

ECE 4403: Teaching Social Studies in Early Childhood Education

3 Credit Hours

Corequisite: ECE 4410

This course consists of integrating social studies across the curriculum and effective strategies for planning, implementing and evaluating instruction in social studies in preschool through fifth grade. Emphasis is placed upon developmentally appropriate practices and culturally relevant pedagogies in planning, implementing and evaluating instruction in the social studies curriculum.

ECE 4404: Teaching Reading & Language Arts Across the Curriculum in Early Childhood Education

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: EDUC 3302 and ECE 3340

This course encompasses the study of the integration of language arts across the curriculum and effective strategies for planning, implementing and evaluating instruction in reading, writing, listening and speaking in preschool through fifth grade. Emphasis on assessment techniques and approaches to conducting guided lessons in reading and writing that are culturally and developmentally appropriate. Includes an extensive field experience and media use.

Notes: Verification of professional liability insurance is required prior to placement in the field experience.

ECE 4405: Teaching Language Arts and Social Studies in Early Childhood

3 Credit Hours

Prerequisite: Admission to the TOSS program and ECE 3340

This course includes the study and application of social studies and language arts as integrative elements of the elementary curriculum. Candidates will focus on the nature and theory in order to prepare students to become citizens actors, adopt problem solving dispositions and achieve excellence in the application of oral and written communication skills.

Notes: Verification of professional liability insurance is required prior to placement in the field experience.