



ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

2021-22 Catalog

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The catalog in force is assigned to students based on the academic year they first applied to the college, and changes only when students change their major or request the change in writing. Refer to Policy No. 3357:15-13-28.

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Arts and Sciences Division

Education and Social Sciences Department

TECHNICAL Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
EDU123	Health, Safety, and Nutrition (5 O.H.)	2	EDU121, EDU130, or EDU131	
EDU124	Infant Toddler Curriculum ⁺⁺ (5 O.H.)	3	EDU131	
EDU131	Child Development ^{^++} (10 O.H.)	3	ENG011 or Proficiency	
EDU132	Observation, Assessment, and Group Management ^{^++} (10 O.H.)	3	ENG011 or Proficiency	
EDU221	Language Arts ⁺⁺ ▲- (5 O.H.)	3	EDU122 or EDU124	
EDU223	Community and Family-based Programs ⁺⁺ (5 O.H.)	3	EDU121 or EDU130	
EDU235	Inclusive Classrooms for Young Children ⁺⁺ (5 O.H.)	3	EDU225	
EDU227	Early Childhood Education Practicum & Seminar ⁺⁺ (210 Hours)	3	(EDU124 or EDU232) and EDU132 and EDU221 and EDU235	
EARLY CHILDHOOD PATHWAY: Choose Infant/Toddler or Preschool				
Infant/Toddler				
EDU127	Infant and Toddler Group Care ⁺⁺ ▲+ (5 O.H.)	3	EDU131	
EDU128	Responsive Infant and Toddler Environments ⁺⁺ ▲- (5 O.H.)	3	EDU131	
EDU129	Relationship Development for Infants and Toddlers ⁺⁺ ▲+ (5 O.H.)	3	Pre-Co-EDU127	
Preschool				
EDU122	Curriculum Design and Instruction ⁺⁺ ▲+ (10 O.H.)	3	EDU131	
EDU232	Literature Across the Curriculum ⁺⁺ ▲- (5 O.H.)	3	EDU122	
EDU126 or EDU224 or EDU228	Educational Technology or Early Childhood Program Administration or Phonics for Young Children	3 or 3 or 3	EDU121 or EDU130 or EDU221	
Total		32		

^Based on SSC placement scores.

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++Minimum grade of "C" required.

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NON-TECH Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
SSC101	Student Success Seminar ^{^^}	1	<i>Take first semester</i>	
PSY121	General Psychology [^]	3	IDS102 or Proficiency	
SOC225	Cultural Diversity ⁺⁺	3		
PHL122	Ethics	3		
ENG124	College Composition [^]	3	Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011 or Proficiency	
MTH118 or MTH124	Quantitative Reasoning [^] or Statistics ^{^Ω}	3 or 3	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>	
COM121	Effective Speaking	3		
EDU121	Introduction to Early Childhood Education ^{^++} (30 O.H.)	3	ENG011 or Proficiency	
EDU225	The Exceptional Child ⁺⁺	3	EDU121, EDU130, or EDU131	
EDU229	Educational Psychology	3	EDU130 or EDU131	
	<i>Select one (1) Natural Sciences (with lab) Electives from the list below¹</i>	4	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>	
	Total	32		
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	64		

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¹Natural Science elective: BIO126, BIO127, CHM100, GEO141, PHY105

²Infant/Toddler Pathway: EDU127, EDU128, EDU129 Preschool Pathway: EDU122, EDU232, and (EDU126 or EDU224 or EDU228)

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PART-TIME STUDENT ADVISING NOTES

Academic Advising

Students should make an appointment to see their advisor before registering for classes each semester. They should have prepared a completed registration form, including courses they wish to take, prior to this meeting.

Course Sequence

The semester-by-semester listing below provides the normal scheduling option for part-time associate degree students who plan to finish in eight semesters.

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Credit Hours</u>	<u>Pre- and Co-requisites</u>
SSC101	Student Success Seminar ^{^^}	1	<i>Take first semester</i>
EDU131	Child Development ^{^^+} (10 O.H.)	3	ENG011 or Proficiency
ENG124	College Composition [^]	<u>3</u>	Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011
		7	or Proficiency
<u>Second Semester</u>			
PSY121	General Psychology [^]	3	IDS102 or Proficiency
EDU132	Observation, Assessment, and Group Management ^{^^+} (10 O.H.)	3	ENG011 or Proficiency
MTH118	Quantitative Reasoning [^]	3	
or	or	or	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>
MTH124	Statistics ^{^Ω}	<u>3</u>	
		9	
<u>Third Semester</u>			
EDU124	Infant Toddler Curriculum ⁺⁺ (5 O.H.)	3	EDU131
EDU221	Language Arts ⁺⁺ ▲- (5 O.H.)	3	EDU122 or EDU124
COM121	Effective Speaking	<u>3</u>	
		9	
<u>Fourth Semester</u>			
EDU121	Introduction to Early Childhood Education ^{^^+} (30 O.H.)	3	ENG011 or Proficiency
EDU123	Health, Safety, and Nutrition (5 O.H.)	2	EDU121, EDU130, or EDU131
<i>Infant/Toddler or Preschool Pathway²</i>		<u>3</u>	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>
		8	
<u>Fifth Semester</u>			
EDU223	Community and Family-based Programs ⁺⁺ (5 O.H.)	3	EDU121 or EDU130
<i>Natural Sciences (with lab) Elective¹</i>		<u>4</u>	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>
		7	
<u>Sixth Semester</u>			
EDU235	Inclusive Classrooms for Young Children ⁺⁺ (5 O.H.)	3	EDU225
SOC225	Cultural Diversity ⁺⁺	3	
<i>Infant/Toddler or Preschool Pathway²</i>		<u>3</u>	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>
		9	
<u>Seventh Semester</u>			
EDU229	Educational Psychology	3	EDU130 or EDU131
PHL122	Ethics	3	
<i>Infant/Toddler or Preschool Pathway²</i>		<u>3</u>	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>
		9	
<u>Eighth Semester</u>			
EDU225	The Exceptional Child ⁺⁺	3	EDU121, EDU130, or EDU131
EDU227	Early Childhood Education Practicum and Seminar ⁺⁺ (210 Hours)	<u>3</u>	(EDU124 or EDU232) and
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			EDU235
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