

A.A.S. IN SCHOOL AGE EDUCATION



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(A55440) This curriculum prepares individuals to work with children in elementary through middle grades in diverse learning environments. Students will combine learned theories with practice in actual settings with school-age children under the supervision of qualified teachers.

Course work includes child growth/development; computer technology in education; physical/nutritional needs of school-age children; care and guidance of school-age children; and communication skills with families and children. Students will foster the cognitive/language, physical/motor, social/emotional, and creative development of school-age populations.

Graduates are prepared to plan and implement developmentally appropriate programs in school-aged environments. Employment opportunities include school-age teachers in child care programs, before/after-school programs, paraprofessional positions in public/private schools, recreational centers, and other programs that work with school-age populations.

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 same as for Early Childhood Education.

Fall Semester 1			Lecture	Lab	Credit
ACA	111	College Student Success OR	1	0	1
ACA	122	College Transfer Success	0	2	1
ENG	111	Writing & Inquiry	3	0	3
EDU	144	Child Development I	3	0	3
EDU	118	Principles and Practices of Inst Asst OR		3	0
EDU	216	Foundations of Education	3	0	3
EDU	131	Child, Family & Community	3	0	3
EDU	163	Classroom Management & Instruction	3	0	3
			Total		16

Spring Semester 1			Lecture	Lab	Credit
MAT	110	Math Measurement & Literacy OR	2	2	3
MAT	143	Quantitative Literacy	2	2	3
COM	231	Public Speaking	3	0	3
EDU	145	Child Development II	3	0	3
EDU	146	Child Guidance	3	0	3
EDU	271	Educational Technology	2	2	3
EDU	281	Instructional Strategies in Reading & Writing	2	2	3
			Total		18

Fall Semester 2			Lecture	Lab	Credit
PSY	150	General Psychology	3	0	3
EDU	153	Health, Safety & Nutrition	3	0	3
EDU	235	School Age Development & Programs	3	0	3
EDU	187	Teaching and Learning for All	3	3	4
*Humanities Gen Ed Requirement (ART, DRA, HUM, MUS, PHI or REL)			3	0	3
			Total		16

Spring Semester 2			Lecture	Lab	Credit
EDU	221	Children with Exceptionalities	3	0	3
EDU	252	Math & Science Activities	3	0	3
EDU	243	Learning Theory	3	0	3
EDU	285	Internship Experiences-School Age	1	9	4
EDU	222	Learners w/Behavior Disorders	3	0	3
EDU	289	Advanced Issues/School Age	2	0	2
			Total		18

TOTAL HOURS **68**

*Please see the section titled "General Education Requirements for A.A.S programs" at the end of the Program of Study section for specific courses that fulfill these requirements.