

Associate of Arts: Child Development

Program Code (055)

Division of Business and Technology

Required: 62-64 Credit Hours, 2.00 GPA

Students are required to complete the following General Education and Major Requirement courses. Students who complete this associate's degree are prepared to transfer and continue their education at a four-year college/university. Students should consult with their academic advisor and refer to the 4-semester by semester program planning guide to understand course sequencing.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (40 HOURS)	MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (22-24 HOURS)
<p>English Composition - 6 hours <i>(Select Both)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1213 Freshman Composition II</p> <p>U.S. History - 3 hours <i>(Select One)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1483 Am His 1492-1865 or HIST 1493 Am His 1865-Pr</p> <p>U.S. Government - 3 hours <i>(Select One)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> POS 1113 American Federal Government</p> <p>Biological Science - 4 hours <i>(Select One)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> BIO 1114, BOT 1114, ZOO 1114</p> <p>Physical Science - 4 hours <i>(Select One)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> GPS 1214, CHEM 1115, PHYS 1114/2014, or GEOG 1014</p> <p>Orientation - 1 hour <i>(Select One)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> ORI 1111 Freshman Orientation</p> <p>Mathematics - 3 hours <i>(Select One)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> MATH 1413 Survey of Contemporary Math¹ or higher</p> <p>Health, Physical Education & Recreation - 2 hours <i>(Select One)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> any HPER course, except activity courses</p> <p>Humanities - 6 hours <i>(Select Two)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> HUM 2113 Gen Hum. I <input type="checkbox"/> HUM 2223 Gen Hum II <input type="checkbox"/> ART 1113 Art Appreciation <input type="checkbox"/> DRMA 1213 Intro Theatre <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1113 Early West Civ <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1123 Mod West Civ <input type="checkbox"/> MUS 1113 Music Apprec <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 1113 Intro to Philosophy <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 2123 Ethics <input type="checkbox"/> RLED 1113 Old Testament <input type="checkbox"/> RLED 1123 New Testament <input type="checkbox"/> RLED 2113 World Religions <input type="checkbox"/> Any Literature Course(s)</p> <p>Approved Electives - 8 hours <i>(Select CS 1103 and Electives)</i> <i>Select CS1103 and any two courses in psychology, social sciences, foreign languages, & fine arts (art, music, drama) in conference with advisor</i> <input type="checkbox"/> CS 1103 Microcomputer Applications <input type="checkbox"/> Elective <input type="checkbox"/> Elective</p>	<p>Required Courses in Major - 15 hours <i>(Select All)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> CD 1103 Teacher, Community and Family Relations² <input type="checkbox"/> CD 1223 Preschool Behavior & Guidance <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2113 Child Growth & Development <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2133 Language and Physical Skills <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2223 Program Planning & Administration²</p> <p>Elective Courses in Major – 7-9 hours <i>(Select two or more courses in conference with advisor)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> AHS 1203 Basic Nutrition <input type="checkbox"/> BUS 2023 Principles of Management <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2053 Child Dev Management & Budgeting <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2103 Children with Special Needs <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2123 Health Care, Safety, & Nutrition <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2143 Science, Math & Social Diversity <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2213 Play, Art & Music <input type="checkbox"/> CD 2253 Infant and Toddler Programs <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 2133 Marriage and Family <input type="checkbox"/> Approved Elective</p>
<p>Totals: ----- Credit Hours: 40</p>	<p>Totals: ----- Credit Hours: 22-24</p>

Notation:

¹MATH 1413 is Math Pathways requirement. However, student should consider the math requirement of the four-year transfer institution.

²Students who have earned a CDA Credential may apply 6 hours credit toward this AA degree.

Semester by Semester Degree Plan
 Child Development, AA (055)

Course Number – Course Description	Hours
Freshman Year 1st Semester – Fall	
<input type="checkbox"/> ORI 1111 Freshman Orientation	1
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1483 or 1493 American History	3
<input type="checkbox"/> CD 1103 Teacher, Community, & Family Relations	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 1413 Survey of Contemporary Math (Or Higher)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> CD 1223 Behavior, Guidance, and Readiness	3
Total:	16
Freshman Year 2nd Semester – Spring	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1213 Freshman Composition II	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 1113 Intro to Psychology	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HPER 1113 Personal Health & Wellness	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Science - (CHEM, GPS, OR PHYS)	4
<input type="checkbox"/> CD 2113 Child Growth & Development	3
Total:	16
Sophomore Year 1st Semester – Fall	
<input type="checkbox"/> Biological Science - (BIO, BOT, OR ZOO)	4
<input type="checkbox"/> Humanities (ART, ENGL, HUM, MUS, PHIL, OR RLED)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> CS 1103 Microcomputer Applications	3
<input type="checkbox"/> CD 2133 Language & Physical Skills	3
<input type="checkbox"/> CD 2223 Program Planning & Administration	3
Total:	16
Sophomore Year 2nd Semester – Spring	
<input type="checkbox"/> POS 1113 American Federal Government	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Humanities (ART, ENGL, HUM, MUS, PHIL, OR RLED)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 1113 Intro to Sociology	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Electives in Major	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Elective in Major	2-3
Total:	14-15
Total Hours: 62-63	

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How to Use this “Semester by Semester Degree Plan”: Courses in this semester by semester breakdown are listed with several thoughts in mind. Prerequisites are listed first. Science, math, and major coursework are listed in order the course should be taken and in what term the course should be taken. Students should enroll into ORI 1111 and ENGL 1113, and any development courses in the first term. Courses listed in parenthesis are selections from which a student may choose. Enrollment into developmental courses will add to the total credit hour count, and may alter math and science enrollment rotations. -- While this is a guide to help the student with pre-enrollment, a study of the Course Schedule and a visit with an academic advisor is a must.

Estimated Program Cost: Students can complete this degree in four semesters (15-16 per semester).

The estimated cost of this program is approximated at: *62 credit-hours x \$127.25 per credit hour = \$ 7,889.50* (Although this cost does not include textbooks, supplies, developmental coursework and is designed as an ESTIMATE only).

Actual program cost is based on Fall 2018 in-state tuition amounts and the final costs will vary from this estimate.