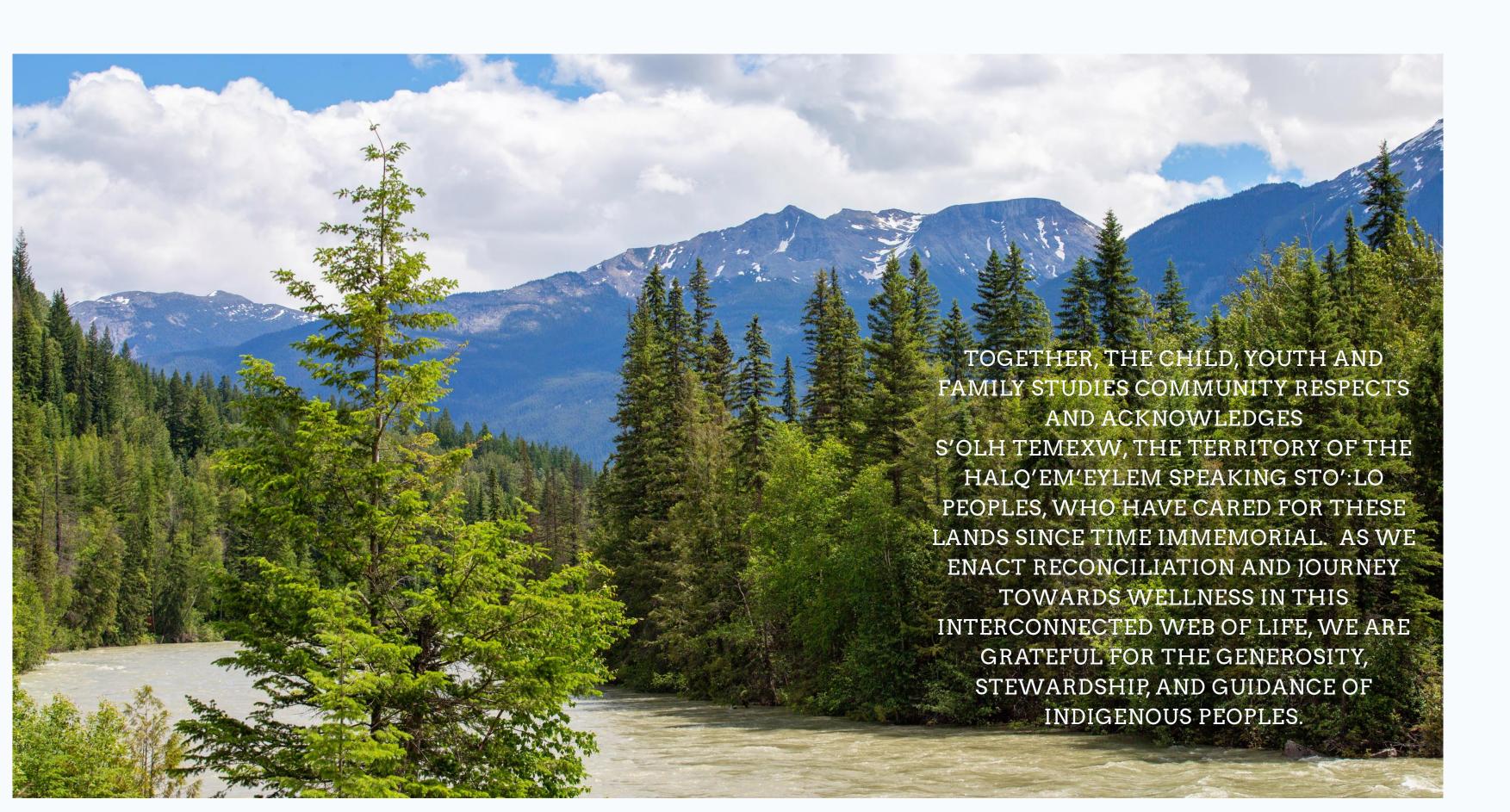


## Territory Acknowledgement



## Presentation Outline

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## Overview of CYFS

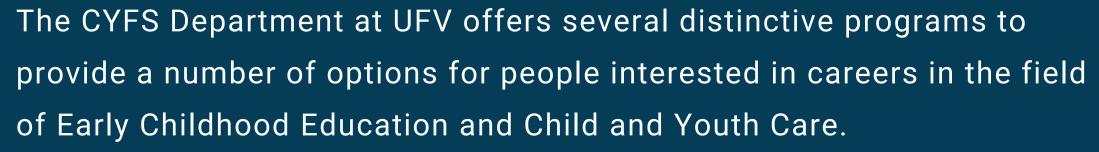
**ECE** Certificate

ECE Diploma in Special Needs

ECE Diploma in Infancy

CYC BA degree

Certificate in Extended Studies in Child Protection Graduate Certificate in Child Life and Community Health







## SHARED COMMON VISION FOR CYC PRACTICE

# The CYC degree program & specific course learning outcomes

LEARNING TOGETHER

## Bachelor of Arts Degree

CHILD AND YOUTH CARE

A 120-credit program

You can enter at 1st year. You will need to complete 2 English/CMNS courses within your first year of course work.

If you have previous university course work, you can enter into the appropriate year based on your previous relevant university credits.

You may ladder into the CYC program with a certificate or diploma in an approved human services field.



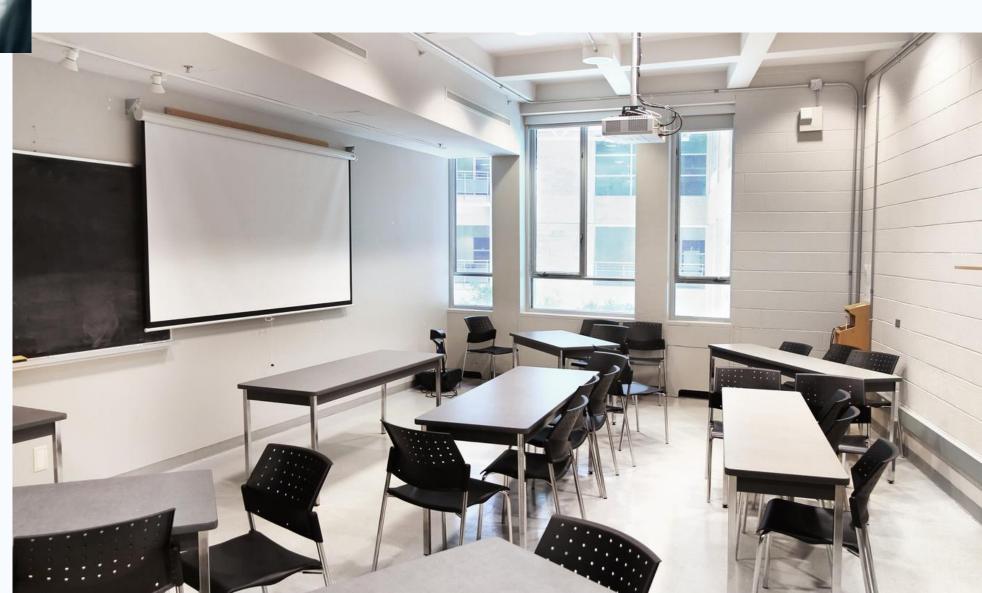
#### PROGRAM DETAILS

The CYC program was initially designed to meet the needs of students who are already working in the field.

https://www.ufv.ca/child-youth-family-studies/programs/child-and-youth-care-bachelor-of-arts/

## HOW COURSES ARE SCHEDULED

Core courses are offered in the evenings, specifically 4pm - 7pm and 7pm - 10pm, generally Mondays to Thursdays, though some are offered on Saturdays too



#### COURSE DELIVERY MODEL

The individual course instructional methods may vary



OLO

Online Only. No meeting times (asynchronous)

HYB

Blended; A mix of in-person and on-line instruction

OLM

Online with Scheduled

Meeting times (synchronous)

**TRADITIONAL** 

In-person instruction

## Program Outline

#### CYC CORE (REQUIRED) COURSES YOU NEED TO COMPLETE THE PROGRAM

CYC100 Human Development for CYC

CYC101 Introduction to Professional Child & Youth Care

CYC120 Human Development II for CYC

CYC125 Introduction to Activity-Based Child & Youth Practice

CYC167 Introduction to Working with Individuals in CYC



CYC310 A & B Supervised Practicum
CYC320 Relational Case Planning in CYC
CYC325 Research Methods in Child& Youth Care\*
CYC330 Trauma-Informed Practice in CYC
CYC340 Developmental Theory in CYC Practice
CYC367 Advanced Skills with Individuals in CYC
CYC368 Advanced Skills with Groups in CYC

CYC402 Community & Interdisciplinary Relations

CYC202 Indigenous Perspectives in Child & Youth Care Practice
CYC203 Perspectives on Mental Health and Substance Misuse
CYC210 Professional Practice Issues in Child & Youth Care
CYC220 Theoretical Foundations for Child & Youth Care
CYC275 Wellness and Mindfulness-Based Practices
CYC280 Introduction to Policy, Politics & Practice in CYC

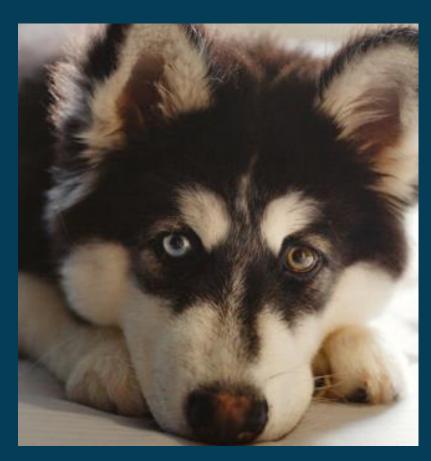
CYC296 Inclusive Child & Youth Care Practice

CYC168 Social Constructs of Families & Groups

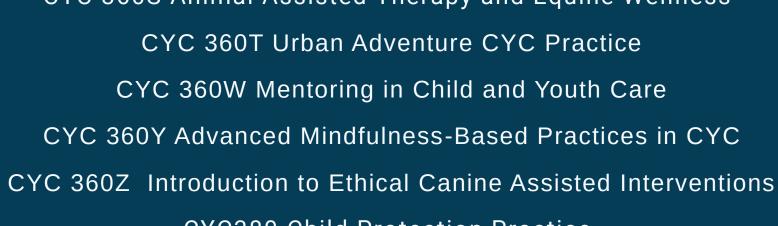


CYC410 A & B Advanced Supervised Practicum
CYC425 Data Analysis in CYC\*
CYC469 Advanced Skills with Families in CYC
CYC485 Understanding Diverse Populations in CYC
CYC499 Capstone for Child & Youth Care Professionals

## There are a number of CYC specialty courses you can take as electives







CYC380 Child Protection Practice
CYC 395 Developing Healthy Relationships
CYC 462 Transitions: Working with Grief and Loss
CYC 470 Play/Expressive Therapies





#### PRACTICUM REQUIREMENTS

It should be noted that while most courses are in the evening, two practicum courses (CYC 310 and CYC 410) are part of the curriculum, and have very different expectations for hours.

While there is much flexibility in the times required for practicum, students are to prepare for working on practicum sites during the day primarily or in combination with evenings or weekends, depending on the needs of the site.

You need to be available and flexible in your schedule when you sign up for practicum.

## Important to note...

MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR PRACTICUM!
A SIGNIFICANT PART OF YOUR
LEARNING IN THIS PROGRAM IS THE FIELD EXPERIENCE YOU RECEIVE.

## CRIMINAL RECORD CHECK

In all cases, a Criminal Record Check (CRC) will be required prior to placement at the site.

Apply for your Criminal Records Check in 2nd year so there is no delay in your placement in 3rd year.

CRCs last 5 years.

HTTPS://JUSTICE.GOV.BC.CA/CRIMINALRECORDCHECK

## 3RD YEAR PLACEMENT

3rd year is a "stretching" practicum, you will be placed in a different setting, or with a different population or age group than you have experienced in the past. You can expect to at your placement approximately 8-10 hours per week for 2 semesters.

## 4TH YEAR PLACEMENT

In 4th year, expect this to be a "career-focused" practicum experience, done over 2 semesters or as a block, depending on the requirements of the setting.

#### START PLANNING

### attendance

THE BA CYC IS A PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM AND STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND ALL CLASSES. BECAUSE OF THE INTERACTIVE, COLLABORATIVE AND EXPERIENTIAL NATURE OF ALL COURSES, TIMELY AND REGULAR ATTENDANCE IS INTEGRAL TO SUCCESS IN OUR PROGRAM. MISSING CLASSES IS NOT A SIMPLE MATTER OF "GETTING THE NOTES" FROM THE MISSED DAY. WE HAVE THE SAME EXPECTATIONS ABOUT PUNCTUALITY AND ATTENDANCE AS EMPLOYERS HAVE OF THEIR CYC PRACTITIONERS.

## Tuition

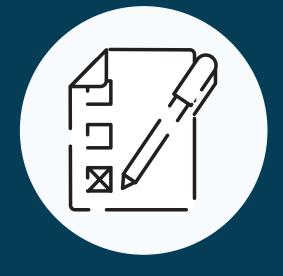
HTTPS://WWW.UFV.CA/CHILD-YOUTH-FAMILY-STUDIES/FEES-COSTS/

TUITION & FEES PER 3-CREDIT COURSE \$517.17

YOU WILL NEED TO PAY A \$200 REFUNDABLE TUITION DEPOSIT TO REGISTER FOR COURSES



Application fee \$50.68



Applying for a program change \$22.52



Criminal Record Check



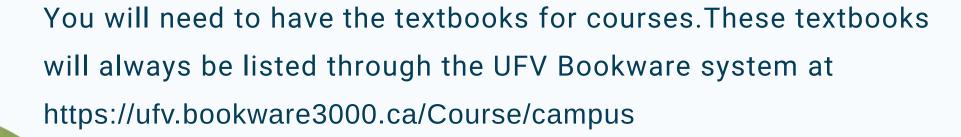
Transportation



Parking



BOOKS TO HELP YOU GROW AS A PROFESSIONAL



Texts range from \$50 to \$200 per course. Please note that the bookstore does not always order enough copies of each text, so you may need to make other arrangements to access these texts.

Some instructors will require Course Packs or will provide articles for assigned readings on Blackboard Learn our online learning system

## Technology requirements

It is essential that students have access to reliable and current technologies in order to complete assignments, research, and importantly, to communicate with faculty and classmates... these past two years this has been more important than ever!



## Other program considerations

#### **WELLNESS**

To obtain future employment
in this field, you will need to
be able to demonstrate
suitable physical and
emotional health. This is
confidential matter between
UFV and you, and no
information disclosed will be
shared outside of UFV
without your consent

#### COMMUNICATION

Coursework frequently
requires small group work
and public speaking.
Coursework involves dealing
with interpersonal
communication, resolving
conflict and negotiating work
amid diverse opinions and
learning styles in mature and
productive ways.

#### **FOCUS & STAMINA**

Class times may range from 2 to 3 hours in length, and you may have 2 classes in one evening, back-to-back.

This requires the ability to stay mentally focused and have the necessary physical stamina.

#### COLLABORATION

You will be expected to be open, willing to give and receive feedback, critically evaluate your own performance, and make yourself available for group work and study outside of scheduled hours.

Course content involves sensitive topics such as trauma, physical or sexual abuse. family issues, and addictive patterns of behaviour.

#### HOW TO APPLY

Applications open October 1st www.ufv.ca/apply

1

Confirm you meet the entrance requirements

2

Apply to UFV

3

Submit additional documents required for your program



## CYC entrance requirements

- 1. Academic entrance requirements
- 2. Attend an orientation (held in March)
- 3. Letter of intent
- 4. Transcript(s)
- 5. Questionnaire
- 6. Resume
- 7. Two reference letters (volunteer or work)





## WHAT HAPPENS AFTER YOU APPLY?

#### CHECK YOUR APPLICATION STATUS

Log into UFV's application portal and view your application status.

You will receive an important email to your personal email address. It contains your UFV ID, and instructions for logging into UFV's application portal.

#### **ADMITTED**

If you are admitted, you will receive an official letter of acceptance. Remember, your acceptance may be conditional. A conditional acceptance means you're still finishing up your entrance requirements.

## What happens next?

#### WE ACCEPT APPLICATIONS UNTIL MARCH 31ST

Those who have complete application packages (that is all the documents requested are received and prerequisite courses taken) are considered

Faculty committee decisions in April

New students are advised in early May

You will receive an official letter of acceptance if you are accepted into your program. Your acceptance may be conditional, you will be given a timeline to provide proof of completion (ex. Currently enrolled high school students will normally have a timeline of August 3 for Fall semester).



#### RESOURCES



Questions?

Please contact the CYFS Department at

cyfsinfo@ufv.ca
604-854-4580

#### **ADVISING**

Schedule an appointment with your advisor, Shannon Draney at least once per year.

www.ufv.ca/advising/

#### STUDENT SERVICES

www.ufv.ca/studentservices/

#### OTHER SERVICES

www.ufv.ca/services/

#### OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

www.ufv.ca/registrar/

#### PROGRAM PLANNING GUIDE

View the Program Planning
Guide for the ECE certificate:
<a href="https://www.ufv.ca/advising/program-planning/ba-child-youth-care/">https://www.ufv.ca/advising/program-planning/ba-child-youth-care/</a>

## FUTURE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Students and alumni access job opportunities on the online job board here:

www.ufv.ca/jobs/experientiallearning/