

**CLUSTER UNIVERSITY SRINAGAR**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND EDUCATION-I (SEC)**  
**SEMESTER-I** **YEAR 2022**  
**CREDIT SCORE (02)**

**OBJECTIVES:** The paper will enable the learner:

- To understand the need and importance of ECCE
- To understand the objectives of ECCE
- To understand the process of human development
- To achieve the skill of working in Anganwadis or Play Schools

**Unit 1: EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND EDUCATION (ECCE)**

- Meaning of Early Childhood Care and Education
- Objectives of ECCE and activities to achieve the objectives
- Need and Importance of ECCE.

**UNIT 2: DEVELOPMENT OF THE CHILDHOOD**

- Concept of Growth and Development
- Social and Personal development
- Emotional and Motor development

**Note:- Visit to Anganwadi centres /playschools and submission of report over various activities conducted there shall be mandatory for Internal Assessment.**

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