

Child Development (CIP 19.0706)

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Associate of Arts Degree Program (A.A.)

Purpose: The curriculum in child development and early childhood prepares individuals for careers in childcare centers, pre-school programs and related occupations. Supported by a broad general education, training is given to develop professional competence in the area of child development and early childhood.

Program Requirements: Students will complete a criminal background check upon enrollment in child development/early childhood courses.

<i>Course Number</i>	<i>Course Title</i>	<i>Credits</i>
FIRST YEAR		
First Semester		
+ PSYC 1300	Learning Framework	3
+ ENGL 1301	Composition I	3
+ American History	Select from American History Core Curriculum	3
TECA 1311	Educating the Young Child	3
Second Semester		
+ ENGL 1302	Composition II	3
+ American History	Select from American History Core Curriculum	3
+ Creative Arts	Select from Creative Arts Core Curriculum	3
TECA 1303	Family, School, Community	3
Summer Terms		
+ Government/Political Science	Select from Government/Political Science Core Curriculum	6
SECOND YEAR		
First Semester		
+ Life & Physical Sciences	Select from Life & Physical Sciences Core Curriculum	3
+ Mathematics	Select from Mathematics Core Curriculum	3
TECA 1354	Child Growth & Development	3
TECA 1318	Wellness of the Young Child	3
Second Semester		
+ Life & Physical Sciences	Select from Life & Physical Sciences Core Curriculum	3
+ SPCH 1315	Public Speaking	3
+ Language, Philosophy & Culture	Select from Language, Philosophy & Culture Core Curriculum	3
Electives	Select Academic College Level Courses.	3
Summer Terms		
+ Social & Behavioral Science	Select from Social & Behavioral Core Curriculum	3
Electives	Select Academic College Level Courses.	3

Total Minimum Credits Required for a Child Development Degree 60

+ Denotes core requirement. Speak with Department Chair or Academic Advisor for proper course selection.