

Early Childhood Education, A.A.S.

24-25 catalog

Full-time with summer course schedule

Description: This program is for students who desire an education to prepare for a career in early childhood education. A counselor should be consulted if the student plans to transfer to a four-year institution.

Students in this program will be required to provide proof of an iCHAT (criminal background check), Central Registry Clearance, and a current TB test. Observation requirements are subject to change based on State or employer demands and will be communicated in a timely manner.

Completion Time: 2 Years

This is suggested course sequencing. Please see a counselor or advisor for individual adjustments.

Year 1				Year 2			
Fall Semester				Fall Semester			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Success Skills for the 21st Century	GNST 100	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Emergency Health Care	AHEA 100	1 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	CDA: The Credentialing Process	ECDV 101	2 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Infant/Toddler Curriculum	ECDV 131	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Freshman English I	ENGL 100	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Preschool Curriculum	ECDV 135	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	General Psychology	PSYC 120	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adversity, Trauma, and Resiliency in Childhood	ECDV 161	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>				<input type="checkbox"/>	Guiding Children's Behavior	ECDV 162	3 Cr.
Spring Semester				Spring Session			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Development: Infants & Toddlers	ECDV 110	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Administration of Early Childhood Programs	ECDV 150	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Development: Preschool/ School Age	ECDV 120	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Children with Special Needs	ECDV 160	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Children's Literature	ENGL 235	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lab Science Requirement		4 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mathematics Requirement		4 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Elective		3 Cr.
Summer Session				Summer Session			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Communications Requirement		3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Humanities Requirement (not ENGL)		3-4 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	American Political System	POLI 240	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Elective(s)	<i>if needed to get to 60 credit hours</i>	
Total Credits: 60							

Academic Advising: You should meet with an academic counselor prior to registering for classes.

Note: Prerequisite courses may apply to this program. A minimum of 60 unduplicated credits (100 level or higher) are required for all associate degree programs.

Full-time course schedule

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Completion Time: 2 Years

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Year 1		Year 2	
Fall Semester		Fall Semester	
<input type="checkbox"/> Success Skills for the 21st Century	GNST 100 3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Emergency Health Care</i>	AHEA 100 1 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/> CDA: The Credentialing Process	ECDV 101 2 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Infant/Toddler Curriculum	ECDV 131 3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Freshman English I</i>	ENGL 100 3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Preschool Curriculum	ECDV 135 3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Children's Literature	ENGL 235 3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Adversity, Trauma, and Resiliency in Childhood	ECDV 161 3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/> General Psychology	PSYC 120 3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Guiding Children's Behavior	ECDV 162 3 Cr.
		<input type="checkbox"/> Humanities Requirement (not ENGL)	3-4 Cr.
Spring Semester		Spring Session	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Communications Requirement</i>	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Administration of Early Childhood Programs	ECDV 150 3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Development: Infants & Toddlers	ECDV 110 3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> Children with Special Needs	ECDV 160 3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Development: Preschool/School Age	ECDV 120 3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lab Science Requirement</i>	4 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Mathematics Requirement</i>	4 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Elective</i>	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>American Political System</i>	POLI 240 3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Elective(s)</i>	<i>if needed to get to 60 credit hours</i>
Courses in italics may be taken in the summer term.		Total Credits: 60	

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Half-time course schedule

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Completion Time: 4.5 Years

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Year 1

Fall Semester

- Success Skills for the 21st Century GNST 100 3 Cr.
- General Psychology PSYC 120 3 Cr.
- CDA: The Credentialing Process ECDV 101 2 Cr.

Spring Semester

- Child Development: Infants & Toddlers ECDV 110 3 Cr.
- Child Development: Preschool/School Age ECDV 120 3 Cr.

Year 2

Fall Semester

- Infant/Toddler Curriculum ECDV 131 3 Cr.
- Preschool Curriculum ECDV 135 3 Cr.

Spring Semester

- Administration of Early Childhood Programs ECDV 150 3 Cr.
- Children with Special Needs ECDV 160 3 Cr.

Year 3

Fall Semester

- Adversity, Trauma, and Resiliency in Childhood ECDV 161 3 Cr.
- Guiding Children's Behavior ECDV 162 3 Cr.

Spring Semester

- Freshman English I* ENGL 100 3 Cr.
- Mathematics Requirement* 4 Cr.

Year 4

Fall Semester

- Emergency Health Care* AHEA 100 1 Cr.
- Communications Requirement* 3 Cr.
- American Political System* POLI 240 3 Cr.

Spring Semester

- Lab Science Requirement* 3 Cr.
- Children's Literature* ENGL 235 3 Cr.

Year 5

Fall Semester

- Humanities Requirement (not ENGL)* 3-4 Cr.
- Elective* 3 Cr.
- Elective(s)* if needed to get to 60 credit hours

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Courses in italics may be taken in the summer term.

Total Credits: 60

Full-time spring start course schedule

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Completion Time: 2 Years

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Year 1				Year 2			
Spring Semester				Spring Semester			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Success Skills for the 21st Century	GNST 100	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Development: Infants & Toddlers	ECDV 110	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Freshman English I	ENGL 100	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Development: Preschool/School Age	ECDV 120	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	General Psychology	PSYC 120	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Children's Literature	ENGL 235	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Communications Requirement		3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mathematics Requirement		4 Cr.
Fall Semester				Fall Session			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Emergency Health Care	AHEA 100	1 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Infant/Toddler Curriculum	ECDV 131	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	CDA: The Credentialing Process	ECDV 101	2 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Preschool Curriculum	ECDV 135	3 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Adversity, Trauma, and Resiliency in Childhood	ECDV 161	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Humanities Requirement (not ENGL)		3-4 Cr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Guiding Children's Behavior	ECDV 162	3 Cr.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Elective(s)	<i>if needed to get to 60 credit hours</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	American Political System	POLI 240	3 Cr.				
				Year 3			
				Spring Session			
				<input type="checkbox"/>	Administration of Early Childhood Programs	ECDV 150	3 Cr.
				<input type="checkbox"/>	Children with Special Needs	ECDV 160	3 Cr.
				<input type="checkbox"/>	Lab Science Requirement		4 Cr.
				<input type="checkbox"/>	Elective		3 Cr.
Total Credits: 60							

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