

Lee County High School

2018 ■■ Early Childhood Education 3 ■■ 2019

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Communication

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Remind Class Code: _____

Google Class Code: _____

Class Materials

- Pencils
- Highlighter
- 10 Tab Dividers
- 3 Ring Binder
- Page Protectors
- Composition Notebook
- Index Cards
- Kleenex, Clorox Wipes, Sanitizer (optional)

Class Expectations

Remember to show Trojan P.R.I.D.E.

- 1) **P**reparation- come ready to learn
- 2) **R**espect- be courteous to others
- 3) **I**ntegrity- do what's right
- 4) **D**ependability- be reliable
- 5) **E**xcellence- always do your BEST!!!

Course Information

Prerequisites: *Early Childhood Education I & II*

Early Childhood Education III is the third course in the Early Childhood Care and Education pathway and involves an internship component in which students will work with a mentor teacher in an early childhood classroom setting. The course provides in-depth study of early brain development and its implications for early learning, appropriate technology integration, and developmentally appropriate parenting and child guidance trends. Also addressed are collaborative parent/teacher/child relationships and guidance, child directed play, the changing dynamics of family culture and diversity, the causes and effects of stress on young children, and infant nutrition.

Mastery of standards through project based learning, laboratory application, technical skills practice, and leadership development activities will provide students with a competitive edge for entry into the marketplace and/or a post-secondary institution.

Consequences

1st Offense –Verbal Warning

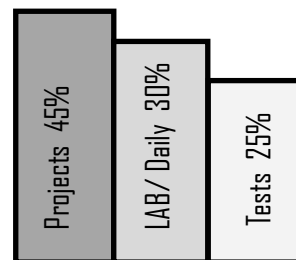
2nd Offense –Student Conference/Seat Change

3rd Offense –Parent Contact/Detention

4th Offense –Office Referral

***NOTE:** Steps may be skipped depending on severity of behavior.

Grades



Semester Exams are 20% of Final Grade. The average of the two 9 weeks will count as 80% of the final semester average.

*Semester Exams can be exempted if requirements of the handbook are met.

FCCLA

Family Career and Community Leaders of America –Membership dues \$25 **Due by:** _____

Family Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) is a National Career and Technical student organization that provides personal growth, leadership development, and career preparation opportunities for students in Family and Consumer Sciences education. Involvement in FCCLA offers members the opportunity to expand their leadership potential and develop skills for life planning, goal setting and problem solving.

Policies & Procedures

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Cell Phones

Place cell phones in assigned phone pocket chart.

I will **never touch** your cell phone.

You will not touch anyone else's phone.

You will be able to see your phone at all times.

A charging station will be available :)

At no time are you allowed to **take a picture or video of the teacher or another student** without their knowledge and consent.

Bathroom

Four bathroom passes will be given each semester.

Students are expected to use the bathroom between classes.

Emergencies will be handled on case by case basis.

Unused passes can be used for **extra credit** at the end of the semester.

Late/Missing Work

When you are absent, it is **your responsibility to find out what you missed** by asking the teacher. You have **as many days as you were out** to make up the missing work.

Late work will be accepted, but a **10% penalty** will be assessed for each day work is late, up to **30 points**.

** Teacher may use discretion to give extended time for extenuating circumstances.*

Testing/EOPA

You may retake up to **3** tests during the school year.

Request to Retest form must be completed explaining reason for request & steps taken to show improvement.

An **End of Pathway Assessment** is required and passing students will receive a graduation cord to signify their achievement.

Dress for Success

Dress for Success days will be incorporated throughout the year during LAB experiences. These experiences foster confidence & develop positive self-image, while preparing students for their future profession.

GUYS: Shirts with a collar, khakis or dress pants

GIRLS: Dresses, nice blouse & dress pants or skirt

Shoes that fasten securely to your foot should be worn on LAB days , as well as photo i.d.'s in case of any emergencies.

Code of Ethics

- ◇ Proper language and grammar must be used around children and in lab at all times.
- ◇ Refrain from discussing personal issues with or around children. Lab hours are not the appropriate time to discuss girlfriend/boyfriend/weekend matters or any other personal issues.
- ◇ Do not discuss children, their behavior, their home life, etc. to anyone outside this classroom. It is immoral, unethical, and **AGAINST THE LAW!** The exception is class structured discussions that do not use the child's name, but uses the information for learning.
- ◇ You are held to a higher standard in this educational pathway. Your behavior, actions, and choices outside the classroom are just as important as they are inside the classroom. Your morality and integrity is measured by others when you aspire to work with children. If you are not willing to consider this carefully and take the responsibility seriously, this may not be the right pathway for you.