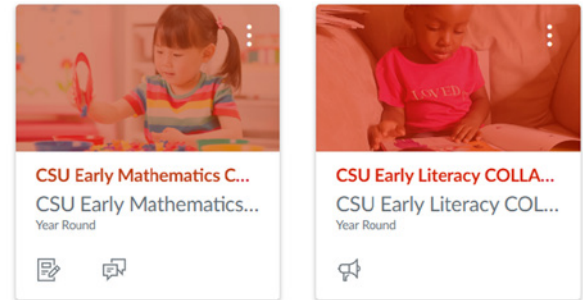


CSU Early Literacy & Mathematics COLLAB Modules

Open Source in the CANVAS COMMONS

The COLLAB is an inclusive and collaborative group of Californian Early Childhood Education, Child Development, and content (literacy and mathematics) faculty who developed curriculum modules to promote best practices for all children (linguistically, developmentally, and culturally) and empower early childhood educators. The COLLAB co-constructed modules are aligned with California's new literacy and mathematics standards for PK-3 ECE Educators and the Teaching Performance Expectations (TPE). The modules may serve as a resource for Early Childhood Education, Child Development, and Education program faculty to address California's new Standards 7 and 8 (*PK-3 ECE Specialist Instruction Credential Handbook*)



1 Go to the [CSU Educator and Leadership Programs Accessible Curriculum](http://elp.calstate.edu) (elp.calstate.edu) website or go directly to Canvas Commons (lor.instructure.com) or the California State University Campus Consortium. If you are in Canvas, look at the sidebar and click on the Commons Button.

2 Here is the [direct link](#) if you are logged in.

3 Login or create a free login at the Canvas Commons.

4 Search for the module. Try putting "CSU Early Literacy or Mathematics" in the field, and the course should pop up!

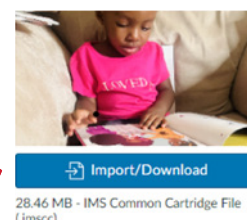
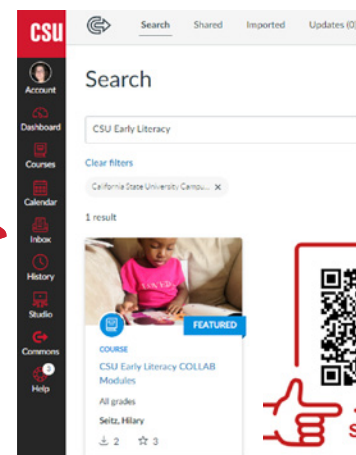
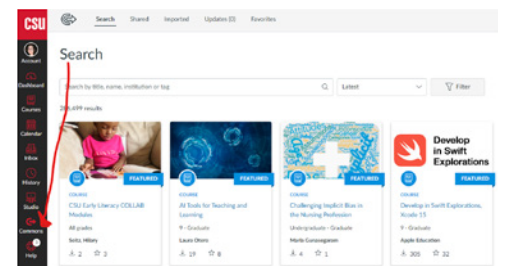
5 Click on the course.

6 Scroll through the OVERVIEW first.

- *Read First for accessibility*
- *Overview of Modules*
- *PK-3 ECE Teaching Performance Expectations (TPE) Alignment Chart*

7 Import/Download the course.

- *Import into an existing course*
- *Download to your computer (you will have to search for individual files/pages)*





Tips for Instructors



Click the Star ★ on the course so you can easily find it.



If you try the search and the course does not appear, check your filters from a prior search.



Preview the entire course before importing the course.



If importing the course to a Canvas Shell, you may want to request a “sandbox” or other empty course shell to play with the materials.



If importing to an existing course shell with content, it may override the material.



Check with your campus Canvas support team for campus-specific issues.



Canvas has many resources available to instructors including video tutorials. The [Canvas Instructor](#) is a good website for tips.



The following are some other sites to learn more about Canvas:

- [Calstate LA Canvas Guides and 1st Time User Resources](#)
- [CSU Fullerton Resource Center](#)
- CSU Sacramento: [Resource webpage and Canvas course for faculty](#)
- [Canvas Instructor Guides](#)
- CA Community Colleges [Canvas ‘bite-sized’ modules](#) (focusing on Canvas features)

For more information about Early Childhood Education COLLAB, please visit our website:

[CSU Educator and Leadership Programs: Accessible Curriculum](#)

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