2022 - 2023
Early Childhood Education
Bachelor of Science Degree
Academic Plan

Fall Year 1	Courses	Prerequisite (s)	Credit Hours	
COM 1010	Composition and Critical Thinking I		3	
ECE 1010	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	Background check, DHS clearance	3	
ECE 1110	Early Child Development		3	**15**
ECE 1310	Healthy Environments for Early Childhood		3	
MTH 1010	Quantitative Literacy		3	
Spring Year 1	**Courses**	**Prerequisite (s)**	**Credit Hours**	
ECE 1650	Observation and Assessment Techniques for Early Childhood Education Programs	ECE 1110	3	
ECE 1710	Language Development and Language Arts	ECE 1110	3	
ECE 2010	Infant and Toddler Development and Curriculum	Co-requisite(s): ECE 2020	3	**15**
ECE 2020	Infant and Toddler Development and Curriculum Lab	Background check, DHS clearance; Co-requisite(s): ECE 2010	1	
ECE 1910	CDA Preparation	ECE 1010	2	
PSY 1110	General Psychology		3	
Fall Year 2	**Courses**	**Prerequisite (s)**	**Credit Hours**	
ECE 1410	Creative Activities		3	
ECE 1510	Administration of Early Childhood Education Programs	ECE 1110	3	
ECE 2310	Guidance and Discipline	Background check, DHS clearance, ECE 1110	3	**15**
ECE 2510	Developing Curriculum for Early Childhood	ECE 1650	3	
ECE 2810	Parents and Teachers: Partners in Education	ECE 1110	3	
Spring Year 2	**Courses**	**Prerequisite (s)**	**Credit Hours**	
COM 1020	Composition and Critical Thinking II	COM 1010, MTH1010	3	
ECE 2110	Development Anti-Bias Curriculum	ECE 1110	3	
ECE 2210	Math, Science, Technology and Engineering for Early Childhood	ECE 1110	3	
ECE 2710	Early Childhood Education Practicum I	Background check, DHS clearance, ECE 2510	3	**15**
PSY 2050	Self and Society	COM 1010, MTH 1010; Co-requisite: COM 1020	3	

Fall Year 3	Courses	Prerequisite (s)	Credit Hours	
ECE 2650	Effect of Trauma and Stress on the Learning and Development of Young Children		3	
ECE 3010	Advocating for Young Children		3	
ECE 3510	Philosophies in Early Childhood Education	ECE 2510	3	**15**
ECE 3610	Survey of Early Childhood Education Programs	Background check, DHS clearance, ECE 2710	3	
SOC 3050	Personal, Civic, and Global Perspectives	COM 1010, MTH 1010, PSY 2050	3	
Spring Year 3	**Courses**	**Prerequisite (s)**	**Credit Hours**	
ECE 3710	Early Childhood Education Practicum II	Background check, DHS clearance, ECE 2710; Co-requisite(s): ECE 3750	3	
ECE 3750	Implementation of Curriculum in an Early Childhood Education Environment	ECE 2710; Co-requisite(s): ECE 3710	3	
ECE 4410	Music and Movement for Young Children	ECE 1410	3	**15**
ELECTIVE	General Education Elective		3	
HUM 3910	Integrated Seminar	COM 1010, MTH 1010, PSY 2050, SOC 3050	3	
Fall Year 4	**Courses**	**Prerequisite (s)**	**Credit Hours**	
ECE 4010	Advanced Infant and Toddler Care and Curriculum	Background check, DHS clearance, ECE 2010, ECE 2020	3	
ECE 4610	Early Assessment and Referral	ECE 1650	3	
ECE 4710	Early Literacy Intervention	Background check, DHS clearance, ECE 1710	3	**15**
ELECTIVE	Choose an elective from the list below	Varies	3	
MTH 1070	Quantitative Reasoning	MTH 1010	3	
Spring Year 4	**Courses**	**Prerequisite (s)**	**Credit Hours**	
ECE 4510	Early Childhood Education Practicum III	Background check, DHS clearance, ECE 1510, ECE 2710, HUM 3910; Co-requisite(s): ECE 4550	3	
ECE 4550	Administrative Operations of Early Childhood Education	ECE 1510; Co-requisite(s): ECE 4510	3	**15**
ELECTIVE	General Education Elective	Varies	3	
ELECTIVE	Choose an elective from the list below	Varies	3	
ELECTIVE	Scientific Inquiry Elective	Varies	3	
		Program Total	**120**	

Electives: Choose 2 electives from the list below		Prerequisite(s)	Credit Hrs
HUS 1010	Introduction to Human Services	Background check	3
HUS 1110	Poverty and Culture		3
HUS 2350	Trauma-Informed Care in Crisis Intervention		3
HUS 3410	Child and Family Policy		3
HUS 3910	Family Systems and Support Strategies		3
MGT 1010	Introduction to Business		3
NPMG 3010	Grant Writing		3
NPMG 3310	Fund Development		3
PSY 2010	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy	PSY 1110	3
PSY 2110	Psychology of Death and Dying	PSY 1110	3
PSY 2250	Psychology of Drug Use and Addiction	PSY 1110	3
PSY 3050	Health Psychology	PSY 1110	3
PSY 3110	Abnormal Psychology	PSY 1110	3
PSY 3210	Psychology of Disability	PSY 1110	3
PSY 3410	Child Psychology	PSY 1110	3
PSY 4010	Social Psychology	PSY 1110	3
SOC 2010	Sociology		3
WRI 3010	Report Writing	COM 1020	3

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