



Early Childhood Education

Associate in Science | Code: 27014 | 60 credits

CIP (1413121004)

Effective Term: Fall 2024 (2247)

The Early Childhood Education Associate in Science degree program provides the student with appropriate coursework in one of three tracks: Preschool, Infant-Toddler, or Administrator. Students may complete the Florida Child Care Professional Certificate (FCCPC), Advanced Director's Credential, and/or College Credit Certificates as part of their Associate in Science degree.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (15.00 Credits)

COMMUNICATIONS (3.00 credits)

ENC 1101	English Composition 1	(3 credits)	Prerequisite: Student must meet the Developmental Education reading and writing requirements in State Rule 6A-10.0315 (by course, placement score, or eligible exemption).
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HUMANITIES (3.00 credits)

ARH 1000	Art Appreciation	(3 credits)	
HUM 1020	Humanities	(3 credits)	
LIT 2000	Introduction to Literature	(3 credits)	Prerequisite: ENC 1101
MUL 1010	Music Appreciation	(3 credits)	
PHI 2010	Introduction to Philosophy	(3 credits)	
THE 2000	Theatre Appreciation	(3 credits)	

MATHEMATICS (3.00 credits)

MGF 1130	Mathematical Thinking	(3 credits)	Prerequisite: Student must meet the Developmental Education reading and writing requirements in State Rule 6A-10.0315 (by course, placement score, or eligible exemption).
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NATURAL SCIENCE (3.00 credits)

AST 1002	Descriptive Anatomy	(3 credits)
BSC 1005	General Education Biology	(3 credits)
CHM 1020	General Education Chemistry	(3 credits)
ESC 1000	General Education Earth Science	(3 credits)
EVR 1001	Introduction to Environmental Sciences	(3 credits)
GLY 1010	Physical Geology	(3 credits)
OCE 1001	Introduction to Oceanography	(3 credits)
PHY 1020	General Education Physics	(3 credits)

SOCIAL SCIENCE (3.00 credits)

AMH 2010	History of the US to 1877	(3 credits)
AMH 2020	History of the United States since 1877	(3 credits)
POS 2041	American Federal Government	(3 credits)

COMPUTER COMPETENCY

Test type(s) needed:

Computer Skills Placement (CSP)

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CGS 1060C - Introduction to Computer Technology & Application

MAJOR CORE REQUIREMENTS (12.00 Credits)

EEC 1000	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	(3 credits)
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EEC 2002	Operation of an Early Childhood Facility	(3 credits)
EEC 2202	Program Development in Early Childhood Education	(3 credits)
EEC 2407	Facilitating Social Development	(3 credits)

PROGRAM CORE REQUIREMENTS (12.00 Credits)

EDF 1005	Introduction to the Teaching Profession	(3 credits)	
EDF 2085	Introduction to Diversity	(3 credits)	
EME 2040	Introduction to Technology for Educators	(3 credits)	Prerequisite: CGS 1060C
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EME 2071	Educating Young Children for Digital Literacy in the 21st Century	(3 credits)	
EDG 2943	Educational Service Field Work	(3 credits)	Prerequisites: EEC 1000, EEC 1200, EEC 1311, EEC 1522, EEC 2201, EEC 2407

MAJOR COURSE ELECTIVE (12.00 Credits)

EEC 1200	Early Childhood Curriculum I	(3 credits)
EEC 1311	Early Childhood Curriculum II	(3 credits)
EEC 1380	Classrooms for All Young Children	(3 credits)
EEC 1522	Infant-Toddler Environments	(3 credits)
EEC 1713	Helping All Young Children Become Independent Learners	(3 credits)
EEC 1752	Knowing and Understanding All Young Children	(3 credits)
EEC 1753	Observing and Assessing All Young Children	(3 credits)
EEC 2201	Developing Curriculum for Infants and Toddlers	(3 credits)
EEC 2520	Early Childhood Organization Leadership and Management	(3 credits)
EEC 2523	Programming & Management for Early Childhood Administrators	(3 credits)
EEC 2527	Legal & Financial Issue in Child Care	(3 credits)

ELECTIVES (9.00 credits)

ANT 2410	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	(3 credits)	
BSC 2020	Human Biology: Fundamentals of Anatomy/Physiology	(3 credits)	
CGS 1060C	Introduction to Computer Technology And Application	(4 credits)	
CLP 1006	Psychology of Personal Effectiveness	(3 credits)	
DAN 2100	Dance Appreciation	(3 credits)	
DEP 2000	Human Growth & Development	(3 credits)	
ENC 1102	English Composition 2	(3 credits)	Prerequisite: ENC 1101
HUN 1201	Essentials of Nutrition	(3 credits)	
ISS 1120	The Social Environment	(3 credits)	
LIT 2480	Issues in Literature & Culture	(3 credits)	Prerequisite: ENC 1102
MGF 1131	Mathematics in Context	(3 credits)	Prerequisite: MAT0029 or MAT 1033 or MGF 1130
PHI 2604	Critical Thinking/Ethics	(3 credits)	Prerequisite: ENC 1101
PSC 1515	Energy in the Natural Environment	(3 credits)	
PSY 2012	Introduction to Psychology	(3 credits)	
SPC 1017	Introduction to Communication	(3 credits)	
SYG 2000	Introduction to Sociology	(3 credits)	