

Diploma in Pre-School Education (DPSE)

Duration: 1 Year (2 Semesters)

Mode: Theory + Practical + Internship

Suitable For: Pre-school Teachers, Early Childhood Educators, Childcare Practitioners

□ Semester – I (6 Months)

Core Subjects

Paper Code	Subject Name
DPSE101	Foundations of Early Childhood Education
DPSE102	Child Growth & Development (0–6 Years)
DPSE103	Early Learning Pedagogy & Teaching Methods
DPSE104	Health, Nutrition & Hygiene for Young Children
DPSE105	Child Psychology & Behavioral Management
DPSE106	Classroom Organization, Play-Based Learning
DPSE107	Practical – Observation, Teaching Practice

Semester I – Course Details

1. Foundations of Early Childhood Education

– Importance of preschool education, principles, characteristics of ECCE.

2. Child Growth & Development (0–6 Years)

– Physical, emotional, social, language, and cognitive milestones.

3. Early Learning Pedagogy

– Montessori method, play-way method, activity-based learning.

4. Health, Nutrition & Hygiene

– Child nutrition, hygiene habits, disease prevention.

5. Child Psychology

– Understanding child behavior, emotional regulation, motivation.

6. Classroom Organization & Play Learning

– Learning centers, toys/materials, activity planning, storytelling.

7. Practical Work

– Journal writing, child observation, initial teaching sessions.

Semester – II (6 Months)

Core Subjects

Paper Code	Subject Name
DPSE201	Curriculum Planning for Pre-School Education
DPSE202	Teaching Aids, Creativity & Art Integration
DPSE203	Inclusive Education & Special Needs Support
DPSE204	Language Development, Rhymes & Literacy Skills
DPSE205	Pre-Math Concepts & Cognitive Skill Development
DPSE206	School Readiness, Parent Interaction & Counseling
DPSE207	Internship / Teaching Practice / Project Work

Semester II – Course Details

1. Curriculum Planning

– Weekly & monthly planning, syllabus structure, learning outcomes.

2. Teaching Aids & Creativity

– Charts, puppets, flashcards, art projects, craft materials.

3. Inclusive Education

– Support for special needs children, early identification.

4. Language Development

– Phonics, vocabulary building, rhymes, storytelling techniques.

5. Pre-Math Concepts

– Counting, sequencing, shapes, patterns, logic games.

6. Parent Interaction & School Readiness

– Orientation, counseling, transition activities, emotional preparation.

7. Internship / Teaching Practice

– 45–60 days training

– Lesson plans, demo classes, project submission