

UNIVERSITY-REQUIRED TRANSFER COURSES

B.A.S. Interdisciplinary Studies Early Childhood Program Leadership

Bachelor of Applied Science (B.A.S.) at the University of Houston-Clear Lake
2009-2010 2+2 Transfer Plan to University of Houston-Clear Lake

This 120 hour degree program is designed to accommodate many of the Child Development/Early Childhood courses and the General Core Curriculum courses required for the Associate of Applied Science (A.A. S.) in Child Development. A maximum of 60 hours may be transferred from lower level with the remaining 60 hours taken at upper level. The 42 hour General Core Curriculum requirements may be taken as a combination of upper level and lower level courses. Students also take a total of 78 hours of a combination of upper and lower level Child Development/Early Childhood and related coursework. A minimum of 18 hours of Child Development/Early Childhood courses must be taken at the lower level. Other lower level courses may also be acceptable. See a UHCL School of Education advisor for details.

FOOTNOTES	CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS*	CORE #	SUGGESTED PROGRAM FOUNDATION COURSES***
a	ENGL 1301 - Composition I (C- or better)	3 10	EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM LEADERSHIP TRACK
a	ENGL 1302 - Composition II (C- or better), or ENGL 2311 – Technical Writing (C- or better)	3 10	CDEC/TECA 1303 - Children, Family and Society (<i>ECED 4335 at UHCL</i>) 3 CDEC/TECA 1311 - Educating the Young Child (<i>ECED 4031 at UHCL</i>) 3
b	**Humanities (<i>or upper-level equivalent</i>)	3 40	CDEC/TECA 1318 - Wellness and the Young Child (<i>ECED 4034 at UHCL</i>) 3
c	**HIST 1301 - American History I (<i>or upper-level equivalent</i>)	3 60	CDEC/TECA 1354 - Child and Lifespan Development (<i>ECED 4133 at UHCL</i>) 3
c	**HIST 1302 - American History II (<i>or upper-level equivalent</i>), or **HIST 2301, 2302 or 2303-Texas History (<i>or upper-level equivalent</i>)	3 60	CDEC 1313 - Curriculum Resources for Young Children 3 CDEC 1319 - Child Guidance (<i>ECED 4033 at UHCL</i>) 3
	GOVT 2301 - Government I	3 70	CDEC 1358 - Creative Arts (<i>HUMN 3034 at UHCL</i>) 3
	GOVT 2302 - Government II	3 70	CDEC 1359 - Children with Special Needs (<i>SPED 4030 at UHCL</i>) 3
	MATH 1314 - College Algebra (or higher), or Algebra based Mathematics for Liberal Arts	3 20	CDEC 2366 – Practicum 3 CDEC 2326 – Administration of Programs for Young Children I 3
d	**Visual and Performing Arts (<i>or upper-level equivalent</i>)	3 50	CDEC 2328 – Administration of Programs for Young Children II 3
e	**Natural Science (<i>or upper-level equivalent</i>)	6 30	FMLD 1322 – Dynamics of Human Relations 3
f	**Social and Behavioral Science (<i>or upper-level equivalent</i>)	3 80	
g	**Speech/Communication	3 11	
h	**Computer Competency	3 90	
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EXPLANATION OF FOOTNOTES

- * UHCL's requirements are consistent with the 42-hour Texas core curriculum. If a student completes a component of the core at one Texas institution, that block of courses will be substituted for UHCL's same core component(s). Additional Program Foundation courses are required. **Please refer to your school's core requirements for specific courses in each area below.**
- ** These courses may be fulfilled by approved upper-level equivalents at UHCL.
- *** Admission to this degree program requires an A.A.S in Child Development or a similar field. Applicants who do not hold an appropriate A.A.S will be accepted provided they meet the university admissions standards and have completed 18 hours of course work in child development, early childhood education or a related field. The courses listed here are the suggested courses for each track. Other courses can be accepted.
- a Must complete six hours of Composition with grades of "C-" or better. Students following the Early Childhood Program Leadership Track should complete ENGL 2311 in place of ENGL 1302.
- b Suggested courses for Humanities include: any ENGL literature, HUMA, PHIL, RELI, SPCH or HIST (in addition to core requirements), or sophomore-level foreign language course.
- c Six hours of American History required; three hours may be in Texas History.
- d Suggested courses for Visual and Performing Arts include: any ARTS, DANC, DRAM, MUSI, or MUAP course. Three semester hours credit required.
- e Suggested courses for Natural Science include: any ASTR, BIOL, CHEM, ESCI, GEOL, or PHYS courses. One course in Life Science (BIOL) and one course in Earth Science (GEOL) or Physical Science (PHYS/CHEM) preferred.
- f Suggested courses for Social and Behavioral Science include: any ANTH, ECON, GEOG, PSYC, or SOCI course. Also any GOVT or HIST course in addition to core requirements.
- g Suggested courses for Speech/Communication include: any SPCH course.
- h Suggested courses for Computer Competency include: any COSC or CSCI course. Other courses may meet this requirement. Please check with an advisor on your campus.
- # The core component number is used by Texas schools to identify which area of the 42-hour core curriculum a course fulfills.



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GENERAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

- A total of 120 semester hours of applicable college credit. A maximum of three hours of lower-level "activities" courses may be applied toward graduation. No more than 18 semester hours of previously earned lower-level credit may have been taken by correspondence, extension or CLEP.
- At least 60 semester hours of upper-level work. Some lower-level coursework may be approved to replace upper-level hours. See an academic advisor for details.
- At least 30 hours of the degree program must be taken in residence at UHCL.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.000 on course work completed at UHCL with grades of "C" or better on at least 30 hours of resident upper-level work. Grades of "C-" and below cannot be applied toward the 30 hours of resident upper-level work.
- Remain continuously enrolled (complete at least one course in a 12 month period) or meet requirements of a later catalog.
- Complete the degree within seven years or meet requirements of a later catalog.

SOE GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (21 HOURS)

HUMN 3034 – Arts & the Child (or CDEC 1358)	3
INST 3133 – Survey of Instructional Technology	3
SILC 4135 – Theories of American Pluralism	3
SILC 4138 – Linguistic Diversity and Young Children	3
SPED 4030 – Survey of Exceptionalities (or CDEC 1359)	3
SPED 4332 – Early Childhood Special Education	3
WRIT 3037 – Advanced Writing	3

EARLYCHILDHOOD EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (30 HOURS)

ECED 4031 – Historic and Recent Trends in Early Childhood Programs (or CDEC/TECA 1311)	3
ECED 4033 – Child Guidance and Classroom Management (or CDEC 1319)	3
ECED 4034 – Health, Safety and Nutrition (or CDEC/TECA 1318)	3
ECED 4131 – Reading Development in Young Children	3
ECED 4133 – Developmental Theories for Young Children (or CDEC/TECA 1354)	3
ECED 4134 – Observation/Developmental Assessment of Young Children	3
ECED 4231 – Infants and Toddlers	3
ECED 4232 – Cultural Awareness for Young Children	3
ECED 4233 – Preschool Curriculum	3
ECED 4335 – Children and Families (or CDEC/TECA 1303)	3

EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM LEADERSHIP REQUIREMENTS (6 HOURS):

ECED 4234 – Advanced Admin. of Programs for Young Children	3
SOCI 4238 – Social Conflict and Mediation	3

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PRACTICUM (6 HOURS)

ECED 4737 – Practicum I	3
ECED 4738 – Practicum II	3

In some cases, lower level courses can be used to replace these upper level courses. Additional substitutions may also be approved. See an academic advisor for details.

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