Child Development Associate (CDA) Series & Renewal

In partnership with the PA Key, Westmoreland County Community College is offering a series of courses that will fulfill the educational training requirements for the infant-toddler, preschool, or renewal CDA credentials. The additional work experience, portfolio, and professional requirements required by the CDA Council must be completed independently by the candidates.

Based on the CDA pursued, students may choose from the following courses, which will be offered at the Youngwood campus beginning in October 2018:

- ECE 190-CDA Child Health, Safety & Nutrition October 3, 2018 May 1, 2019 (every other week)
- ECE 191-CDA Observation & Assessment January 15 April 30, 2019
- Choose one:

ECE 179-CDA - Infant & Toddler Development - April 15—July 29, 2019 ECE 180-CDA - Child Growth & Development - April 4—July 25, 2019

Each course is 3 college credits and can be applied towards an Associate degree at Westmoreland. The initial certifications require 3 courses, while renewal requires 1 course. Tuition is \$210 per course and \$100 for textbook. Rising STARS Tuition Assistance and the TEACH Scholarship are both accepted at Westmoreland and can be used towards the cost of the courses.

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Call 1-800-262-2103 ext. 4204 to register.

An orientation and welcome session will be held on September 29, 2018 @ 9:30 a.m. for all CDA candidates and their directors on the Youngwood Campus. The welcome session will include an orientation to the process and a time to meet fellow cohort members. Refreshments will be served.



