours</i>	<i>Total Credit Hours</i>
Associate Degree in ECE	37	63-65
ECE Certificate	31	31
ECE Associate Teacher Credential Certificate	9	9

What are the requirements for admission to the ECE degree program?

... Completed application, high school degree or GED.

Does WMCC offer articulation credit for a completed CDA™ Credential?

... WMCC does not currently offer CDA™ articulation credit.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered each Fall/Spring term?

... 6 courses.

What is the average number of ECE courses offered during Summer term?

... 3 courses.

How are classes offered?

... online (synchronous & asynchronous), in-person and hybrid.

What is the tuition cost per credit in 2023-2024?

... \$215 per credit

With which 4-year schools does WMCC have an articulation agreement?

... Keene State College; Rivier University; University of NH, College of Professional Studies; Walden University.

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