

**A.A.S. IN  
EARLY CHILDHOOD  
EDUCATION  
(TRANSFER PATH)**



**2022-23**

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**(A55220)** The Early Childhood Education curriculum prepares individuals to work with children from birth through eight in diverse learning environments. Students will combine learned theories with practice in actual settings with young children under the supervision of qualified teachers. Course work includes child growth and development; physical/nutritional needs of children; care and guidance of children; and communication skills with families and children. Students will foster the cognitive/ language, physical/motor, social/emotional, and creative development of young children. Graduates are prepared to plan and implement developmentally appropriate programs in early childhood settings. Employment opportunities include child development and child care programs, preschools, public and private schools, recreational centers, Head Start Programs, and school-age programs.

Students may be required to take one or more Developmental courses as a result of pre-enrollment placement tests; therefore, the student may need more than the minimum number of contact hours listed for graduation.

Admissions Criteria: (1) Completed College Application Form; (2) Evidence of High School Graduation or GED; (3) Evidence of current TB test (within first month of enrollment); (4) Before enrolling in an Internship/Capstone class a Criminal Background Check must be obtained.

<b>Fall Semester 1</b>			<b>Lecture</b>	<b>Lab</b>	<b>Credit</b>
ACA	111	College Student Success OR	1	0	1
ACA	122	College Transfer Success	0	2	1
ENG	111	Writing & Inquiry	3	0	3
SOC	210	Introduction to Sociology	3	0	3
EDU	119	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	4	0	4
EDU	144	Child Development I	3	0	3
EDU	151	Creative Activities	3	0	3
EDU	153	Health Safety & Nutrition	3	0	3
			<b>Total</b>		<b>20</b>

<b>Spring Semester 1</b>			<b>Lecture</b>	<b>Lab</b>	<b>Credit</b>
COM	231	Public Speaking	3	0	3
MAT	110	Math Measurement & Literacy OR	2	2	3
MAT	143	Quantitative Literacy	2	2	3
EDU	131	Child, Family & Community	3	0	3
EDU	145	Child Development II	3	0	3
EDU	146	Child Guidance	3	0	3
EDU	221	Children with Exceptionalities	3	0	3
			<b>Total</b>		<b>18</b>

<b>Fall Semester 2</b>			<b>Lecture</b>	<b>Lab</b>	<b>Credit</b>
ENG	112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines OR		3	0 3
ENG	114	Professional Research & Reporting	3	0	3
BIO	110	Principles of Biology OR	3	3	4
BIO	111	General Biology	3	3	4
*Humanities Gen Ed Requirement			3	0	3
EDU	234	Infant, Toddlers & Twos	3	0	3
<b>Choose One Group</b>					
(1)EDU	216	Foundations of Education	3	0	3
(1)EDU	250	Teacher Licensure Preparation <b>OR</b>	3	0	3
(2)EDU	261	Early Childhood Admin I	3	0	3
(2)EDU	262	Early Childhood Admin II	3	0	3
			<b>Total</b>		<b>19</b>

<b>Spring Semester 2</b>			<b>Lecture</b>	<b>Lab</b>	<b>Credit</b>
CHM	151	General Chemistry I	3	3	4
PSY	150	General Psychology	3	0	3
EDU	280	Language & Literacy Experience	3	0	3
EDU	284	Early Child Capstone Practicum	1	9	4
EDU	222	Learners With Behavior Disorders OR	3	0	3
EDU	259	Curriculum Planning	3	0	3
			<b>Total</b>		<b>17</b>

**TOTAL HOURS**            **74**