



**CHICAGO STATE
UNIVERSITY**

City Colleges of Chicago
Transfer Guide
BS Ed in Early Childhood Education

Early Childhood Education Program Overview

Graduates who complete the Early Childhood Education licensure degree earn an Illinois Professional Educator License with an Early Childhood Endorsement, an ESL Endorsement, and an Early Childhood Special Education Letter of Approval. Candidates completing the licensure degree are accorded all rights and privileges of the Illinois Professional Educator License with respect to practicing in public school systems and adding additional grade-level and/or content area endorsements.

Mission and Purpose of the Program

The Early Childhood Education degree prepares knowledgeable educational professionals who are dedicated to and capable of serving and advocating for culturally, linguistically, and ability diverse children and their families. The program exposes students to research and evidence-based practices that promote critical thinking, informed decision-making, and implementation of best practices to ensure our graduates' success. The program is committed to teaching, research, service, and community engagement, including social justice, leadership, and entrepreneurship.



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Articulation Crosswalk for BS Ed in Early Childhood Education

| Chicago City Colleges A.A.S. in Child Development: Pre-School Education | | | Chicago State University B.S.Ed. in Early Childhood Education | | |
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| Course # | Title | Credit Hours | Course # | Title | Credit Hours |
| General Education Coursework | | | | | |
| ENG 101 | Composition | 3 | ENG 1270 | Composition I | 3 |
| *ART 103 | Art Appreciation | 3 | ART 1100 | Introduction to the Visual Arts | 3 |
| *SPEECH 101 | Fundamentals of Speech Communication | 3 | CMAT 1130 | Speech for Professionals | 3 |
| *MATH 121 | Math for Elementary Teachers | 4** | MATH 1010 | Concepts of Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers | 3 (4) |
| *POL SCI 201 | National Government | 3 | POL 1010 | American National Government | 3 |
| Required Program Core | | | | | |
| CHLD DV 101 | Child Development I | 4 | ECH 4402 | Child Development I | 3 (4) |
| CHLD DV 107 | Health Safety and Nutrition | 3 | ECH 4403 | Health, Safety & Nutrition | 3 |
| CHLD DV 109 | Language & Literacy Development in Early Childhood | 3 | ECH 4408 | Speech & Language Development | 3 |
| CHLD DEV 120 | Introduction to Early Childhood Education Group Care | 3 | ECH 4401 | History and Philosophy of Early Childhood Education | 3 |
| CHLD DEV 143 | Science & Math for Young Children | 3 | ECH 4414 | Methods of Teaching Science Pre-K to Grade 2 | 2 (3) |
| CHLD DEV 149 | Creative Activities for Young Children | 3 | ECH 4412 | Methods of Teaching Fine Arts | 2 (3) |
| CHLD DV 201 | Observation, Assessment & Documentation to Support Young Children & Families | 3 | ECH 4419 | Screening & Assessments and Evaluations | 3 |
| CHLD DV 258 | Principles & Practices of Pre-School Education | 4 | ECH 4404 | Foundations of Instruction for Children Ages 0-8 | 3 (4) |
| CHLD DV 262 | Child, Family & Community Relations (HD)*** | 3 | ECH 4406 | Child, Family & Community | 3 |
| Required Work-Based Learning Course | | | | | |
| CHLD DV 259 | Practicum in Pre-School | 6 | ECH 4445 | Field Practicum Pre-K to Grade 2 | 3 (6) |
| Recommended Program Electives | | | | | |

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| CHLD DV 102 | Human Growth & Development II | 3 | ECH 4405 | Child Development II | 3 |
| CHLD DV 142 | Methods & Materials for Infant Toddler Care | 3 | ECH 4550 | Introduction to Infant Mental Health | 3 |
| CHLD DV 205 | Development of Exceptional Children | 3 | S ED 4301 | Characteristics of Exceptional Children | 3 |
| CHLD DV 248 | Principles & Practice of Infant & Toddler Care | 4 | ECH 4411 | Methods for Developing Infant Toddler Curriculum | 3 (4) |
| Total Credits | | 64 | Total Credits Accepted Towards Degree Requirements | | 64 |

* Recommended general education courses for licensure

** Math course that equals 4 credit hours at City Colleges transfers as such to CSU.

*** Satisfies the City Colleges Human Diversity (HD) requirement

| Courses required at Chicago State University for B.S.Ed. In Early Childhood Education: Licensure | | |
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| | | Credit Hours |
| General Education Coursework | | |
| ENG 1280 Composition II | | 3 |
| BIOL 1070 Biology Survey II (with lab) | | 3 |
| MUS 1134 History and Appreciation of Music | | 3 |
| PH S 1100 Practical Physics I | | 3 |
| PH S 1140 Practical Earth and Space Science | | 3 |
| GEOG 1100 Globalization and Diversity | | 3 |
| HIST 1310 U.S. History since 1877 | | 3 |
| MATH 1020 Concepts of Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers II | | 3 |
| IAI Humanities | | 3 |
| Remaining Required Early Childhood & Special Education Courses | | |
| ECSE 4407 Child, Family and Community Relationships in ECSE | | 2 |
| ECSE 4409 Speech & Language Development in ECSE | | 2 |
| ECSE 4417 Methods and Instruction in Early Childhood Special Education | | 2 |
| ECSE 4418 Screening and Assessment in Early Childhood Special Education | | 2 |
| Required Bilingual/ESL Courses for ESL Endorsement | | |
| ESL 4000 History, Philosophy, and Equity of English as a Second Language | | 3 |
| ESL 4100 Assessment and Evaluation in English as a Second Language | | 3 |
| ESL 4110 Language and Linguistics | | 3 |
| ESL 4120 Teaching English as a Second Language | | 3 |
| ESL 4130 Cross Cultural Studies | | 3 |
| ESL 4270 Methods and Materials for Teaching English as a Second Language | | 3 |
| Early Childhood Methods and Student Teaching | | |
| ECH 4410 Literature and Informational Text for Children Ages 0-8 | | 3 |
| ECH 4413 Methods of Teaching Social Studies Pre-K to Grade 2 | | 2 |
| ECH 4415 Methods of Teaching Mathematics Pre-K to Grade 2 | | 3 |
| ECH 4416 Methods of Teaching Reading and Language | | 3 |
| ECH 4450 Student Teaching and Seminar in Pre-K to Grade 2 | | 6 |
| ED 4312 Teaching with Technology | | 3 |

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| CCC Transferred Credit Hours | 64 |
| CSU Completion Credit Hours | 73 |
| Total Degree Credit Hours | 137 |