

General Application Form

To complete this form, you must download and save a blank copy to your computer. Close your Internet browser and open the saved copy from your computer files. Now you may print off a hard copy or enter your information electronically.

Please go to college-ece.ca/application_guide to read important information about completing this form.

Section 1: Confirmation of Applicant's Understanding

Confirm your member understanding by putting a check mark ✓ by each of the 3 statements below.

- ☐ I confirm that all the information contained in this General Application Form and related documents is true.
- ☐ I acknowledge that any false or misleading statement, representation or declaration in or in connection with this application, may be cause for refusal of registration or disciplinary action.
- ☐ By checking this box and typing/printing my name I confirm my understanding and agreement to the terms of this Application Form.

Applicant's full name

Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Section 2: Previous Applications

a) Have you previously applied for registration with the College of Early Childhood Educators?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide the following information:

- Application reference number:
- First and last name you applied under:

b) Are you a former member of the College whose Certificate of Registration was revoked?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide your registration number:

Section 3: Application Package

All applicants must submit the following items in their application package to the College:

- a) Signed and completed Application Form
- b) Payment

Any application package missing one or more of the above items will not be processed by the College and will be returned. See college-ece.ca/application_guide for details.

Applicants: See college-ece.ca/application_guide for how to submit any additional supporting documents directly to the College.

Section 4: Application and Registration Fees

Please note the different application fees below.

Please check the description below and the corresponding fee (in Canadian dollars) that applies to you:

- ☐ I have never been registered with the College – **Fee due is \$260** (\$85 application fee + \$175 registration fee)
- ☐ I am a former member who is re-applying to the College and the current status of my Certificate of Registration is cancelled / resigned / expired – **Fee due is \$260** (\$85 application fee + \$175 registration fee)
- ☐ I am a former member who is re-applying to the College and the current status of my Certificate of Registration is revoked – **Fee due is \$270** (\$95 application fee + \$175 registration fee)

Please check the method of payment being submitted:

- ☐ Cheque / money order / bank draft made out to the College of Early Childhood Educators

Cheque / money order / bank draft #

Amount C\$

- ☐ Visa ☐ Visa Debit ☐ MasterCard

- ☐ By checking this box and typing/printing my name I authorize the College to charge the credit card below in the amount of C\$.*

Cardholder's name: (please print as it appears on the credit card):

Card number:

Exp. date (mm/yy):

CVV (Card Verification Value) number:

*The application fee and the registration fee will appear as two separate transactions on your credit card statement.

Section 5: Personal Information (See the college-ece.ca/application_guide_details)

Last name

First name

Middle name(s)

Common first name (as it will appear on the College's public register)

Last name at birth (if different from above)

First name at birth (if different from above)

Former last name (if changed)

Former first name (if changed)

Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)

Home Street address

Unit #

R.R.

P.O. Box

City

Province/Territory/State

Postal Code

Country

Home telephone number (include area code)

Mobile telephone number (include area code)

Preferred e-mail address (please include an e-mail address that is accessed only by you in order to receive communications from the College):

Section 5: Personal Information cont'd

Are you currently: ☐ Employed ☐ Unemployed

If you checked the box to indicate you are employed, please provide the following:

a. Place of employment

Business name

Business address:

Unit #

R.R.

P.O. Box

City

Province/Territory/State

Postal Code

Country

b. Business telephone number (include area code)

c. Business fax number (include area code)

Communications from the College

Preferred mailing address for communications from the College

☐ Home address ☐ Business address

Preferred language of communication from the College: ☐ English ☐ French

Personal Identification

Please submit a copy of a government-issued ID as proof of your identity.

Documents must be in English or French and must include:

- Your full name and
- Your date of birth

For more information about supporting documents please see [college-ece.ca/application guide](https://college-ece.ca/application-guide)

***The College cannot accept health cards as identification.**

Document submitted:

For statistical purposes only

I identify as a: ☐ Woman ☐ Man ☐ If neither term applies to you, please check this box

Optional: I self-identify as:

☐ Indigenous heritage (First Nations, Inuit, Métis) ☐ Francophone

☐ Francophone and Indigenous heritage (First Nations, Inuit, Métis)

Please indicate if you are: ☐ A recipient of the [ECE Grant Program](#)
☐ A graduate of a Child Development Practitioner (apprenticeship) program
☐ Neither of the above

Section 6: Educational Requirement (see college-ece.ca/application_guide)

Complete the one section below that applies to you. If none applies, consult the college-ece.ca/application_guide for instructions on how to apply for Individual Assessment.

a) If you graduated from an Early Childhood Education diploma program offered by an Ontario College of Applied Arts and Technology (OCAAT), then fill out the following:

- Educational institution
- Year graduated
- Transcript ordered on (dd/mm/yyyy)
- Name your transcript will appear under
- Student number

b) If you graduated from an education program approved by the College (see college-ece.ca/application_guide), then fill out the following:

- Educational institution name
City Province/Territory
- Program name
- Year graduated
- Transcript ordered on (dd/mm/yyyy)
- Name your transcript will appear under
- Student number

c) If you are an applicant who holds a licence or certificate of registration granted by a regulatory authority and you are applying under the [Agreement on Internal Trade \(AIT\)](https://www.ait.ca/), see the college-ece.ca/application_guide and then fill out the following:

- Province or Territory
- Name of the Licence or Certificate
- Date issued (dd/mm/yyyy)
- Licence number Exp. date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yy)
- Most recent employer in province/territory of current registration

If you obtained a diploma or degree in Canada then fill out the following:

Educational institution name and address (include city and province):	Name of diploma program or degree (indicate major):	Year graduated:
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All applicants must meet language fluency requirements. To learn more, please visit <https://www.college-ece.ca/applicants/section-7-language-fluency/>

Section 7: Professional Registration (Licensure)

You must answer ALL of the questions in this section.

1. Are you currently registered/licensed, or have you ever been registered/licensed by another regulatory/licensing organization in any profession in any jurisdiction?

☐

Yes

☐

No

If you answered “yes” to the above, you are required to arrange for a [Proof of Professional Standing Form](#) to be sent from the regulatory organization to the College and provide the following information. See [college-ece.ca/application_guide](#) for further details on the additional steps required.

Name of the profession(s)

Name of regulatory/ licensing organization

Province/Territory/State

Country

Dates of registration

Date you requested the Proof of Professional Standing Form
from the regulatory/licensing organization (dd/mm/yyyy)

If you are or were registered or licensed in more than one jurisdiction or profession, see [college-ece.ca/application_guide](#) for how to provide more details.

2. Have you ever been refused registration or membership by another regulatory/licensing body?

☐

Yes

☐

No

If you answered “yes” to the above, see [college-ece.ca/application_guide](#) for further details on the additional steps required and fill out the following.

Name of the profession(s)

Name of regulatory/ licensing organization

Province/Territory/State

Country

Dates applicable

Section 8: Issues Potentially Affecting Practice

You must answer ALL of the questions in this section.

1. Have you ever resigned your membership or registration with a regulatory/licensing organization while you were the subject of a complaint, investigation or proceeding with respect to professional misconduct, incompetence or incapacity in the practice of early childhood education or any other profession (in any jurisdiction)?
☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Have you ever been found guilty of professional misconduct, incompetence or incapacity in the practice of early childhood education or any other profession (in any jurisdiction)?
☐ Yes ☐ No
3. To your knowledge, are you currently being investigated for professional misconduct, incompetence or incapacity, in the practice of early childhood education or any other profession (in any jurisdiction)?
☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Have you ever been charged and/or found guilty of an offence under the [Controlled Drugs and Substances Act](#) (Canada) or the [Food and Drugs Act](#) (Canada)?
☐ Yes ☐ No
5. Have you ever been charged and/or found guilty of a criminal offence in Canada or in any jurisdiction outside of Canada?
☐ Yes ☐ No
6. Do you have a mental condition or disorder that may affect your ability to practise the profession **safely**?
☐ Yes ☐ No
7. Have you ever been charged with misconduct, including academic misconduct, that resulted in disciplinary actions by the Dean's office (or any equivalent or higher administrative office) while you attended a post-secondary institution?
☐ Yes ☐ No

Section 8: Issues Potentially Affecting Practice cont'd

You must answer ALL of the questions in this section.

8. Has a Children's Aid Society or equivalent authority in any jurisdiction ever **verified allegations or concerns** made against you?

☐ Yes ☐ No

9. Have you ever had a Director's Approval for you to work in the role of an ECE or as a supervisor in an ECE setting **removed**?

☐ Yes ☐ No

10. Have you ever had a letter of permission to work in a full-day kindergarten program in the role of an ECE **removed**?

☐ Yes ☐ No

11. Do you currently hold, or have you ever held a licence to operate a child care centre under the [Day Nurseries Act](#) or the [Child Care and Early Years Act](#)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered "Yes" to question 11, answer the following:

- a. Have you ever been found guilty of an offence under the [Day Nurseries Act](#) or the [Child Care and Early Years Act](#) or are you currently being investigated for an offence under either of those Acts?

☐ Yes ☐ No

- b. Has a Director appointed under the [Day Nurseries Act](#) or the [Child Care and Early Years Act](#) ever revoked or refused to renew your child care centre licence?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered "Yes" to any of the questions in Section 8, see college-ece.ca/application_guide for instructions on providing more detailed information and attach additional documents.

Section 9: Acknowledgement

Please acknowledge by putting a check mark ✓ beside each of the 5 statements below.

- a) I understand that I must hold a Certificate of Registration in good standing with the College of Early Childhood Educators (the College) in order to practise as an early childhood educator in Ontario.

☐ Yes

- b) I understand that I cannot use the protected titles or designations “early childhood educator” (ECE) or “registered early childhood educator” (RECE) or their French equivalents unless I hold a Certificate of Registration in good standing with the College.

☐ Yes

- c) I understand that the College may require additional information (including supporting documents) in connection with this Application Form.

☐ Yes

- d) I understand that if there are any changes to the information provided on this Application Form, including my contact information, I am required to notify the College within 30 days of that change using the [Change of Information Form](#).

☐ Yes

I confirm that I have read and agreed with all of the above conditions and verify all information in this Application Form is authentic and true.

☐ Yes

Review and Finalize Your Application

Please review this form and ensure it is complete and true before submitting it with supporting documents (if appropriate). See instructions at college-ece.ca/application_guide.