



EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Diploma in Early Childhood Education



EARLY CHILDHOOD PLAYROOM

Early Childhood Education simulation Lab in Level 9 permits students to acquire hands on practice and skills in a simulation childcare centre, in order to produce confident and competent early childhood educators. The programme is aimed to prepare the learners to meet the demands and challenges of teaching profession at nursery and preschool levels both in public and private centres.



CENTRAL Tower



ONLINE COMPUTER ROOMS

As technology continues to expand, the College offers well-equipped networked computer laboratories on the IT floor for all its IT related subjects.

The smaller labs accommodate 20 terminals at minimum while larger labs accommodate up to 42 terminals.



MULTIPURPOSE HALL

The two multi-purpose halls at Level 8 and Level 12 serve as the venue for students' club activities; large social events; for holding meetings, workshops, seminars and performances; an art gallery and an examination hall.



THEATRE ROOM

The Theatre Room 1 at Level 9 seats 38 in comfort while Theatre Room 2 at Level 11 has 30 seats. Each Theater Room is equipped with LCD projector, motorize screen, sound system, dimmer switch and power outlet at every seat.



CENTRAL FITNESS CENTRE

The College is committed to produce wholesome graduates who excel academically as well as be fit physically. The gymnasium at Level 8 gives the students an opportunity to make healthy lifestyle choices for achieving their maximum potential.

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Awarded by
SENTRAL COLLEGE PENANG

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The future lies in the hands of children. Therefore, children need educators as an inspiration and guidance for them. Early Childhood Education in Malaysia refers to education for infants, toddlers and young children. It focuses on child's socio-emotional growth, cognitive, learning and physical skills in order to prepare children for basic primary school education.

Diploma in Early Childhood Education programme is designed for those who genuinely love children and passionate about teaching and learning. Nowadays, governments, parents and the general public place a greater emphasis on trained and qualified early childhood educators. This programme equips students with knowledge, skills and competencies required in childcare and preschool settings. Preschool principals, teachers and care takers who wants to upgrade their academic qualification are encouraged to pursue this programme. We view ourselves as an active and vibrant contributor in nurturing and shaping the future generation. Our syllabus adopts a practical approach by incorporating various modes of pedagogy such as face to face, e-learning, hands-on experience and internships.

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

- Elementary English
- Academic English
- English for Communication
- English in Early Childhood Education
- Learning Skills
- Child Development
- Curriculum for Early Childhood Education
- Planning and Administration for Early Childhood Education
- Teaching and Learning Approaches in Early Childhood Programme
- Family and Community in Early Childhood Programme
- Guiding Children Behavior
- Arts and Creativity in Early Childhood Education
- Science and Mathematics in Early Childhood Education
- Teacher Professional Development in Early Childhood Education
- Observation and Assessment in Early Childhood Education
- Safety, Health and Nutrition in Early Childhood Education
- Music and Movement in Early Childhood Education
- Special Needs in Early Childhood Education
- Bahasa Melayu dalam Pendidikan Awal Kanak-Kanak
- Creative Learning Through Play
- Spiritual and Moral Education in Early Childhood Education
- Integrating Technology in Early Childhood Education
- Entrepreneurship in Early Childhood Programme
- Mandarin/Arabic Language
- Teaching Practicum (Nursery and Preschool)

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- A pass in SPM with a minimum of 3 credits in any subject or its equivalent;
- A pass in Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM) with a minimum of Grade C (GP 2.00) in any subject or its equivalent;
- A pass in Sijil Tinggi Agama Malaysia (STAM) with a minimum grade of Maqbul;
- A pass in SKM level 3 in Early Child Care/Preschool and pass SPM with a minimum of 1 credit in any subject;
- A Certificate in Early Childhood Education (ECE) or its equivalent;
- A pass in UEC (Unified Examination Certificate) with a minimum of 3 Grade B in any subjects or its equivalent;
- Any other equivalent qualifications recognised by the Malaysian Government.

MPU SUBJECTS

- Pengajian Malaysia 2
- Bahasa Kebangsaan A/ Etika Professional
- Community Service
- Fundamental of Lifelong Learning

INTAKES

- January
- April
- June
- September
- November

DURATION

- 2 Years 4 Months

STUDY PATHWAY/ CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- ECE practitioners
- Centre Owners
- Tadika/ Taska Managers
- Teacher Assistants
- Parent-Child Consultants
- ECE Policy Maker
- Child Space Designer
- Child Classroom Designer
- Children Toy Designer/ Maker
- Child Music Experts
- Child Drama Experts
- Child Behaviour Experts
- Children's Event Management
- Children's Stage Management

SENTRAL Scholarships

The scholarships awarded purely on academic merits. The students put in a form with the supporting documents to attest to their academic achievements. These scholarships are applicable for selected SENTRAL College Penang programmes.

Diploma Programmes:

SPM	Entitlement
9A's / Above	100% Tuition Fee Waiver
8A's	50% Tuition Fee Waiver
7A's	40% Tuition Fee Waiver
6A's	30% Tuition Fee Waiver
5A's	15% Tuition Fee Waiver
4A's	15% Tuition Fee Waiver

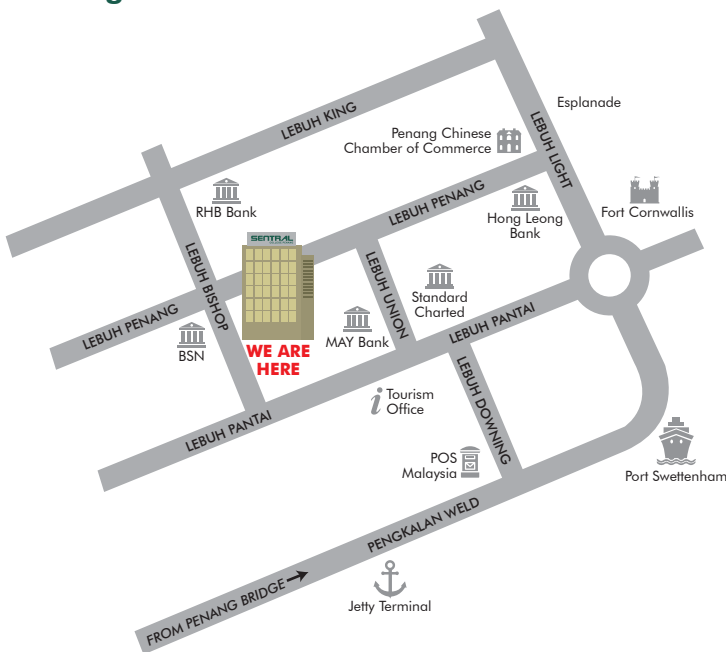
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Degree Programmes:

Diploma/ STPM	A-Levels/ UEC	Entitlement
CGPA \geq 3.50	2A's	30% Tuition Fee Waiver
CGPA \geq 3.00	1A	20% Tuition Fee Waiver

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College Location



Recognition of Distinction:



Member of Study Penang:



A College Certified by:



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Opening Hours

Monday - Friday:
9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday:
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday :
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Closed on Public Holidays*