

Child Development, AS



CATALOG 2022-23

GE Pattern: [VVC GE](#)
Total Units: 60 Units
Program Code: [CLDEV.AS](#)



Category Key

(a)	Articulated Credit	A course taught at the high school that teaches the same content as the community college allowing the high school student to receive college credit.	GE	General Education	A course that fulfills a specific general education requirement for this degree, which can be replaced with another course that meets the same requirements.
	Elec	Elective		RE	Restricted Electives
	Req	Required Core			A course selected from a list of elective courses specified for this degree in the course list in the catalog, which can be replaced with another course from the same list.
					A course that is required for this degree

Year 1

Semester 1

16 Units

Category	Course	Title	GE Area	Unit
Req	CHDV 100	Child Growth & Development		3
Req	CHDV 110	Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children		3
GE	*ENGL 101.0	English Composition and Reading	IVA	4
GE	Any		IVB	3
Elec	Any	Recommended: VVC GE Category III to fulfill requirement of Level II certificate		3

*Fulfills VVC GE Category IVA and Information Competency requirement.



Semester 2

15 Units

Category	Course	Title	GE Area	Unit
Req	*CHDV 106	Child, Family, and Community		3
Req	CHDV 142	Child Health, Safety, and Nutrition		3
Req	CHDV 150	Introduction to Curriculum		3
GE	Any		V	3
Elec	Any	Any course numbered 50 or above.		3

*Fulfills Req and Global Citizenship requirement.

Year 2

Semester 1

15 Units

Category	Course	Title	GE Area	Unit
Req	CHDV 160	Observation and Assessment		3
Req	CHDV 200	Teaching in a Diverse Society		3
GE	*HLTH 102	Contemporary Problems in Personal and Community Health	I	3
GE	Any		IIA	3
GE	Any		III	3

*Fulfills VVC GE Category I and Kinesiology requirement.



Semester 2

14 Units

Category	Course	Title	GE Area	Unit
Req	CHDV 210	Practicum		4
GE	Any		IIB	3
Elec	CHDV 111	Infant and Toddler Caregiving		3
Elec	Any	Any course(s) numbered 50 or above.		4



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5-year Job Demand Increase in MDCP Region

Average Hourly Wage

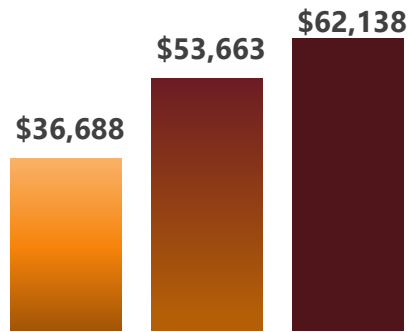
\$25.80
MDCP Region

\$25.41
SB County

\$26.45
California

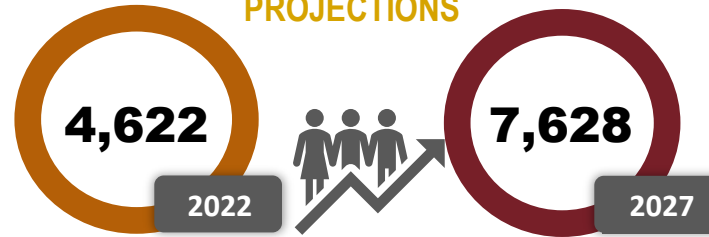
MDCP Regional Labor Market Snapshot Occupations in Child Development & Education

Salary Guide
AVERAGE BY EXPERIENCE



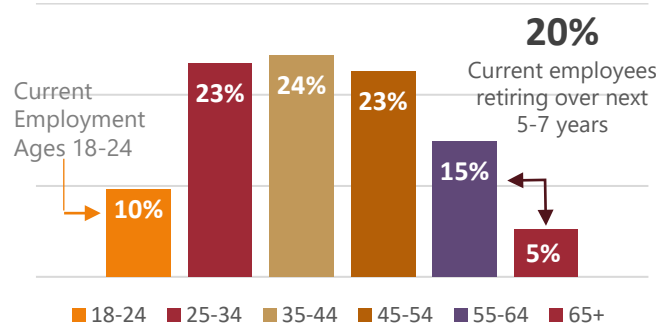
■ Starting ■ Average ■ Experienced

EMPLOYMENT PROJECTIONS



5-year demand includes new jobs, transfers, and retirements

Current Age Breakdown



AVERAGE WAGE INFORMATION PER JOBS IN REGION

Occupation

Occupation	HD	SBC	California	HD Average Salary
^Childcare Workers (HS)	\$16.91	\$17.22	\$17.01	\$35,200
Recreation Workers (HS)	\$16.05	\$15.80	\$17.05	\$33,400
^Social and Human Service Assistants (HS)	\$22.33	\$21.64	\$23.26	\$46,400
Child, Family, and School Social Workers (B)	\$29.85	\$27.83	\$31.22	\$62,100
Education and Childcare Administrators, Preschool & Daycare (B)	\$26.40	\$26.34	\$27.98	\$54,900
^Preschool and Kindergarten Teachers (B)	\$24.04	\$23.91	\$23.91	\$50,000
Social and Community Service Managers (B)	\$40.03	\$38.97	\$40.75	\$83,300
^Counselors (M)	\$30.77	\$31.55	\$30.39	\$64,000

Average hourly wage based on listed occupations
(HS = High School Diploma; PSC= Postsecondary Certificate; A = Associates Degree; B = Bachelor's Degree; M = Master's Degree; D = Professional or Doctorate Degree)

HD Average wages based on listed occupations
^High Demand Occupation



CONTINUING EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Program

- AA Psychology
- BS Early Childhood
- BA Education Sciences
- BA Early Childhood Studies
- BA Early Childhood Studies
- BS Child and Adolescent Development

College

- Victor Valley CC
- Cal State San Bernardino
- UC Irvine
- Cal Poly Pomona
- Cal Baptist University
- Cal State Fullerton

For additional information on VVC's Agriculture Degree:
<https://catalog.vvc.edu/degrees-certificates/child-development/#CLDEV-AS>

LOCAL EMPLOYERS

Employer

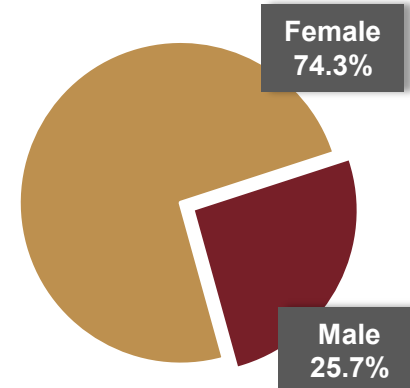
- Apple Valley State Preschool
- Apple Valley USD
- Hesperia USD
- DM Children's Center
- Hesperia Parks & Recreation
- Just 4 Kids Preschool
- SB County Preschool Services
- Victor Valley UHSD
- YMCA

Website

- <https://www.avusd.org/enrollment/state-preschool>
- <https://www.avusd.org/>
- <https://www.hesperiausd.org/page/personnel>
- <https://dmchildrenscenter.org/>
- <https://www.hesperiaparks.com/>
- <https://just4kidspreschool.com/careers/>
- <http://hs.sbcounty.gov/psd/Pages/default.aspx>
- <https://www.vvuhsd.org/>
- <https://www.ymca.net/career-opportunities/CA>



Current Gender Breakdown



Serving the High Desert Region