

# Child, Family, & Education Studies Advisory Meeting Minutes

June 2023

## Agenda Items:

- I. Yearly Updates
- II. CFES Lab and MOU Process
- III. Accelerated Program Idea
- IV. New Programs
- V. What Comes Next?
- VI. OER materials and the need for ZTC (Zero Textbook Cost) pathways
- VII. Questions for the community

<u>Topic:</u>	<u>Notes:</u>
Yearly Updates	Review of yearly update for each certificate and degree completions for past 5 years.
CFES Lab & MOU Processes for Practicum Sites	CFES Lab: For Fall 2023  For MOU's: Observation Sites Practicum Site Visits: Please allow teachers to visit.
Accelerated Program	View and share Accelerated Program flyer for students to apply.
New Programs	This program is for AS-T in ECE. <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Child and Adolescent Development AS-T: Approved and active at this time.</li><li>2. STEAM for Early Childhood Educators: Approved. Coming Spring 2024.</li><li>3. CD24: Instructional and Environmental Tools in Early Childhood Education: In process as a class and certificate is also in process.</li><li>4. CD40: Equity Minded Social Justice Curriculum in Early Education: In process as a class and a certificate is also in process.</li></ol>
What Comes Next: Certificate Changes New Degree	Multilingual Educators Certificate – do you think this is needed? <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Overwhelming yes (see screenshots below)</li></ul> Infant/Toddler Degree <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Overwhelming yes (see screenshots below)</li></ul>

Family Childcare Provider Certificate changes:

- Overwhelming yes (see screenshots below)

OER: Open Educational Resources

ZTC: Zero Textbook Cost

LTC: Low Textbook cost

Q: How is this important to students and employers as we offer classes?

- Discussion about how this increases equity for all students and this is needed

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- This program is still going on and we are in need of more mentors.

Questions for the community

1. Any issues and trends in the community?
2. Are there any new courses that we need to include? Any certificates to serve?
3. What else?

Discussion Notes:

Jocelyn Mendoza - Make a TK refresher plan for those who need the refresher - make a special TK class of what that looks like - how about informational sessions for the community

David Zendejas - is a principal and they need more in the pool of substitutes and we can connect them - there is a proficiency test that must be made - can we offer a preparation course for the LAUSD test? (create a non credit course that would prep people for the class)

Multilingual certificate - do we need to include a proficiency course that is within the language as well?

Karla Martinez - says we need more than 1 class in this to have proficiency

Alicia - the basic class, then the language 1 & 2 plus 1-2 others

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