

**Supplemental Application
For
Pre-School Teacher**

1. Do you hold a valid Child Development Teacher Permit (Children's Center Permit)? _____ Yes _____
No

At the time you file this application, you **must** meet all of the requirements listed on the "IMPORTANT NOTICE" form. Do you meet all of the requirements?

_____ Yes (If yes, **please indicate which option you believe qualifies you:** _____ (see
"Important Notice" attached); please continue with the rest of the supplemental)

_____ No (You may not be considered for this position.)

2. What do you consider to be a strong point of your own experience, work history, personal qualities, etc., that would help you perform this job capably?

3. Are you fluent in any other language besides English?

I understand that all offers of employment are subject to and contingent upon the completion of a criminal background check by the California Department of Justice. Convictions of certain crimes, including but not limited to sex and narcotics offenses and serious and violent felonies, as specified in the California Education and Penal Codes, will bar employment with the District and any contract or offer shall become null and void.

Be sure you have answered all the questions on this application form.

I verify that I have carefully read and understand the job announcement and application form for this position and that all statements that I have made are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO COMPLETE THIS SUPPLEMENTARY APPLICATION

Signature

Date

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Applicants must meet **all** of the requirements listed below to qualify for a Child Development Teacher Permit.

Authorization

Option 1 (All of (a), (b) and (c) below)

- a. Completion of twenty-four semester units of course work in early childhood education/child development including at least one course in each of the following core areas:
 - child/human growth and development;
 - child, family and community, or child and family relations;
 - programs/curriculum

 - b. Completion of 175 days of experience in an instructional capacity in a child care and development program, working at least three hours per day within the last four years.

 - c. Sixteen diversified semester units in general education (i.e., at least one course in each of the following areas: Humanities and/or Fine Arts, Social Sciences, Math and/or Science, and English/Language Arts).
- ** Either of the following may be used to partially meet the twenty-four semester units requirement:
1. A two- or three-semester unit supervised field work course, including both the field and course work components, may be used toward the required twenty-four early childhood education/child development semester units, but the same field work course may not be used to meet the experience requirement, OR
 2. Successful completion of the Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential, which may be used for nine semester units of credit toward the required twenty-four semester units. (For information about the CDA Credential contact the Council for Early Childhood Professional Recognition at 1-800-424-4310).

Option 2

Completion of an Associate degree or higher in early childhood education or child development or a related field, with a three semester unit supervised field experience in an early childhood education setting.

Option 3

Completion of equivalent training approved by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing. Equivalent training may include traditional course work taken through a regionally accredited institution of higher education and Commission-approved alternative education programs.

TERM AND RENEWAL

The Child Development Teacher Permit is issued for five years and is renewable for successive five-year periods. Renewal requires completion of 105 hours of professional growth.