

### **EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (CDA PREPARATION) CERTIFICATE OF CREDIT**

Motlow State Community College offers the Early Childhood Education (CDA Preparation) Certificate of Credit. The academic course work and clinical practicums prepare students for the CDA (Child Development Associate) assessment and credentialing. Individuals seeking employment in private child care facilities in the Star Quality Child Care Program or Head Start programs must have the CDA for employment. Credits earned in this program are acceptable toward an Associate of Applied Science in Early Childhood Education if the student decides to continue.

#### Requirements:

- ECED 2010 - Safe, Healthy, Learning Environments
- ECED 2130 - Initial Practicum I
- ECED 2015 - Early Childhood Curriculum
- ECED 2040 - Family Dynamics and Community Involvement

Semester Hours Credit: 12