

Program Requirements:

"Program Requirements" specify the courses required for this program. See suggested course sequence for additional information.

**A major of 48 units is required for the certificate.
Required core courses (42 units)**

COURSE	TITLE	UNITS
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 100	Child Growth and Development	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 101	Child, Family and Community	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 102	Child Health, Safety & Nutrition	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 104	Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 105	Observation and Assessment	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 106	Introduction to Early Childhood Curriculum	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 111	Administration I: Programs in Early Childhood Education	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 115	Care and Education for Infants and Toddlers	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 116	Teaching in a Diverse Society	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 118	Practicum: Preschool	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 119	Practicum: Infant/Toddler	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 120	Adult Supervision and Mentoring In Early Childhood Education	2
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 149	Cooperative Work Experience: Occupational	1 - 8.0 units
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 150	Administration II: Personnel and Leadership in Early Childhood Education	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 103	Introduction to Early Childhood	3

<input type="checkbox"/> ACCT 317	Bookkeeping 1	3
<input type="checkbox"/> BUS 107	Human Relations in Business	3
<input type="checkbox"/> CBIS 101	Computer Concepts & Applications	3

Plus a minimum of 3 units selected from the following:

COURSE	TITLE	UNITS
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 112	Introduction to Young Children with Special Needs	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 114	Parent/Child Relationships	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 122	Positive Child Guidance	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 125	Curriculum for School-Age Children	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 151	Infant and Toddler Development	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EMS 102	First Aid & Safety	3

Plus 3 units selected from the following

COURSE	TITLE	UNITS
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Suggested Course Sequence

The "Suggested Course Sequence" is an example of how to complete the requirements plus any additional general education that may be needed. If you would like to create a personalized Student Education Plan (SEP), schedule a meeting with a counselor.

SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 1)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 103	Introduction to Early Childhood	3
Total Units		3
Tasks		

FALL SEMESTER (YEAR 1)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 100	Child Growth and Development	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 104	Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ELECTIVE	MAJOR ELECTIVE (LIST A)	3
Total Units		9

Tasks:

- Complete Career Exploration
- Meet with Counselor (SEP)
- Visit library and tutoring
- Review Financial Aid Requirements
- Apply AHC Scholarship

SPRING SEMESTER (YEAR 1)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 101	Child, Family and Community	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 105	Observation and Assessment	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 115	Care and Education for Infants and Toddlers	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ELECTIVE	MAJOR ELECTIVE (LIST B)	3
Total Units		12

Tasks:

- Set up Jobspeaker
- Attend Career Exploration Day
- FAFSA or Dream Act due March 2
- Apply AHC Scholarship

SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 2)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 102	Child Health, Safety and Nutrition	3
Total Units		3
Tasks		

FALL SEMESTER (YEAR 2)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 106	Introduction to Early Childhood Curriculum	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 116	Teaching in a Diverse Society	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 149	Cooperative Work Experience: Occupational	1 - 8
Total Units		7-15

Tasks:

- Develop Resume at Career Center
- Meet with Counselor
- Review Financial Aid Requirements
- Apply for AHC Scholarship



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SPRING SEMESTER (YEAR 2)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 111	Administration I: Programs in Early Childhood Education	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 118	Practicum: Preschool	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 120	Adult Supervision and Mentoring In Early Childhood Education	2
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 149	Cooperative Work Experience: Occupational	1 - 8
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 150	Administration II: Personnel and Leadership in Early Childhood Education	3
Total Units		12 -19

Tasks:

- Apply for Certificate
- Utilize Job Search Resources
- FAFSA or Dream Act due March 2
- Attend Job Fair/Career Expo. Day

SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 3)

Course	Title	Units
<input type="checkbox"/> ECS 119	Practicum: Infant/Toddler	3
Total Units		3

Tasks