

## Controlled Access

### School-Age Professional Certificate (SAPC)/Program Objective: 5373

**Prerequisite Requirements:** (must be completed prior to registration)

High School Diploma or GED

Attend Information Session

40 Hour Certification (birth-5 or School-Age) including 10 Hour S/A DAP

Currently employed in an childcare setting or Afterschool Program caring for children ages 5-12 years old.

### Early Childhood Professional Certificate (ECPC)/Program Objective: 5364

**Prerequisite Requirements:** (must be completed prior to registration)

High School Diploma or GED

Attend Information Session

40 Hour Certification including 10 Hour Preschool DAP

5-Hour Emergent Literacy

#### TABE

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**Reading: 9; English: 9; Mathematics: 9** or qualify for the test exemption

(<http://www.palmbeachstate.edu/TABEStandards.xml>) by the end of Module I. The test (9D survey) is offered on all 4 campuses. For hours of operation and cost please visit: [www.palmbeachstate.edu/testing.xml](http://www.palmbeachstate.edu/testing.xml)

Currently employed in a licensed childcare facility caring for children ages 3-5 years old.

### Caring for Children Birth to Three Years Old (FCCPC)/Program Objective: 5390

**Prerequisite Requirements:** (must be completed prior to registration)

High School Diploma or GED

Attend Information Session

40 Hour Certification or 30 Hour Family Child Care Certification

5-Hour Emergent Literacy

\*NOTE: **Students must contact the Program Coordinator to see if they qualify for a TABE exemption.** Students could be eligible for an exemption based on the following: AA degree or higher; SAT, ACT, or PERT scores testing at college level in all areas; or if they hold certain state licensures (i.e. Journeyman's license). Students will not be eligible for an exemption unless the proper documentation is on file with the Registrar's Office prior to seeking exemption.

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**Employed in a licensed childcare facility or family childcare home caring for children ages birth-3 years old.**

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