

# CHILDCARE

## Childcare and Support Services Management

Family and Consumer Sciences Cooperative Education is designed for students interested in pursuing careers in occupations in the field family and consumer sciences. Classroom instruction focuses on providing students with workplace skills, post -secondary education opportunities related to the job /career pathway, developing and maintaining positive workplace relationships, planning for the future, legal protection and responsibility, professional organizations, and advancing skills related to the job. Classroom and worksite instruction is based on the duties of the FCS occupation. Students are released from school for their paid cooperative education work experience, participate in 200 minutes per week of related classroom instruction, and supervised on -the-job by a qualified instructor ½ hour or more per week per student. A qualified, certified FCS instructor is responsible for supervision.

### Program Profile

<b>School:</b>	School of Education and Training
<b>Industry Certifications/Credentials Available:</b>	Childcare Development Associate-CDA
<b>Career and Technical Student Organization:</b>	Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America-FCCLA
<b>Advisory Board Members:</b>	Paterson Public Schools, Greater Bergen Community Action