

Emergent Literacy Micro-Credential

The Emergent Literacy Micro-Credential prepares birth through pre-kindergarten early child care personnel to identify emergent literacy needs, engage in effective instruction and progress monitoring, and support child overall outcomes for school readiness.

Program Overview

This three-part, hybrid model of online modules, instructor-supported online courses, and job-embedded practicum can be completed in 15 weeks.

Part 1: Early Childhood Online Literacy Course (instructor-supported)

Part 2: Emergent Literacy Online Modules (asynchronous)

Part 3: Job-embedded Practicum (instructor-supported)

Who is eligible?

Public or private birth through pre-kindergarten early child care personnel, including:

- Teachers
- Program directors
- Interventionists
- Instructional coaches
- Head Start personnel

Why participate?

- \$1,000 completion stipend for eligible child care personnel
- 60 in-service hours / 6.0 CEUs
- Satisfies the 40-hour reading requirement for renewal for certified Florida educators
- This is a FDOE-approved course for VPK Providers on Probation



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