

# EARLY LEARNING *at Assiniboine*

Assiniboine is offering several new accelerated Early Childhood Education and Child Care Assistant programs from 2023 to 2025, made possible by an \$11.4 million investment from the Province of Manitoba and the Government of Canada.

These programs complement our regular offerings and aim to provide access to high-quality, flexible, and personalized learning opportunities to meet the demands of learners from all backgrounds and locations.



For more information, visit  
**[assiniboine.net/ECEprograms](https://assiniboine.net/ECEprograms)**  
or scan the QR code.

**EARN WHILE  
YOU LEARN!**

## BECOME A CHILD CARE ASSISTANT

### CHILD CARE ASSISTANT

Up to four months to complete | Start anytime

📍 Online

In Manitoba, it's a requirement for Child Care Assistants (CCAs) and licensed home-based child care providers to complete a 40-hour early childhood education course within their first year of employment.

Assiniboine offers three CCA-accredited courses; Overview of Early Childhood, Curriculum Planning 1 and Health Nutrition & Safety 1.

[assiniboine.net/ccca](http://assiniboine.net/ccca)

### ACCELERATED CCA

Three-weeks  
evenings/weekends

📍 Brandon & Rural Rotating

Assiniboine offers an accelerated option for one of the CCA-accredited courses - The Overview of Early Childhood Education. This part-time offering is being delivered in-person across Manitoba and in Brandon on a monthly rotating basis.

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## EARN YOUR ECE II OR III

### EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Two-year diploma | September start

📍 Brandon & Dauphin

Gain the knowledge and skills necessary to provide quality early learning and child care to young children and lead children in activities to stimulate and develop their intellectual, physical and emotional growth and ensure their security and well-being.

### ECE ACCELERATED MENTORSHIP

18-month diploma

📍 Brandon & Rural

September & January start

Fast-track your career with our new accelerated mentorship program. Through our partnership with the organizations and communities, you have the opportunity to work as a Childcare worker to gain valuable practical experience and earn an income three days a week, while completing your studies two days a week.

[assiniboine.net/ecementorship](http://assiniboine.net/ecementorship)

### ECE ACCELERATED MENTORSHIP (ONLINE)

18-month diploma | September & January start

📍 Online

Fast-track your career and earn your ECE diploma online, while continuing to work in the field. Our accelerated program provides students the opportunity to work in an early learning centre, connect with an industry mentor, and take online instructor-led classes two days a week.

[assiniboine.net/ecementorshiponline](http://assiniboine.net/ecementorshiponline)

### ECE QUALIFICATION RECOGNITION (FOREIGN TRAINED INDIVIDUALS)

9-month diploma | September start

📍 Brandon

If you are an internationally educated professional who has a background in early learning and child care and/or a related field of study, this program provides you with the opportunity to demonstrate hands-on skills within a licensed early learning and childcare setting in Manitoba.

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### EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM MANAGEMENT (ECE III)

Program duration varies | Start anytime

📍 Online

This advanced diploma program is designed to help early childhood educators advance to leadership positions within their field. Learn the skills you need to take on a leadership role and management-level responsibilities.

[assiniboine.net/ecpm](http://assiniboine.net/ecpm)



## Stay Informed!

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