

Certificate: Early Childhood Education Curriculum 2024-25 Advising Guide

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Program Prerequisites:

- Placement into IRW 115 Critical Reading and Writing (5 credits) or WR 115 Introduction to Expository Writing (4 credits)
- Recommended: ECE 120 Introduction to Early Childhood Education (3 credits) or Step 8 in Oregon Registry

Coursework:

Course Number	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credits
Fall			
ECE 126	Early Childhood Development: Birth to Age 8	place into IRW 115 or WR 115	3
HE 262 or ECE 222	Children's Health, Nutrition & Safety or Resilience & Wellness for Educators	place into IRW 115 or WR 115	3
CG 101	College Survival and Success: Personal Responsibility	none	1
Winter			
ECE 234 or ECE 223	Inclusion of Children with Special Needs or Supporting Dual Language Learners: Birth to Age 8	Pre/co: IRW 115 or WR 115 or place	3
WR 115 or higher	Introduction to Expository Writing (or higher)	place into WR 115	4
	ECE Electives	varied	3
Spring			6
ECE 235 or ECE 237	Art, Music & Movement: Birth to Age 8 or Trauma-Informed Care and Education: Birth to Age 8	IRW 115 or WR 115 or place	3
ECE 236 or ECE 232	Language and Literacy in Early Childhood Education or S.T.E.A.M: Birth to Age 8	IRW 115 or WR 115 or place	3
S.T.E.A.M: Birth to Age 8 Total Quarter Credits			23



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Early Childhood Education Electives				
Course Number	Course Title	Prereqs	Credits	
ECE 177	Multi-age Groups	none	1	
ECE 179	Child Portfolios in ECE	none	1	
ECE 185	Field Trips in Early Childhood	None	1	
ECE 187	Cooking Experiences for Young Children	none	1	
ECE 188	Block Play and Woodworking for Young Children	none	1	
ECE 238	Administration of ECE Programs	ECE 126 or HEC 226. Pre/Co: IRW 115 or WR 115 or place. Rec: experience working with children in groups	3	
ED 101	Teachers Make a Difference: Exploring the K-5 Classroom	none	1	
CG 209	Job Finding Skills	none	1	
WR 122 or 122Z	Composition II	WR 121 or WR 121Z	4	
Up to 3 credits of	Physical Education (PE) courses	•		
Up to 3 credits of Set Three Community-based Training (1 credit per 10 hours)				
Up to 3 credits of foreign language				