### **Future BUILT Employers**

Career education grads are finding success with these employers...and more!

- . YMCA
- . Options for Learning
- . Nobel Learning Communities
- . Para Los Niños
- . Childtime Learning Centers
- . Tutor Time Learning Centers
- . LIFT Enrichment
- . La Petite Academy
- . Think Together
- . Orange County Head Start

## Work-based learning in Educational Environments...

Many Orange County community colleges have an early childhood lab or childcare center, where college students get handson experiences working in the field. Many Orange County community colleges offer early field experience courses for students interested in working as aides and educators in K-12 classrooms and afterschool programs. Many programs also include a practicum or occupational work experience in an early childcare center, giving students the real-life skills they need to become caring professionals.

### FIND YOUR **FUTURE BUILT** COLLEGE

### Cypress College

Coaching Family & Consumer Sciences Family Studies

#### **Fullerton College**

Child Development / Early Care & Education
Child Development Administration & Management
Coaching
Infants & Toddlers
Preschool Age Children
Special Education

#### **Irvine Valley College**

Child Development / Early Care & Education Infants & Toddlers The School Age Child

#### North Orange Continuing Education (NOCE)

Early Childhood Education

#### **Orange Coast College**

Child Development Administration & Management Educational Aide (Teacher Assistant) Family & Consumer Sciences Family Studies Infants & Toddlers Preschool Age Children

### Saddleback College

Child Development / Early Care & Education Child Development Administration & Management Coaching • Family Studies The School Age Child

#### Santa Ana College

Child Development / Early Care & Education Education Aide Elementary Education (Pre-Professional) Infants & Toddlers Preschool Age Child

### Santiago Canyon College

Education Aide: K-12, Special Ed, Bilingual, After School Programs Assistant/Teacher Elementary Education Infant/Toddler Preschool Age Children The School Age Child

Note: Program titles listed on college websites may differ.

To explore more programs, visit

### futurebuilt.org

### Orange County Community Colleges

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## ORANGE COUNTY



### **EDUCATION**

### & EARLY CHILDHOOD

### **SERVICES**



**Built** for the Next Generation.

Education & Early Childhood Services Careers in Orange County

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### A LIVING WAGE. RIGHT NOW.



In Orange County, demand for elementary and middle school teachers is expected to rise by 13% until 2022—almost double the national average for all jobs.



Enrollment is climbing across all grades, and is expected to grow nearly 10% by 2026, making certified teachers more in-demand than ever!



In Education & Early Childhood Services, professionals aren't just earning paychecks—they're following their calling to make a difference in the lives of young learners.

# FOSTERING CURIOSITY, CREATIVITY, AND CARE.

There's nothing more important than nurturing young learners and shaping the next generation of successful students. Through the power of career education, Orange County community colleges are building confident, capable teaching professionals, launching students directly into fulfilling careers.

Education & Early Childhood is perhaps one of the most rewarding industry sectors in Orange County, with rising school enrollment driving unprecedented demand for qualified professionals. In fact, there were over 70,000 job openings for education, child development, and family services related positions in California in 2017. However, there weren't enough qualified applicants, as more than 4,000 jobs remained unfilled.

Ready to start a rewarding career where you can make a positive impact on children and youth? Your nearest Orange County community college has a career education program that can help you answer your calling!

# A FOCUS ON **EARLY CHILDHOOD.**

Preschool teaching opportunities are expanding by 10% annually, much faster than the average career. Due to ongoing demand in this field, career data website O\*Net Online has deemed this a "Bright Outlook Occupation." The average median salary for preschool teachers in California is \$34,600, and with experience, that can grow to \$50,000+.



As higher numbers of young students enter kindergarten, more teachers will be needed than ever to foster lifelong learners!

### **Future BUILT Careers**

Education & Early Childhood Services

**Preschool Teacher** ...... \$26,499-\$31,665

Special Education

Preschool Teacher ...... \$49,036-\$69,677

Preschool Program Director......\$39,368-\$52,360









