

# Early Childhood Education and Development - Associate in Science

**Program Code - CIP Code:** ECED.DEV.AS / 19.0707

**Credits Required:** 65

**Academic Division:** Social and Behavioral Sciences and Public Services

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In the KCKCC Early Childhood Education and Development program you will focus on birth to grade three, regular and special education including early intervention services and acquire a solid foundation of pre-professional skills. To ensure your success, you will get:

- Hands-on experience in our partner NAEYC accredited programs including Early Head Start and Head Start classrooms.
- A combination of traditional, online and blended courses to fit your schedule
- Personalized academic advising to give you all the support you need

This program prepares you to transfer into a bachelor's degree program in education. The Associate in Science in Liberal Arts Degree meets the Board of Regents Transfer and Articulation Agreement. A Student completing this program and transferring to a public university, therefore, "will be accepted as having satisfied the general education requirements of all Kansas public universities."

## Requirements for admission to the program:

- No requirements for admission to the program.
- Contact program for program-specific advising.

## College Requirement

| Course    | Credit Hours     |
|-----------|------------------|
| BLUE 0101 | Freshman Seminar |
|           | 1                |

## General Education Requirements

| Course                    | Credit Hours   |
|---------------------------|--|
| ENGL 0101                 | Composition I*                                       |
|                           | 3  |
| ENGL 0102                 | Composition II*                                      |
|                           | 3  |
| SPCH 0151 OR<br>SPCH 0201 | Public Speaking OR<br>Interpersonal<br>Communication |
|                           | 3  |
| HIST 0104 OR HIST 0105    | US History to 1877 OR<br>US History from 1877        |
|                           | 3  |

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| MUSC 0101  | Music Appreciation                             | 3     |
| PSYC 0101  | Psychology*                                    | 3     |
| PSYC 0202  | Child Development*                             | 3     |
| ANTH 0101  | Introduction to Cultural Anthropology          | 3     |
|  | Math and Natural & Physical Sciences           | 13-15 |
|  | College Algebra (MATH 0105)** or Higher        |       |
|  | Natural and Physical Science Elective with Lab |       |
|  | Math and Natural & Physical Sciences Electives |       |
|  | Total Hours for General Education Requirements | 37-39 |
| * See course syllabus for prerequisite. ** Math sequence is contingent upon previous high school mathematics background and transfer institution. Students should confer with an advisor to determine correct placement. |  |       |

## Early Childhood Education and Development Requirements\*

| Course  |  | Credit Hours |
|---|--|--------------|
| ECED 0100   | Introduction to Early Childhood Education  | 3            |
| Early Childhood Electives   |  |              |
| ECED 0110<br>ECED 0111<br>ECED 0113<br>ECED 0150<br>ECED 0170<br>ECED 0220<br>ECED 0250 | Infant, Toddler I (3hrs)<br>Infant, Toddler II (3hrs)<br>Preschool Child II (3hrs)<br>Health, Safety and Nutrition in Early Childhood (3hrs)<br>Early Childhood Curriculum (3hrs)<br>Social Emotional Development and Behavior (3hrs)<br>Early Childhood Inclusion and Intervention (3hrs) | 6            |
| Electives   |  |              |
| BUSN 0101<br>BUSN 0108<br>BIOL 0145<br>ECED 0295<br>EDUC 0160                           | Accounting I (3hrs)<br>Human Relations in Business (3hrs)<br>Nutrition (3hrs)  | 18           |

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| HUDV 0268<br>PSYC 0296<br>SOSC 0108<br>SOSC 0215  | Survey of Exceptionalities (3hrs)<br>Studying Children and Adolescents in School (3hrs)<br>Human Sexuality (3hrs)<br>Special Problems in Child Development (3hrs)<br>Sociology of Families (3hrs)<br>Introduction to Human Service (3hrs) |    |
| Total Hours for Early Childhood Education and Development Requirements                  |   | 27 |
| *See course syllabi for Early Childhood Education and Development course prerequisites. |   |    |

## Total Hours

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| Total Hours for an Associate in Science in Early Childhood Education and Development Degree | 65-67 |
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