



(Logo Description: University of Utah - College of Education Department of Special Education)

Student Grant Support!

\$29,000 over two years for tuition and related costs for your degree!

*Next Admissions for funding are due by **March 1, 2024** – Start your application today!*

Project IPEP - **I**nterdisciplinary **P**reparation of **E**arly Childhood **P**rofessionals for Mental Health Promotion, Prevention, and Intervention (IPEP)

Are you interested in becoming an **Early Childhood Special Education Teacher** and working in Early Childhood Special Education or Early Intervention (Birth-3 Home Visiting) settings?

- Students must be working toward a **Master's Degree** in Special Education and initial licensure in Early Childhood Special Education.
- The grant, **Project IPEP**, provides **\$14,500 per year** in stipends and travel support for two years - **total of \$29,000!!**
- Graduate students might be eligible for a tuition waiver in addition to the stipend (Fall and Spring Semesters - 50% max and varies by year and number of benefits available/not guaranteed).

Exciting opportunities! Gain specialized knowledge in:

- Interprofessional collaboration through coordinated coursework and special internship opportunities with social workers (specialized coordinated practicum in year two during spring break)
- Infant mental health, early social emotional development, and how to support families and young children with or at risk of disabilities
- Evidence-based practices for supporting the early development and education of young children receiving services in early intervention and early childhood education settings
- Competencies in leadership and systems change in early childhood education
- Etc.!



(Picture Descriptions: 1. Two children and teacher interacting in classroom, 2. Parent and child hugging, 3. Parents and a child playing, 4. Preschool class with teacher and students at circle time.)

APPLICATIONS & PROGRAM INFORMATION (Apply today!)

Project IPEP: <https://special-ed.utah.edu/grants/ipep.php>

EI/ECSE Program: <https://special-ed.utah.edu/graduate/graduate-preschool.php>

Admissions Processes: <https://special-ed.utah.edu/prospective/graduate-application-info.php>

INFORMATION

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DEADLINES

March 1, 2024 at
4pm for Summer
and Fall Semester