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PROGRAM OF STUDY FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (PRE K-2)
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Catalog Year: 2018
 2.75 minimum GPA requirement

Students must meet the following requirements for graduation:

A minimum of a 120 total credits | 60 credits from a 4-yr institution | 40 upper-division credits | 30 resident credits

UNLV General Education Core Requirements

First and Second Year Experience (6 cr.)	CR	DATE	GRADE
COE 103	3		
COE 202 (prerequisite ENG 102)	3		

English Composition & Literature Requirement (6cr.)

ENG 101	3		
ENG 102	3		

Constitution Requirement (4cr.) Choose one from (A) **OR** one EACH from (B) **and** (C).

(A) HIST 100 OR PSC 101 (US & NV)	4		
OR			
(B) HIST 101 OR URST 241 (US only) and	3		
(C) HIST 102, 217 OR PSC 100 (NV only)	1-3		

Mathematics (3cr.)

Any 100 + level math (except 115 or 122)	3		
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Humanities and Fine Arts (9cr.) Two courses from 2 **different** humanities areas and one intro or appreciation course from a fine arts area.

Humanities 1 (Choose from): any ENG lit. course, foreign languages (Spanish is highly recommended), HIST, PHIL (except PHIL 102, 105, 114), AAD 201/201D, COM 101, 211, 216, GWC 300 OR WMST* (if cross-listed with ENG Lit, HIST or PHIL)	3		
Humanities 2 (different area from above list):	3		
Fine Arts (Choose from): AAE 100, AAI 100, LAND 100, ART 101, 107, 135, 160, 211, 212, 216, 260, 261, DAN 100, 101, 103, 104, 165, 166/AAS 166, FIS 100, 110, MUS 101, 121, 125, 127*, 129, 134* OR THTR 100, 105, 124, 175.	3		

Life and Physical Sciences and Analytical Thinking (10cr.) Two courses from the life and physical sciences (at least one of which must be a laboratory course), typically for a total of 7 credits, and one 3-credit course in analytical thinking.

Lab science: Astronomy, ANTH 102 & 110L, biology, chemistry (except 103 & 108), geography, geology, OR physics	4		
Non-lab science: Astronomy, ANTH 102, NUTR 121, biology, chemistry (except 103 & 108), EGG 100, 150, ENV 101, 220, geography, geology, OR physics	3		
COM 104, COM 217 OR PHIL 102	3		

International Requirement (Ask about double-dipping. For a list of approved courses, go to: <https://www.unlv.edu/provost/multicultural-requirements>)

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Multicultural Requirement

EDU 280 (required education core course; double-dips here)	----	-----	on back
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Elective courses (This program requires electives)

COURSE	CR	GRADE	COURSE	CR	GRADE	COURSE	CR	GRADE

College of Education: <http://education.unlv.edu/> • Department of Educational & Clinical Studies: <http://education.unlv.edu/ecs/>

CCSD: <https://ccsd.net/> • NV Department of Education: <http://www.doe.nv.gov/>

Education Core Requirements (9cr.)	PREREQ	CR	DATE	GRADE
EDU 280 Valuing Cultural Diversity	ENG 102	3		
EDU 214E Preparing Teachers to Use Technology		3		
EPY 303 Educational Psychology	33 credits	3		

Full-major requirements = 2.75 GPA, ECE 250, 24 credits, and passing Praxis Core scores.

Take Praxis Core Exams early! For more info, go to: www.ets.org/praxis/

Program requirements (60cr.)

ECE 250 Orientation to ECE		3	Fa	
ECE 251 Curriculum in ECE	Prereq./Coreq. ECE 250	3	Fa	
ECE 252 Infant/Toddler Curriculum	Prereq./Coreq. ECE 250	3	Sp	

See Field Experiences website for application deadlines & current rules on fingerprinting: education.unlv.edu/essc/

B rule = Must earn B or better in ECE 299, ECE 483

EDSP 471 Intro to ECSE	Prereq. ECE 250, 24 credits, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Fa	
ECE 299 Practicum for Infants/Toddlers (B rule) (6 hours per week with infants and toddlers) → Apply by deadline → Need Sheriff's Card & TB Test	Prereq. ECE 250 Coreq. ECE 251 or ECE 252, 24 credits, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3		
EDRL 401 Children's Lit. Elem. Curriculum	ECE 250, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Sp Su Fa	
ECE 431 Teaching Comm. Skills to Young Children	ECE 250, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Fa	
ECE 441 Play Theory, Creativity & Aesthetics in ECE	ECE 250, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Sp	
ECE 453 Methods in ECE I: Social Sci.	ECE 250, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Sp	
ECE 454 Methods in ECE II: Math & Sci.	ECE 250, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Fa	
ECE 457 Working w/Families in ECE	ECE 250, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Sp	
ECE 456 Positive Discipline in ECE Programs	ECE 250, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Fa	
EDSP 473 Developmental Assessment in ECSE	ECE 250, EDSP 471, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Sp	
EDSP 474 Curriculum Development in ECSE	ECE 250, EDSP 471, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Sp	
EDSP 475 Strategies for Teaching Young Children w/ Disab.	ECE 250, EDSP 471, 2.75 GPA & attempted Praxis Core	3	Fa	

Pre-student teaching:

Apply by deadline prior semester & Passing Praxis Core Exams required to apply

Prior to pre-student teaching, fingerprinting and a cleared background check through Clark County School District are required.

Take Praxis II during pre-student teaching – for more info, go to: www.ets.org/praxis/ (For NV Licensure not necessary for graduation)

ECE 483 Pre-Student Teaching in ECE (10 hours per week in a kindergarten) (B rule)	ECE 299, passing Praxis core & 2.75 GPA	3		
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Student-teaching block:

Apply by deadline prior semester with advisor

ECE 491 Student Teaching in ECE (Full time)	Completion of all of the above 2.75 GPA	10		
ECE 492 Student Teaching Seminar in ECE		2		

Course offering term(s) listed in the date column are subject to change. Meet with an advisor every semester. Rev. 3/18