

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION, BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE

Plan of Study (Degree Plan)

BAS-EDU

First Year

First Term		Credits
CDEC 1323	Observation and Assessment ¹	3
CDEC 1317 or CDEC 1358	Child Development Associate Training I or Creative Arts for Early Childhood	3
CDEC 2322 or CDEC 1313	Child Development Associate Training II or Curriculum Resources for Early Childhood Programs	3
CDEC 2324 or CDEC 1356	Child Development Associate Training III or Emergent Literacy for Early Childhood	3
CDEC 2326	Administration of Programs for Children I	3
Credits		15

Second Term

TECA 1311	Educating Young Children	3
TECA 1303	Families, School and Community	3
CDEC 1319	Child Guidance	3
CDEC 2307	Math and Science for Early Childhood	3
Credits		12

Summer Year One Term

TECA 1354	Child Growth and Development	3
TECA 1318	Wellness of the Young Child	3
Credits		6

Second Year

First Term		Credits
ENGL 1301	Composition I	3
HIST 1301	United States History I	3
Language, Philosophy and Culture (Humanities)		3
SPCH 1315 or SPCH 1318	Public Speaking ² or Interpersonal Communication	3
CDEC 2366	Practicum (or Field Experience) - Child Care Provider/Assistant	3
Credits		15
Second Term		Credits
MATH 1314	College Algebra	3
Creative Arts (Fine Arts)		3
GOVT 2305	Federal Government (Federal Constitution and Topics)	3
HIST 1302	United States History II	3
Credits		12

Third Year

First Term		Credits
ENGL 1302 or ENGL 2311	Composition II or Technical and Business Writing	3
EDUC 1301	Introduction to the Teaching Profession	3

Life and Physical Sciences (Natural Science)		4
Component Area Option		1
MATH 1350	Mathematics for Teachers I (Fundamentals of Mathematics I)	3
Credits		14

Second Term

EDEC 3303	Child and Adolescent Guidance	3
EDUC 2301	Introduction to Special Populations	3
GOVT 2306	Texas Government (Texas Constitution and Topics)	3
MATH 1351	Mathematics for Teachers II (Fundamentals of Mathematics II)	3
Life and Physical Sciences (Natural Science)		4
Credits		16

Fourth Year

First Term		Credits
EDTP 3301	Foundations of Inclusion and Differentiation for Special Populations	3
EDEC 3307	Development During Early Childhood	3
EDEL 4303	Methods of Teaching Elementary Mathematics	3
EDEL 4301	Methods of Teaching Social Studies	3
EDLL 3301	Language Literacy Acquisition	3
Credits		15

Second Term

EDTP 3303	Behavior Management in Special Populations	3
EDLL 3305	Foundations in Reading Instruction: The Science of Teaching Reading	3
EDEL 4302	Methods of Teaching Elementary Science	3
EDTP 3305	Designing Assessments for General and Special Populations	3
EDTP 4310	Literacy in the Content Areas with Special Populations	3
Credits		15
Total Credits		120

¹ Students may substitute CDEC 1470 Educational Aide Associate for CDEC 1323 Observation and Assessment.

² The department recommends students take SPCH 1315 Public Speaking or SPCH 1318 Interpersonal Communication; however, students may substitute another course from the Component Area Option for this requirement.