

**TABLE 4.4 ONTARIO PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION AND DEVELOPMENT**

	Teachers	Early Childhood Educators
Professional Recognition	Ontario Teacher's Certificate from the Ontario College of Teachers. <sup>a</sup>	Certificate of Registration with the College of Early Childhood Educators (CECE) of Ontario. <sup>b</sup>
Professional Development	Professional development is offered through school boards. <sup>c</sup>	Registered Early Childhood Educators must annually fulfill the requirements of the Continuous Professional Learning Program through the College of Early Childhood Educators. <sup>d</sup>

<sup>a</sup>. Ontario College of Teachers. *Requirements*. Retrieved from: <https://www.oct.ca/becoming-a-teacher/requirements>

<sup>b</sup>. College of Early Childhood Educators. *Who is Required to be a Member?* Retrieved from: <https://www.college-ece.ca/about-us/>

<sup>c</sup>. Ontario College of Teachers. *Professional Learning Framework for the Teaching Profession*. Retrieved from: [https://www.oct.ca/-/media/PDF/Professional%20Learning%20Framework/framework\\_e.pdf](https://www.oct.ca/-/media/PDF/Professional%20Learning%20Framework/framework_e.pdf)

<sup>d</sup>. College of Early Childhood Educators. *Code of Ethics and Standards of Practice: For Registered Early Childhood Educators in Ontario*. (June 2017). Retrieved from: [https://www.college-ece.ca/en/Documents/Code\\_and\\_Standards\\_2017.pdf](https://www.college-ece.ca/en/Documents/Code_and_Standards_2017.pdf)

