

Southwestern Illinois College
Pathway - Early Childhood Education AAS

Southwestern Illinois College
Associate in Applied Science

Fall Year 1

SWIC Course		Hours
ENG 101	Rhetoric and Comp I	3
ECE 112	Growth and Development	3
ECE 110	Intro to Early Childhood Ed	3
MGMT 102 ¹	Business Mathematics	4
SOC 153	Intro to Sociology	3
Total		16

Spring Year 1

SWIC Course		Hours
ENG 102	Rhetoric and Comp II	3
ECE 114	Child Health Maintenance	3
ECE 250	Child, Family and Community	3
	Lab Science Course	4
HES 151	Personal Health and Wellness	2
PSYC 151	General Psych	3
Total		18

Fall Year 2

SWIC Course		Hours
ECE 116	Children with Special Needs	3
ECE 118	Early Childhood Practicum I	3
ECE 121	Early Childhood Curriculum	3
ED 293	Children's Literature	3
Tech Elective	Technology Elective	3
IAI Humanities	Humanities Course	3
Total		18

Spring Year 2

SWIC Course		Hours
ECE 125	Early Childhood Administration	3
HES 152 ²	First Aid-Medical Self Help	2
CUL 116	Food Service Sanitation	1
ECE elective	See catalog for options	3
IAI Humanities	Humanities Course	3
Total		12

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¹Can substitute MATH 097 - Intermediate algebra or a higher class

²Students who hold current CPR and First Aid certificates should see program coordinator for waiver of this class.

*Students must complete 50% or more of degree requirements at SIUE.

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Fall Year 3

SIUE Course		Hours
CIED 316	Active Engagement Infants and Toddlers	3
CIED 317	Hlth, Safety, Nutr, and Physical Play	3
SPE 440	Infants and Toddlers w/Spec. Needs	3
ART 450	Early Childhood Art Education	3
CIED 330	EC Field Experience I	3
Total		15

Spring Year 3

SIUE Course		Hours
CIED 314	Creating/Managing Learning Environ	3
CIED 318	Collab Prof, Family, Comm Relationships	3
CIED 319a	Inquiry, Invest, & Play	3
CIED 320	Supporting Lang. and Lit	3
CIED 417	Assesment of Young Children	3
CIED 331	EC Field Experience II	3
Total		18

Summer Year 3

SIUE Course		Hours
SPE 290	Language Development	3
Total		3

Fall Year 4

SIUE Course		Hours
CIED 321	Primary Literacy Assessment	3
CIED 416	Inquiry, Invest, & Play	3
CIED 418	Teaching Math in ECE	3
CIED 433	Methods Teaching Pre K Second Lang.	3
CIED 332	EC Field Experience III	3
Total		15

Spring Year 4

SIUE Course		Hours
CIED 457	Prof, Ethics and Advocacy	2
CIED 458	Early Childhood Student Teaching	5
CIED 459	Elementary Student Teaching	5
Total		12

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- *In order to be admitted to a teacher education cohort in early childhood education, it is necessary to have:
- *A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher at all institutions and be in good academic standing at SIUE
- *Completion of 42 semester hours or more of college-level coursework
- *All foundations courses (ENG 101, 102) must be completed with a “C” or higher
- *Completion of PSYC 250 Child Development or its equivalent with a grade of C or better.