

## **Child Studies 9**

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### **Course Outcomes**

<b>Units</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Curriculum Outcome</b>
Unit 1 - Nurturing Growth & Development	Careers in Child Care	Identify various community roles and possible careers related to helping a child reach his/her full potential
	Childcare Skills	demonstrate basic skills required when caring for infants and young children
	Rewards and Responsibilities	recognize the rewards and the responsibilities of caregiving
	Child Safety	recommend ways to ensure child safety
	Emergencies	explain and, where appropriate, demonstrate how to handle emergencies involving children
Unit 2 - Nutrition for Children	Food Experiences	describe and model positive food experiences for children
	Nutrition for Children	demonstrate and apply nutritional knowledge when selecting foods for children
	Food Safety	model safe food preparation and selection when preparing food for young children
Unit 3 - Learning through Activity	Children and Play	relate the value of play to all areas of child development
	Toy Safety	assess the safety and appropriateness of purchased toys
	Children and Play	practice ways caregivers can facilitate play for children
	Learning through Music, Art and Drama	explore the role of music, art and drama in the development of young children
	Reading to Children	explain the importance of reading to a child and demonstrate basic reading strategies for engaging young children
	Media and Children	investigate the impact of computer technology, television and other media on children's learning

**How will we achieve this:**

Students will be assessed using a variety of methods including but not limited to:

- Quizzes
- Projects
- Assignments
- Quizzes
- Observations and Conversations

**Expectations and Support:**

Each student is expected to arrive on time to class each day with all materials necessary for learning. Using an agenda as an organization tool is an important key to success.

Students are encouraged to try everything they are assigned with their best effort. Please email me with any homework questions you have throughout the year.

Support is always available for your child. I offer extra help by appointment, and it is available by request at lunch. Students are encouraged to take advantage of extra help to assist in improvement and staying on top of their work.

Students are responsible for any missed work due to absence.

The success of your student is important to me, and I look forward to working together to make this year positive and productive.

**Evaluation:**

Students will be assessed using the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development's 1 to 4 scoring system for assessing outcomes. A grade of 3 demonstrates that students are currently meeting outcomes at grade level.

4	In-depth knowledge and understanding of content and concepts. Able to extend the application of related skills.
3+	Competent +
3	Competent knowledge and understanding of content and concepts. Appropriate application of the related skills.
2+	Developing +
2	Developing knowledge and understanding of content and concepts. Developing in the application of related skills.
1+	Limited +
1	Limited knowledge and understanding of content and concepts. Limited application of related skills.

