

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Certificate(s) may have additional courses that do not overlap with the degree. Please see Certificate program page for complete listing of required courses.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
ECED-1010	Introduction to Early Childhood Education: Children's Development and Programs	4
MATH-1xxx	Any Approved Ohio Transfer 36 Mathematics course	3
COMM-1000	Fundamentals of Interpersonal Communication	3
Select one of the following:		3
ENG-1010	College Composition I	
ENG-101H	Honors College Composition I	
Select one of the following:		3
PSY-1010	General Psychology	
PSY-101H	Honors General Psychology	
BIO-1050	Human Biology	3
BIO-105L	Human Biology Laboratory	1
ECED-1301	Language and Literacy in an Integrated Curriculum	3
EDUC-1011	Introduction to Education	3
ECED-1340	Creative Development in an Integrated Curriculum ¹	3
Select one of the following:		3
ENG-1020	College Composition II	
ENG-102H	Honors College Composition II	
ECED-1020	Introduction to Infant and Toddler Development, Care and Relationships	03
EDUC-2050	Human Diversity in Education	3
ECED-1321	Math and Science Inquiry in an Integrated Curriculum	3
EDUC-1411	Individuals with Exceptionalities	3
ECED-2200	Play's Place in an Integrated Early Childhood Curriculum ²	03
ECED-2300	Child Behavior and Guidance	3
ECED-1860	Experience with Young Children in Early Childhood Settings	3
ECED-2401	Families, Communities, Schools	3
ECED-2870	Early Childhood Education Student Teaching Practicum	2
ECED-2990	Early Childhood Education Student Teaching Seminar	3
PSY-2110	Educational Psychology	3

¹ ECED-1311 Art and Creative Expression in an Integrated Curriculum or ECED-1331 Music and Movement in an Integrated Curriculum will be accepted in place of ECED-1340 for students who completed coursework with a grade of "C" or higher prior to Fall 2024

² ECED-1311 and ECED-1331 together with a grade of "C" or higher will be accepted in place of ECED-2200. Students who did not complete both of these courses prior to Fall 2024 must complete ECED-2200.

MATH-1140, MATH-1141, MATH-1200, MATH-1270, and MATH-1280 can no longer count towards fulfilling the college-level mathematics requirement. These courses were re-classified as developmental mathematics by the state of Ohio in 2016. Tri-C established a 5-year transitioning window for students who had completed these courses prior to 2016 to apply them towards meeting graduation requirements, which expired in Summer 2021. It is highly recommended to see a counselor to determine the appropriate math required for your current major.

Related Degrees and Certificates

- Child Care Administration, Short-Term Certificate
- Early Childhood Education, Associate of Applied Science