

## Directory of Early Childhood/Child Development Programs in MINNESOTA

<b>College Name:</b> Minnesota West Community and Technical College	
<b>Mailing Address:</b> 1593 -11 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Granite Falls, MN 56241 320-564-5010	
<b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.mnwest.edu">www.mnwest.edu</a>	
<b>Financial Aid Office:</b>	financialaid@mnwest.edu 507-847- 7941
<b>EC/CD Department:</b>	Early Childhood Program
<b>Key EC/CD Contact</b> <a href="https://www.mnwest.edu/programs-courses/list/child-development-as">https://www.mnwest.edu/programs-courses/list/child-development-as</a>	Alyson Helgeson, Early Childhood Program Director 320-564-5054 or alyson.helgeson@mnwest.edu
<b>General Accreditation?</b>	Yes
<b>Early Childhood Associate Degree Accreditation?</b>	Yes
<b>Credit for Prior Learning?</b>	Yes

### Certificates, Diplomas and or Degrees Offered

Description of Certificate, Diploma and/or Degree Offered	Early Childhood Credit Hours	Total Credits Hours
Child Development A.S.	30	60
Child Development Diploma	34	34
Child Development Certificate	16	16

### Early Childhood Program Information

<b>Requirements for Admissions into Early Childhood Degree Program</b>	Yes
<b>Requirements to Enroll in EC/CD Classes outside of Degree Program</b>	Yes
<b>Earmarked Courses for the CDA Credential?</b>	Yes
<b>Articulation Credit for the CDA Credential?</b>	Test-Out option for select courses
<b>Average # of EC/CD Courses Offered Each Term (NOT SUMMER)?</b>	10
<b>Average number EC/CD Courses Offered Online Each Term?</b>	6
<b>Average # of EC/CD Courses in Summer Term?</b>	1
<b>Average # of Courses offered in Spanish Each Term (NOT SUMMER)</b>	0
<b>Average # of EC/CD Courses Offered Per Term at Night (NOT SUMMER)</b>	1
<b>Average # of EC/CD Courses Offered Per Term on Saturday (NOT SUMMER)?</b>	0
<b>Average # of EC/CD Students Per Advisor?</b>	25
<b># of T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Scholarships in FY 19-2020?</b>	1
<b>Satellite Campuses with EC/CD Courses?</b>	0
<b>Tuition Cost Per Hour in 2019-2020?</b>	\$189.73/credit (fees included) \$202.23/credit on-line (fees included)
<b>4-Year Schools with Whom EC/CD Articulation Agreements Are in Place?</b>	Southwest Minnesota State University, Marshall
<b>Immigration Status Verified For Admissions?</b>	no
<b>How many courses do you offer in accelerated format?</b>	0
<b>Do you offer developmental courses with Early Childhood content? If yes, how many per semester?</b>	no

\* Please note that when referring to “courses” above, this refers to distinct courses, not sections of courses. For example, if ECE 101 is offered four times during the semester, it is counted as one course, not four.

\*\*Includes only students who list this as their home college.

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