

ASNUNTUCK COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Early Childhood Education Requirements* - Certificate

Student Name: _____

Student ID#: _____

Offered <i>F</i> all, <i>S</i> pring, <i>S</i> ummer, or <i>W</i> inter	Semester/Year Plan to Take	Course #	Course Title	Credits	Semester/Year Completed/Transferred in	Grade
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Requirements:

F, Sp		ECE* 101	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	3		
F, Sp, Su		ECE* 103	Creative Experiences/Children OR Health Safety & Nutrition	3		
F, Su		ECE* 176				
F		ECE* 182	Child Growth & Development OR Child Development	3		
F		+PSY* 203				
Sp		+ECE* 231	Early Language & Literacy Development	3		
Sp, Su		+ECE* 215	The Exceptional Learner	3		
See catalog			**ECE* Early Childhood Education Elective	3		
F, Sp, Su		+ENG* 101	Composition	3		
F, Sp, Su		ENG* 114	Children's Literature	3		
F, Sp, Su		SOC 190	Self & Others: Dynamics of Diversity	3		
F, Sp, Su		COM* 173	Public Speaking OR Acting I	3		
F, Sp		THR* 110				

** Early Childhood Education Electives: ECE* 103, ECE* 106, +ECE* 109, ECE* 141, ECE* 176, +ECE* 180, +ECE* 215, +ECE* 225, +ECE* 275.

Total Credits Required: 30

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Program Information

Outcomes: The Early Childhood Education certificate is designed to provide students with the opportunity to complete a course of study which will prepare them to work in the field. It is also designed for students who are already employed in early childhood and want to improve their knowledge and competency in working with young children. Students who complete this certificate may move into the program leading to an Associate in Science degree.

Employment Information: Students who earn a Certificate in Early Childhood Education are qualified to work as paraprofessionals and teaching assistants in early care and learning settings such as day cares, preschools, before and after school programs, public schools, and Head Start programs that serve children birth through age eight.

Graduation Information: A cumulative 2.0 GPA is required to graduate. All courses for degree credit must be numbered 100 or above. Students must complete and submit a Graduation Application to the Registrar's Office in order to graduate. *Graduation Application deadlines:* December graduation - December 1st, May graduation - March 31st, August graduation - August 1st.

Contact Information

Please contact the Program Coordinator, Carol LaLiberte, for more information at 860.253.3187 or claliberte@asnuntuck.edu.

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+Prerequisite required

*Common Course Number