



## **PROGRAM OF STUDY**

### **Early Childhood Education Associate in Science for Transfer**

A certificate is earned by students who have developed skills necessary to work as teachers of infant, toddler, preschool or special needs children in early childhood settings. Courses emphasize strong theoretical and practical skills needed to work with children birth to 2 years, 2-5 years, or birth to 5 years with disabilities. Courses fulfill Title 22 licensing requirements and Title 5 early childhood education course requirements for the Child Development Permit at the teacher level.

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#### **Program Outcomes:**

##### **OUTCOME 1:**

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### **Courses Needed for Early Childhood Education (Transfer)**

<b>Required Core (24 units):</b>	<b>Units</b>
EC A126 Teaching in a Diverse Society	3.0
EC A127 Health, Safety, and Nutrition	3.0
EC A155 Principles & Practices of Teaching Young Children	3.0
EC A165 Observing and Recording Child Behavior	3.0
EC A200 Early Childhood Programs – The Curriculum	3.0
EC A201 Early Childhood Practicum – Field Experience	3.0
HMDV A180 Child Growth and Development	3.0
HMDV A190 Family, School, and Community Partnerships	3.0
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>24.0</b>

<b>Program Major Units: 24</b>	<b>Units</b>
<b>CSU or IGETC General Education Breadth: 36</b>	
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>36.0</b>

Transfer elective units as needed to satisfy 60-unit degree requirement	Subtotal	Units
		Varies

**Total Units 60.0**