

EXCELLENT CHILDCARE AND PRESCHOOL SERVICES AT LBCC

The Long Beach City College Child Development Centers (CDC) and Learning Labs, located at both the Liberal Arts Campus and the Pacific Coast Campus, offer half-day and full-day preschool programs for more than 300 children, ages 2-5.

Toddlers and preschoolers benefit from activities and interaction in an engaging environment that fosters positive social growth, relationships and the joy of learning.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS (CDC) & LEARNING LABS

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Fees and Handbook visit:

**[www.LBCC.edu/
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ABOUT THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS & LEARNING LABS

The Child Development Centers (CDC) and Learning Labs, serve more than 300 children with award-winning staff overseeing an engaging and fun learning environment. Highlights of the CDC include:

- Half-day and full-day preschool programs for children ages 2-5 years
- Operational hours are Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., except on holidays and during LBCC winter and fall semester breaks
- Affordable rates, with some tuitions reduced or free thanks to a California Department of Education grant for qualified families
- Nutritious lunches and snacks at no extra cost for eligible children
- Located at both the Liberal Arts Campus and the Pacific Coast Campus
- Children of LBCC students receive priority enrollment, but the Centers also serve LBCC faculty and staff, and the general community



AWARD-WINNING FACULTY WITH DECADES OF EXPERIENCE

The CDC staff specialize in early childhood education and in providing a safe, fun and engaging learning experience for children. In addition, the CDC staff have been recognized multiple times including:

- Three teachers that were nominated and selected as Early Educators of the year in 2014, 2017 and 2018 by Child360.
- A Program Director of the Year was awarded in 2016 by the National Coalition for Campus Children's Centers.
- Both the Liberal Arts and Pacific Coast CDCs also received high rankings from Quality Start Los Angeles.

Classroom teams consist of a Teacher, an Associate Teacher (in full-day programs), and Child Care Assistants. Center Managers and Teachers are required to have an active Child Development Permit from the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, and be CPR and First Aid certified. All CDC staff are required to meet all state immunization requirements and are expected to complete a minimum of 21 hours of professional growth and development training every calendar year.

The CDCs are operated in partnership with LBCC's Child Development Department, and follow best practices for early childhood education based on years of professional experience, as well as the latest research and technology. Besides licensed professionals, the staff at the Centers also includes dedicated student teachers specializing in early childhood education.

SPECIAL MONTHLY ACTIVITIES FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY!

LBCC CDCs hold monthly special events for children, families and students including a Children's Art Exhibition, Music Festivals, a Mini Grand Prix Trike-a-Thon, a Week of the Young Child Celebration, Celebrating Campus Children's Centers Week, and more.

Educational workshops are held monthly for parents, families and students. Study topics include Positive Guidance, Temperament, Ages & Stages, Kindergarten Readiness, and more. These workshops are always free of charge.

