

Early Childhood General Education

M.S.Ed. 45 Credits

Course Requirements Note: This course listing does not indicate a suggested sequence. Course selection and sequencing is planned in consultation with the program director or advisor.

EDUC 500	Child Development	3
or EDUC 800	The Social Worlds of Childhood [Prerequisite: EDUC 500 or EDUC 501 or permission of instructor]	3
EDUC 505	Language Acquisition and Learning in a Linguistically Diverse Society	2
EDUC 530	Foundations of Modern Education	3
or EDUC 531	Principles and Problems in Elementary and Early Childhood Education	3
EDUC 535	Science for Teachers (Grades N – 6)	2
or EDUC 551	Science Inquiry for Children in the Natural Environment	3
EDUC 540	Mathematics for Teachers in Diverse and Inclusive Educational Settings (Grades N – 6)	2
EDUC 563	The Teaching of Reading, Writing, and Language Arts (Grades K – 3)	3
EDUC 564	Language, Literature, and Emergent Literacy (A Focus on Grades N – 3)	3
EDUC 590	Arts Workshop for Teachers (Grades N – 6)	2
or EDUC 591	Music and Movement: Multicultural and Developmental Approaches in Diverse and Inclusive Settings (Grades N – 6)	2
EDUC 510	Curriculum in Early Childhood Education (Grades N–3)	3
or EDUC 514	Curriculum in Early Childhood Education: Developing Learning Environments and Experiences for Children of Diverse Backgrounds and Abilities	3
EDUC 604	Family, Child, and Teacher Interaction in Diverse and Inclusive Educational Settings	2
EDUC 803	Developmental Variations [Prerequisite: EDUC 500 or EDUC 501 or EDUC 800 or permission of instructor]	2
EDUC 808	The Study of Children in Diverse and Inclusive Educational Settings through Observation and Recording [Prerequisite: EDUC 500 or EDUC 800 or permission of instructor]	3
	Elective credits as needed to complete the requirements of the program	1 – 3
EDUC 955	Early Childhood Education Supervised Fieldwork/Student Teaching/Advisement	12
EDUC 990	Extended Field Experiences with Diverse Learners (for students completing fieldwork as student teachers)	0
or EDUC 991	Integrative Seminar in High Needs Educational Settings: Extended Field Experiences (for students completing fieldwork as head or assistant teachers [with some exceptions])	1
STMD 100	State Mandated Training on School Violence Prevention	0
STMD 105	State Mandated Training in Child Abuse Identification and Reporting	0
STMD 110	State Mandated Training in Dignity for All Students Act	0
	Integrative Master's Project	0
TOTAL CREDITS		45