

**Program Requirements:**

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

**A major of 44 units is required for the degree.**

SPAN 104

Intermediate Spanish II

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**Required core courses: 38 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 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 125  | Curriculum for School-Age Children                  | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 130  | Exploring Teaching                                  | 3     |
| or                                |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 130 | Exploring Teaching                                  | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 132  | Child Identity and Learning                         | 3     |
| or                                |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 132 | Child Identity And Learning                         | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 103  | Introduction to Early Childhood                     | 3     |

**Plus a minimum of 6 units selected from the following:**

| COURSE                            | TITLE  | UNITS |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 114  | Parent/Child Relationships                     | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 117  | Teaching Strategies for Dual Language Learners | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 122  | Positive Child Guidance                        | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 310  | Art for Young Children                         | 0.5   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 311  | Creating Learning Materials                    | 0.5   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 312  | Music for Early Childhood Educators            | 0.5   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 313  | Science for Young Children                     | 0.5   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 314  | Engineering and Technology for Young Children  | 0.5   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 315  | Math for Young Children                        | 0.5   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EMS 102  | First Aid & Safety                             | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 137 | Children's Literature                          | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MUS 110  | Music Fundamentals                             | 2     |

## 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     |
| <b>Total Units</b>               |                                 | 3     |
| <b>Tasks</b>                     |                                 |       |

- Attend Career Exploration Day

- FAFSA or Dream Act due March 2
- Apply AHC Scholarship

### 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"/> ECS 130    | Exploring Teaching                                  | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 101   | Freshman Composition: Exposition<br>OR              | 4     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 100   | Writing in Career/Tech Fields                       | 4     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHC GE Req | Area 6: Ethnic Studies                              | 3     |
| <b>Total Units</b>                  |   | 16    |

#### 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 132      | Child Identity and Learning                              | 3       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHC GE REQ   | Area 1B: Oral Comm. and Critical Thinking                | 3       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHC GE Req   | Area 2: Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning | 3-5     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHC Grad Req | Dance or Physical Activity                               | .5-3    |
| <b>Total Units</b>                    |  | 15.5-19 |

#### Tasks:

- Set-up Jobspeaker

### SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 2)

| Course                              | Title                                   | Units |
|-------------------------------------|---|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 102    | Child Health, Safety & Nutrition        | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHC GE REQ | Area 4A: Social and Behavioral Sciences | 3     |
| <b>Total Units</b>                  |   | 6     |
| <b>Tasks</b>                        |   |       |

### 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 125  | Curriculum for School-Age Children         | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ELECTIVE | MAJOR ELECTIVE                             | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 114  | Parent/Child Relationships                 | 3     |
| <b>Total Units</b>                |  | 15    |

#### Tasks:

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

**SPRING SEMESTER (YEAR 2)**

| Course                              | Title  | Units    |
|-------------------------------------|--|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ECS 118    | Practicum: Preschool                         | 3        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ELECTIVE   | MAJOR ELECTIVE (list 2)                      | 3        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHC GE REQ | Area 4B:United States History and Government | 3        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHC GE REQ | Area 5: Natural Science                      | 3-4      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> AHC GE REQ | Area 3: Arts and Humanities                  | 3        |
| <b>Total Units</b>                  |  | 15.5 -20 |

**Tasks:**

- Apply for Degree with Counseling
- Utilize Job Search Resources
- Complete FAFSA or Dream Act by March 2
- Attend Job Fair/Career Exploration Day

**SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 3)**

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

**Tasks**