

The Henrico County Technical Centers offer training opportunities in the following areas for the 2012-2013 school year:

HERMITAGE TECHNICAL CENTER 756-3020

Air Cond., Refrigeration & Plumbing	Graphic Communications
Automotive Technology	Greenhouse Management
Barbering	Legal Systems Administration
CAD - Computer-Aided Drafting & 3D Animation	Medical Systems Administration
Cosmetology	Nurse Aide
Criminal Justice	Practical Nursing I
Culinary Arts	Precision Machining Technology
Electricity & Cabling	Sports Medicine
Emergency Medical Technician	Veterinary Science
	Web Development/Programming

HIGHLAND SPRINGS TECHNICAL CENTER 328-4075

Auto Body Repair	Electricity & Cabling
Automotive Technology	High Tech Academy
Carpentry	Hotel & Catering
Computer Systems Technology	Masonry
Cosmetology	Nurse Aide
Criminal Justice	Pharmacy Technician
Early Childhood Education & Services	Practical Nursing I
	Radio Broadcasting & Journalism

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Springer Day Care



Early Childhood Education and Services

Highland Springs Technical Center

**EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
AND SERVICES I**

Course No. 8285

Elective

36 Weeks - 3 Credits

Prerequisite: Recommendation of Counselor

This course is for students with a great deal of interest in young children. It is the first course in a program designed to prepare students for child-related professions such as child care, teaching, child psychology, pediatrics, and many others. Included is a study of developmentally appropriate practice for the child from birth to school-age years. The Early Childhood Education class offers a full-day preschool for the children of teachers and staff in the surrounding schools. This provides opportunities for the Early Childhood Education students to work with preschoolers on-site at our 5000-square-foot facility. Students learn about careers in the field of Early Childhood Education. There are opportunities for personal growth through participation in FCCLA activities.

**EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
AND SERVICES II**

Course No. 8286

Elective

36 Weeks - 3 Credits

Prerequisite: Early Childhood Education and Services I

Early Childhood Education and Services II is an in-depth extension of Early Childhood Education and Services I. This three-credit course emphasizes occupational skills for workers in early childhood professions. Students participate in both in-class learning and on-the-job training in the preschool setting. Students will receive an industry certificate upon passing an industry certification exam. Personal growth and skill development opportunities are provided through FCCLA.



Major Units of Study

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| 1. Child growth and development | 7. Clerical duties |
| 2. Programs for children preschool, school age | 8. Children with special needs |
| 3. Child guidance and discipline | 9. Leadership |
| 4. Child safety and health | 10. Employability skills |
| 5. Child nutrition | 11. Job placement |
| 6. Childcare center housekeeping and maintenance | 12. Supervisory roles |
| | 13. Communication skills |
| | 14. Childcare center standards |

Desirable Aptitudes

Students should be those who have a genuine interest in caring for children. They should have the ability to handle children and develop new skills, patience, a sense of humor and an understanding of human development and behavior. They should be willing to do work that requires a lot of energy and focus. Working with children requires dedication: children are our future.

Employment Opportunities

The demand for child care facilities is an ever-growing one. Each day more and more children are placed in the care of people outside the home. Areas of employment include child daycare centers, family daycare homes, nursery schools, child development centers, social services, babysitting services, centers for children with special needs, after-school programs, recreation programs, and self-employment.

You Can Be A Leader . . .

by participating in the National Youth Organization, Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA). This is an important educational organization for students of Family and Consumer Sciences. FCCLA chapters place major emphasis on preparation for jobs and careers with recognition that workers also fill multiple roles. Student competition is an essential part of our program through our proficiency events.

