



2025-2026 Directory of Early Childhood Programs at 4-Year Colleges in MISSOURI

## Central Methodist University

College Website: [www.centralmethodist.edu](http://www.centralmethodist.edu)

NAEYC accredited: No

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### Early Childhood Education Degree Programs:

<https://centralmethodist.edu/academics/undergraduate/early-childhood-education/>

#### Bachelor of Science in Education – Early Childhood Education

120 hours (38 hours in general education; 25 hours Professional Education, 48 hours Early Childhood Certification Birth to Grade 3) Student Teaching

#### Bachelor of Science in Child Development – Early Childhood Emphasis

120 hours (45-46 hours general education, 36 hours Child Development Major including 8 hours Early Childhood Emphasis, electives)

#### Bachelor of Science, Educational Studies – Non-certified Program

120 hours (40 hours general education, 34 hours Educational Studies Major – Elementary/Early Childhood/Special Education, electives)

#### Bachelor of Science in Education – Mild-Moderate Disabilities K-12

120 min hours (23 hours Professional Education, 55 hours Special Ed certification, 37 hours general education)

### Useful Links:

Admissions: [www.centralmethodist.edu/admissions](http://www.centralmethodist.edu/admissions)

Tuition/Fees: [www.centralmethodist.edu/admissions/business-office/tuition-and-fees](http://www.centralmethodist.edu/admissions/business-office/tuition-and-fees)

Online Degree Programs: [www.centramethodist.edu/academics/online](http://www.centramethodist.edu/academics/online)

Satellite Campuses: [www.centralmethodist.edu/locations](http://www.centralmethodist.edu/locations)

Colleges/Universities with transfer agreements: [www.centralmethodist.edu/academics/provost/partnership-articulation.html](http://www.centralmethodist.edu/academics/provost/partnership-articulation.html)

*The purpose of this directory is to assist Missouri child care educators in selecting a college and degree path that best fits their needs. This information is provided to the best of our knowledge from the college's website and staff. TEACH Missouri is not a college affiliated program. TEACH Missouri is a scholarship for early childhood educators employed in Missouri child care programs.*

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