

Early Childhood Education (A.S.-T)

DEGREE PROGRAM MAP

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- ✓ Earn a transfer degree that can lead to further study at a 4-year college or university



Recommended Course Sequence

The program map below is a sequence of courses you can follow to efficiently complete your degree requirements. This map does not replace your Student Education Plan, so be sure to talk with a WCC counselor to pick the right courses for your academic goals.

SEMESTER 1 — YOUR FIRST FALL SEMESTER

MAJOR REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE1A Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children

MAJOR REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE3 Child Growth and Development

or select from Area 4 (IGETC) or Area D (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 4.0 UNITS

ENGL1A College Composition and Reading

or select from Area 1A (IGETC) or Area A2 (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE39 Children's Literature

or select from Area 3B (IGETC) or Area C2 (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

Recommend 3 of the following

MUSIC3 Music Appreciation

HUMAN11 Art, Literature, and Music in Humanities

or select from Area 3A (IGETC) or Area C1 (CSU)

SEMESTER 2

MAJOR REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE1B Introduction to Curriculum

MAJOR REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE31 Child, Family, Community

or select from Area 4 (IGETC) or Area D (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 4.0 UNITS

STAT1 Introduction To Statistical Methods

or select from Area 2A (IGETC) or Area B4 (CSU)

MAJOR REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE27 Teaching in a Diverse Society

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

Recommend 3 of the following

ENGL1B Argumentative Writing and Critical Thinking through Literature

ENGL1C Critical Thinking/Advanced Composition

or select from Area 1B (IGETC) or Area A3 (CSU)

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For more information about General Education requirements for graduation, visit wcc.yccd.edu/catalog or talk to a counselor.

SEMESTER 3

MAJOR REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE10 Health, Safety, and Nutrition

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

GEOL8 Earth Science

or select from Area 5A (IGETC) or Area B1 (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

Recommend 1 of the following

COUNS10 College Success

COUNS25 Career Planning and Development

or select from Area E (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

Recommend 1 of the following

HIST17A United States History

HIST17B United States History II

ETHN15 Mexican-American History

or select from Area 3C (IGETC) or Area C2 or US1 (CSU)

SEMESTER 4

MAJOR REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE45 Practicum in Early Childhood Education

MAJOR REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

ECE11 Observation and Assessment

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 4.0 UNITS

BIOL10L General Biology

or select from Area 5B (IGETC) or Area B2 or B3 (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

POLSC1 Introduction To American Government

or select from Area 4 (IGETC) or Area D or US1 (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

Recommend 1 of the following

SPECH1 Public Speaking

SPECH7 Interpersonal Communication

or select from Area 1C (IGETC) or Area A1 (CSU)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENT 3.0 UNITS

Recommend 1 of the following

ETHN6 History of Race and Ethnicity in America

ETHN11 Introduction to Ethnic Studies

or select from Area F (CSU)

This program belongs to the Arts, Communication and Culture Interest Area

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Explore majors and support services in this area:

» wcc.yccd.edu/areas

Meet with a counselor to create your education plan:

» wcc.yccd.edu/counseling



Prepare for careers

Earn a bachelor's or advanced degree to pursue careers like:

- Teachers
- Master Teachers
- Site Supervisors
- Program Directors
- Child Development Specialists
- Child Life Specialists

Get help finding jobs and planning your career:

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Continue your studies at a 4-year university

Some popular institutions for this major include:

- CSU Sacramento (BA Early Childhood Education/ Education)
- CSU Chico (BA Early Childhood Education/ Education)
- Sonoma State University (BA Early Childhood Education/ Education)

Learn how to apply and stay on track to transfer:

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