

# EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION DIPLOMA

## Entry Time

Fall, Spring, Summer

## Award

Diploma

3 terms

Students in the Early Childhood Education A.A.S. program may elect to receive this diploma after completing the required courses. Please consult with the Social Sciences Department for more information regarding this option.

## Diploma Requirements

Term 1		Credit Hours
ECE-103	Intro to Early Childhood Ed	3
ECE-105	Technology for Early Childhood	1
ECE-158	ECE Curriculum I	3
ECE-133	Child Health/Safety/Nutrition	3
ENG-105	Composition I <sup>1</sup>	3
ECE-170	Child Growth and Development	3
	<b>Term Totals:</b>	<b>16</b>
Term 2		
ECE-159	ECE Curriculum II	3
ECE-221	Inf/Toddler Care & Education	3
ECE-243	Early Childhood Guidance	3
ECE-262	Early Childhood Field Experience	3
	<b>Term Totals:</b>	<b>12</b>
Term 3		
PSY-111	Intro to Psychology	3
SPC-101 or SPC-112	Fundamentals of Oral Communication or Public Speaking	3
	<b>Term Totals:</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Program Totals:</b>	<b>34</b>

<sup>1</sup> Your writing placement score may require prerequisite courses.

## Optional Courses

Code	Title	Credit Hours
EDU-110	Exploring Teaching	3
EDU-119	Behavior Management	3