A graduate degree in Childhood Studies at Rutgers University—Camden equips practitioners and scholars with the skills and knowledge to understand and address the challenges confronting children and youth throughout the world. In coursework and research projects, M.A. and Ph.D. students work closely with nationally and internationally renowned faculty to develop expertise relevant to their interests and concerns.

Some of the opportunities availed to graduate students include:

- Gaining rigorous training in research methods and data analysis
- Participating in research projects
- Earning a Certificate in Data Science

Students often work across programs on campus in areas such as Health Sciences, Psychology, Public Policy and Criminal Justice.

Childhood Studies graduates have gone on to careers in Youth Services, Counseling, Research, Academics, Education and Policy.

Data Science Certificate

Students may enroll in courses to earn the Data Science Certificate. These courses include:

- Quantitative Methods Research Design
- Survey Design
- Categorical and Limited Dependent Variables
- Time Series and Forecasting, among others

“I really enjoyed the exposure to the multidisciplinary reading/classes which opened my mind to the way different disciplines look at issues.” Neeta Goel, PhD (Childhood Studies 2016), The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, India