

A.S. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION/CHILD CARE

Department: Behavioral Sciences and Human Services

Total credits: 60**COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS****CREDITS**

- Successful completion of CUNY Tests in Reading and Writing and the COMPASS Math Skills Test with passing examination scores or developmental courses may be required.
- One (1) Writing Intensive course in any discipline from any category below is required. Participation in a Learning Community that includes ENG 1200 or 2400 also satisfies this requirement.
- Two (2) Civic Engagement experiences—satisfied by CE-Certified or CE-Component courses or approved outside activity. Refer to the *Degree Requirements* section of this catalog.

CUNY CORE

Approved Required and Flexible Core courses are listed in the *General Education: CUNY Pathways* section of this catalog. When possible it is recommended you fulfill your Required and/or Flexible Core requirements with courses also required for the major.

REQUIRED CORE:

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| ENG 1200 | 3 |
| ENG 2400 | 3 |
| ± Mathematical & Quantitative Reasoning | 3 |
| ± Life and Physical Sciences | 3 |

FLEXIBLE CORE:

One course from each Group A – E plus an additional course from any Group. **No more than two courses in the same discipline.** ANT 3700 (Core Group A) or SOC 3100 (Core Group D); History or Political Science (Core Group A or B); and PSY 1100 (Core Group E) are recommended.

- A. World Cultures and Global Issues
- B. U.S. Experience In Its Diversity
- C. Creative Expression
- D. Individual & Society
- ± E. Scientific World
- ± Plus another course selected from any Group A – E

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS §**All majors must take:**

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| Social Foundations of Education (EDC 200) | 3 |
| Child and Adolescent Development (PSY 3000) | 3 |
| Psychological Disorders in Young Children (PSY 2400) <i>or</i> | |
| <i>For transfer to The College of Staten Island</i> Historical Geography (HIS 7000) | 3 |
| Social Science in Education (EDC 2100) | 3 |
| Art Workshop in Education (EDC 2200) | 3 |
| Music and Movement Workshop in Education (EDC 2300) | 2 |
| Techniques in Math, Science and Technology Teaching for Early Childhood Ed. (EDC 2800) | 2 |
| Supervised Instructional Experience in Education II (EDC 9307) | 3 |
| Early Literacy and Children's Literature (HUM 200) | 2 |

Choose one of the following options:

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| Supervised Instructional Experience in Education I (EDC 9105) | 3 |
| Seminar and Practicum in Education (EDC 3000) | 3 |

OR

FOR MAJORS WITH CONCENTRATION IN INFANCY/TODDLER DEVELOPMENT

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| Infant/Toddler Development (EDC 3200) | 3 |
| Supervised Instructional Experience in Infant/Toddler Education (EDC 9400) | 3 |

ELECTIVES: 0 - 3 credits sufficient to total 60 credits for the degree.

± Note: You may elect to take a math or science course that is 4 credits or more. TAP counts 3 credits towards the requirement and the 4th credit as elective.

§ Consultation with the Department Advisor is required.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Understand various theories of teaching, learning, and development

EDC 2000 EDC 2100 EDC 2800 EDC 3000 EDC 9105 EDC 9307

Identify age-appropriate curriculum goals and recognize methods used to achieve those goals

HUM 200 EDC 2000 EDC 2100 EDC 2200 EDC 2300 EDC 2800 EDC 3000 EDC 9105 EDC 9307

Effectively design and implement developmentally appropriate learning experiences in all content areas

HUM 200 EDC 2200 EDC 2300 EDC 2800 EDC 9105 EDC 9307

Engage in self-reflection to evaluate performance and progress

HUM 200 EDC 2000 EDC 2100 EDC 2200 EDC 2300 EDC 2800 EDC 3000 EDC 9105 EDC 9307

Understand the social, economic, political, and cultural issues that impact families and schooling

EDC 2000 EDC 2100 EDC 2200 EDC 2300 EDC 2800 EDC 3000 EDC 9105 EDC 9307

Foster a positive regard for individual students and their families regardless of differences

HUM 200 EDC 2000 EDC 2100 EDC 2200 EDC 2300 EDC 2800 EDC 3000 EDC 9105 EDC 9307

Use critical thinking and analysis when speaking, reading, and writing

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