



Course Overview

Participants will learn about the foundations of Early Intervention in this module.

Many people believe that early intervention is a key aspect of helping special education students thrive in the classroom. This course features high-level descriptions of each part of Early Intervention. You will learn about IFSP's and the evaluation and assessment process. You will also explore parents' rights and procedural safeguards, which will help you to understand Early Intervention and how it affects a student's life.

Goals & Purpose: This course focuses on early intervention services and how to best implement them within your school.

Session 1 – Introduction

This session serves as an introduction to the course.

Session 2 – What Are Early Intervention Services?

This session features a high-level description of the purpose of Early Intervention Services as well as information about where an IFSP occurs under IDEA and the various types of services provided for families and children.

Session 3 – Best Practices

This session contains information about the role of the Early Intervention Service Coordinator and learn to be knowledgeable about the best practices regarding early intervention.

Session 4 – Course Wrap-Up and Certificate

This session is a conclusion to the course.

Throughout the course, opportunities are provided for you to connect your learning across sessions and to explicitly consider the implications of your learning for your classroom practice. You will also be able to revisit your work and reflections by viewing your individual Course Portfolios.