

## Flagler Child Care GNJ and Training Committee

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### Notice of Child Care Development Specialist Apprenticeship Opportunities

The Flagler Child Care GNJ and Training Committee are accepting applications for the Child Care Development Specialist Apprenticeship program daily, Monday through Friday. Applicants can apply in person at 5400 E. Highway 100, Palm Coast, FL 32164, between the hours of 9:00 am to 3:30 pm or apply online by visiting [www.flaglertech.edu/programs/apprenticeship-programs](http://www.flaglertech.edu/programs/apprenticeship-programs)

**Program Sponsor:** Flagler Child Care GNJ

**Related Technical Instruction (RTI):** Flagler Technical College

**Program Description:** The Early Childhood Education program prepares students to earn a Florida Department of Education Child Care Development Specialist. Instruction includes, learning activities provided in a laboratory setting using hands-on experiences with the equipment and materials appropriate to program content. Activities provide instruction in the use of manipulative equipment, language development, creative art, music, science, and drama play, developmentally appropriate practices, brain research, classroom management and Child Development Associate (CDA) competencies. Completion meets the requirements for the Florida Staff Credential mandated by the Department of Children and Families. Through an articulation agreement with Daytona State College, students who complete this program will be given the opportunity to receive nine (9) college credits toward an associate degree in Early Childhood Education.

**Apprenticeship Trade:** Child Care Development Specialist

**Number of Openings:** As Needed

**Locations:** Flagler Technical College, Palm Coast, FL  
The Living Cornerstone TLC Kids Care, Port Orange, FL  
Imagination Station Too, Daytona Beach, FL

**Jurisdictional Area:** Clay, Flagler, Putnam, St. John's, Volusia Counties

**Length:** Two Years - 300 Hours, Related Technical Instruction (RTI)  
4000 Hours, On the Job Training (OJT)

**Start Dates:** August, January

**Start Times:** Evenings, 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm; one night per week

**To meet minimum qualifications for apprenticeship, applicants must:**

- Complete an application form [FTC Application for Enrollment](#)
- Age: Must be at least (18) years of age
- Provide High School or GED Diploma/Official Transcripts
- Valid Driver's License/State issued Picture ID
- Provide a copy of your Social Security Card
- Must be in good health and physically able to perform all phases of the work
- Two letters of Recommendation
- Florida Department of Children and Families (DCF) Transcript
- Veterans are required to provide a copy of their DD-214 to verify military training and/or experience
- Job Verification - Employed full-time at a participating employer (Sponsor) or request an employer be added

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Applicants who meet all basic requirements will be interviewed. Interviewers will consider: reliability, interest in the trade, attitude judgment, cooperativeness adaptability, as well as other desirable personal traits. Apprentices will be selected in order of their final ranking. These rankings are the results from the interviews.

Flagler Technical College (FTC) and Flagler Child Care GNJ assures the residents of Flagler County and the surrounding areas equal access to the opportunity to develop the knowledge and skill-set necessary for workforce preparedness. FTC prohibits all forms of unlawful discrimination against students and persons applying for admission to a program. The term “unlawful discrimination” encompasses any unlawful policy, practice, conduct, or other unlawful denial of rights, benefits, or privileges that is based on any legally protected status or classification under applicable federal, state, or local law including but not limited to race (including anti-Semitism), color, religion, sex (sexual orientation, gender identity), gender, age, marital status, pregnancy, disability, political or religious beliefs, national or ethnic origin, or genetic information. The sponsor will take affirmative action to provide equal opportunity in apprenticeship and will operate the apprenticeship program as required under applicable law and lawful regulations issued thereunder.

Additional information may be obtained through our website: [www.flaglertech.edu](http://www.flaglertech.edu)