EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION - AAS 20803

Course	Requirement Field	Credits	Notes
Fall - 1st Semester			
* ECE 100 Foundations of Early Childhood Ed.	Curriculum Requirement	3	Offered Fall Only
* ECE 105 Health, Safety & Nutrition	Curriculum Requirement	3	Offered Fall Only
ECE 281 Children's Literature	GE - Humanities	3	Offered Fall and spring
English 100 or English 101	GE - English	3	Placement required
Electives (100 or above)	Electives	6	
NOTE: All ECE courses with a * are required to complete the Early Childhood Education Certificate of Proficiency. The certificate is necessary to complete the AAS Degree in Early Childhood Education.			
Total Hours		**18**	

Course	Requirement Field	Credits	Notes
Spring - 2nd Semester			
* ECE 102 Early Childhood Curriculum	Curriculum Requirement	3	Offered Spring Only
* ECE 110 Infant/Toddler Development	Curriculum Requirement	3	Offered Spring Only
* ECE 120 Guiding Child Behavior	Curriculum Requirement	3	Offered Spring Only
* ECE 210 Home, School, and Community	Curriculum Requirement	3	Offered Spring Only
ECE 171 Child Growth and Development	GE - Social Sciences	3	Offered Fall and Spring
Elective (100 or above)		3	
Total Hours		**18**	

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Fall - 3rd Semester			
* ECE 220 Intro to Early Childhood Special Education	Curriculum Requirement	3	Offered Fall only
CMP 101 Introduction to Computers **OR** CMP103 Computer Based System	GE – Computer Literacy	3	Offered Fall and Spring
EDU 230 Cultural Diversity in Education	Recommended Elective	3	Offered Fall only
Electives (100 or above)		7	
Total Hours		**16**	

Course	Requirement Field	Credits	Notes
Spring - 4th Semester			
* ECE 150 Practicum: Field Experience	Curriculum	2	Offered Fall/Spring
	General Education	3	Must come from approved list
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Electives (100 or above)	Electives	7	
Total Hours		**15**	

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Total Curriculum Requirements	23
Total General Education	18
Total Elective	23

Notes: The foregoing is a recommended, or suggested, sequence of courses. Of course, if a student enters the program in the spring, or transfers credit in, the above would have to be modified.

Placement testing is waived for Summer and Fall 2020.

Check the **General Education** section in the **Catalog** for choices open to students in this part of their curriculum. Suggested elective courses include Communications, Languages, and Math. Be sure to check the catalog for other changes as they occur

This degree dictates specific courses that must be taken as part to meet the General Education requirements. Consult your catalog. **All courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better--Be sure to check the catalog for other changes and requirements.**