

Early Childhood Education, A.A.S.

25-26 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

Fall Semester

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

Spring Semester

- ☐ Child Development: Infants & Toddlers ECDV 110 3 Cr.
- ☐ Child Development: Preschool/ School Age ECDV 120 3 Cr.
- ☐ Children's Literature ENGL 235 3 Cr.
- ☐ Mathematics Requirement 4 Cr.

Summer Session

- ☐ Communications Requirement 3 Cr.
- ☐ Humanities Requirement (not ENGL) 3-4 Cr.

Year 2

Fall Semester

- ☐ Emergency Health Care AHEA 100 1 Cr.
- ☐ Infant/Toddler Curriculum ECDV 131 3 Cr.
- ☐ Preschool Curriculum ECDV 135 3 Cr.
- ☐ Adversity, Trauma, and Resiliency in Childhood ECDV 161 3 Cr.
- ☐ Guiding Children's Behavior ECDV 162 3 Cr.

Spring Session

- ☐ Administration of Early Childhood Programs ECDV 150 3 Cr.
- ☐ Children with Special Needs ECDV 160 3 Cr.
- ☐ Lab Science Requirement 4 Cr.
- ☐ American Political System POLI 240 3 Cr.

Summer Session

- ☐ Elective(s) *if needed to get to 60 credit hours*

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.

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Year 1

Fall Semester

- ☐ Success Skills for the 21st Century GNST 100 3 Cr.
- ☐ CDA: The Credentialing Process ECDV 101 2 Cr.
- ☐ *Freshman English I* ENGL 100 3 Cr.
- ☐ Children's Literature ENGL 235 3 Cr.
- ☐ General Psychology PSYC 120 3 Cr.

Spring Semester

- ☐ *Communications Requirement* 3 Cr.
- ☐ Child Development: Infants & Toddlers ECDV 110 3 Cr.
- ☐ Child Development: Preschool/ School Age ECDV 120 3 Cr.
- ☐ *Mathematics Requirement* 4 Cr.
- ☐ *American Political System* POLI 240 3 Cr.

Year 2

Fall Semester

- ☐ *Emergency Health Care* AHEA 100 1 Cr.
- ☐ Infant/Toddler Curriculum ECDV 131 3 Cr.
- ☐ Preschool Curriculum ECDV 135 3 Cr.
- ☐ Adversity, Trauma, and Resiliency in Childhood ECDV 161 3 Cr.
- ☐ Guiding Children's Behavior ECDV 162 3 Cr.
- ☐ Humanities Requirement (not ENGL) 3-4 Cr.

Spring Session

- ☐ Administration of Early Childhood Programs ECDV 150 3 Cr.
- ☐ Children with Special Needs ECDV 160 3 Cr.
- ☐ *Lab Science Requirement* 4 Cr.
- ☐ *Elective* 3 Cr.
- ☐ *Elective(s)* if needed to get to 60 credit hours

Courses in italics may be taken in the summer term.

Total Credits: 60

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

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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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Total Credits: 60

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Full-time spring start course schedule

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Completion Time: 2 Years

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Year 1

Spring Semester

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Success Skills for the 21st Century | GNST 100 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Freshman English I | ENGL 100 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Psychology | PSYC 120 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications Requirement | | 3 Cr. |

Fall Semester

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Health Care | AHEA 100 | 1 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CDA: The Credentialing Process | ECDV 101 | 2 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adversity, Trauma, and Resiliency in Childhood | ECDV 161 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Guiding Children's Behavior | ECDV 162 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Political System | POLI 240 | 3 Cr. |

Year 2

Spring Semester

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Development: Infants & Toddlers | ECDV 110 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Development: Preschool/ School Age | ECDV 120 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children's Literature | ENGL 235 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics Requirement | | 4 Cr. |

Fall Session

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Infant/Toddler Curriculum | ECDV 131 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Preschool Curriculum | ECDV 135 | 3 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Humanities Requirement (not ENGL) | | 3-4 Cr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elective(s) | <i>if needed to get to 60 credit hours</i> | |

Year 3

Spring Session

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| <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. |

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