



Program Planning Guide

Early Childhood Education/Career Track, Associate in Applied Science Degree (A55220C)

Program Length: 5 Semesters

Program Sites: Lee Main Campus - Day with some evening classes available; Distance Education - select courses available

Career Pathway Options: Associate in Applied Science Degree in Early Childhood Education/Career Track

| Suggested Course Schedule | | Class | Lab | Work | Credits | Notes: |
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| 1st Semester (fall) | | | | | | |
| ACA 122 | College Transfer | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | |
| EDU 119 | Intro to Early Child Education | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | |
| EDU 131 | Child, Family, and Community | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 144 | Child Development I | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| ENG 111 | Writing & Inquiry | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| | Total Semester Hours | 13 | 2 | 0 | 14 | |
| 2nd Semester (spring) | | | | | | |
| EDU 145 | Child Development II | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 146 | Child Guidance | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 151 | Creative Activities | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 153 | Health, Safety & Nutrition | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| Mathematics/Natural Science Requirement | | 2/3 | 2 | 0 | 3/4 | |
| | Total Semester Hours | 14/15 | 0 | 0 | 15/16 | |
| 3rd Semester (summer) | | | | | | |
| EDU 221 | Children with Exceptionalities | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| Humanities Elective | | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| | Total Semester Hours | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | |
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| 4th Semester (fall) | | | | | | |
| Communications Elective | | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 234 | Infants, Toddlers, and Twos | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 252 | Math & Science Activities | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 271 | Educational Technology | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | |
| Social/Behavioral Science Elective | | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| Total Semester Hours | | 14 | 4 | 0 | 15 | |
| 5th Semester (spring) | | | | | | |
| EDU 259 | Curriculum Planning | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 280 | Literacy Experiences | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| EDU 284 | Early Child Capstone Prac | 1 | 9 | 0 | 4 | |
| Early Childhood Electives (take 2 courses) | | | | | 5 | |
| Total Semester Hours | | | | | 15 | |
| Total Semester Hours Credit Required for Graduation: 65 | | | | | | |
| <p>Mathematics/Natural Science; select one:</p> <p>AST 111/111A Descriptive Astronomy with Lab AST 151/151A General Astronomy with Lab BIO 110 Principles of Biology BIO 111 General Biology CHM 151 General Chemistry I GEL 111 Introductory Geology MAT 110 Math Measurement & Literacy MAT 143 Quantitative Literacy PHY 110/110A Conceptual Physics with Lab PHY 121 Applied Physics I</p> | | | | <p>Early Childhood Electives; select two:</p> <p>EDU 158 Healthy Lifestyles-Youth EDU 163 Classroom Management & Instruction EDU 216 Foundations of Education EDU 235 School-Age Develop & Programs EDU 261 Early Childhood Admin I EDU 262 Early Childhood Admin II EDU 263 School-Age Program Admin EDU 281 Instruc Strat/Read & Writing</p> | | |