



**CREDENTIAL**  
Ontario College  
Graduate Certificate

**PROGRAM CODE**  
Fall, Winter, Spring:  
0632

**AREA OF INTEREST**  
Community Services

**LOCATION**  
Distance Education

**DURATION**  
Up to 3 years

## Overview

The Autism and Behavioural Sciences program will provide you with theory and hands-on experience to work with the principles and practices of Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA); specifically, in the application of ABA to Intensive Behavioural Intervention (IBI) with children with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD).

The curriculum covers the range of evidence-based practices in autism treatment, the characteristics of ASD as well as child development and augmentative communication systems.



## Top Highlights

- Program includes 350 hours of placement to enhance your learning experience
- Develop an understanding of Intensive Behavioural Intervention and Applied Behaviour Analysis



## Employment Opportunities

As a graduate of the Autism and Behavioural Sciences program you will be qualified to work in autism services, children's services, education as well as in the private sector.



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# Autism and Behavioural Sciences

## Admission Requirements

- A degree or diploma from an accredited university or college in the field of social services, community services, or health services program.

## Mandatory Fieldwork/Placement Requirements

- Prior to starting your Field Placement, you **MUST HAVE** all your critical placement document requirements, including your Placement Planning Form (PPF) submitted 3 months before you intend on starting placement.
- Visit [confederationcollege.ca/program/autism-and-behavioural-sciences/information](https://confederationcollege.ca/program/autism-and-behavioural-sciences/information) for a full list of requirements.

## PLEASE NOTE:

- Placements are arranged the semester prior to attending
- Placements must be completed in Ontario.
- If you are not able to secure an appropriate placement in your home community, you will have to travel to a community that you are able to secure an appropriate placement.
- Placement agencies must run IBI/ABA programming.
- Students will research agencies in their area, approach the selected agencies and provide the College with placement contact information for a minimum of three potential agencies by the required deadline date.

## First Semester

OL 445	Introduction to Applied Behaviour Analysis
OL 477	Working with Families & Teams
OL 493	Ethics and Professionalism
OL 497	Introduction to Autism Spectrum Disorder
OL 678	Specialized Instructor Strategies

## Second Semester

AU 505	Field Placement I
AU 514	Field Placement II
OL 495	Treating Challenging Behaviour
OL 676	Behavioural Skills Building
OL 677	Parent & Staff Training
OL 679	Transition Planning and Implementation



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