



ELTE

FACULTY OF EDUCATION
AND PSYCHOLOGY

DOCTORAL SCHOOL OF
EDUCATION

Early Childhood Education program

This PhD program aims to provide an overview of the most recent scientific knowledge on development and education in early childhood. Another important goal is to provide necessary methodological knowledge about current trends, approaches, methods, and practical issues to study the cognitive, social and emotional skills and abilities of children between 0 and 12 years.

The doctoral program prepares scholars capable of innovative interdisciplinary research in early childhood development and education and leaders in child-related social practice and policy.

In the PhD program, students work closely with their supervisors and other faculty members. Coursework includes cognitive development and education in early childhood; social and emotional development and education in early childhood; creativity and giftedness in early childhood; play and its importance in early childhood; assessment and evaluation in early childhood; childhood and media.