## Early Childhood Education (2-0) 2

Early childhood concept, early childhood and preschool education in Turkey and the world, the definition of pre-school education, its principles, importance and benefits, basic views on preschool education and historical development of preschool education, the present state of pre-school education in the world and in Turkey, basic characteristics and requirement of pre-school child, characteristics of preschool teacher, types of preschool education institutions (kindergarten, nursery school etc.), physical, social and educational environment characteristics of preschool education institution, role and importance of family in preschool education period.

## **Course Material:**

Okul Öncesi Eğitime Giriş, Ed. Gelengül Haktanır, Anı Yayıncılık, Ankara, 2012.

## **Supplementary Materials:**

□ Okul Öncesi Eğitime Giriş, Gülden Uyanık Balat, Pegem A Yayıncılık, Ankara, 2010.

🗆 Erken Çocukluk Eğitimi, İbrahim H. Diken, Pegem A Yayıncılık, Ankara, 2010.

□ MEB Okul Öncesi Eğitimi Genel Müdürlüğü 36-72 Aylık Çocuklar için Okul Öncesi Eğitim Programı, Devlet Kitapları Müdürlüğü, Ankara, 2006.