

PGDSCE111-Early childhood Care and Education

Objectives:

The students will be able to:-

- Understand the various techniques to deal with family and society to serve the child.
- Develop method and various means of communication with family and society.
- Understand child development and the role of various policies and recommendations of acts.
- Produce and use various aids and materials for ECCE.
- Understand about essential characteristics for ECCE teacher / care taker.

Unit	Content	Credit
1	Family and Society	1
1.1	Understand the child, family and Society Concept of Indian Family and Society : Education in family and basic elements of Indian family system, Natural Characteristics of Child	
1.2	Personality Development : <i>Panchkoshatmak</i>	
1.3	Person to Universal	
1.4	'Samskara' and Samskara Process : From Birth to Five years	
2	Understanding the Child, Parents and their concerns	1
2.1	Indicators of Child Rearing (first five years) and nurturing experiences at home	
2.2	Role of Parent in relation to policy in ECCE, Recommendations of RTE and pre-school and primary level of education	
2.3	Discussion regarding role of Parents and community in pre primary and Aaganwadi Stage	
2.4	Natural Characteristics of Child, Myths and Misconceptions of Child Rearing in Society, Aspirations of Parents and special behaviour and habits of child and its causes and remedies	
3	Aids and Materials for ECCE	1
3.1	Age appropriate Aids selection	
3.2	Types of Classroom Material and its production	
3.3	Outdoor Activity's Materials, its arrangement and Maintenance	
3.4	Activity and Reading Corner, Books, Blocks, Teaching aids etc - its arrangement and importance	
4	Environment For Holistic Development of Child	1
4.1	Educational and Physical facilities of ECCE centre	
4.2	Importance of unbiased and equal environment for all, ECCE Teacher / care taker- Characteristics	
4.3	Importance of Child's Physical, Emotional, Security and safety Friendly atmosphere for artistic Development	
4.4	Programs for Early childhood care and Education center	

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