

Early Childhood Education

Associate in Science Degree Pathway¹



WAUBONSEE
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The following table sets out recommended courses to earn an associate degree at Waubonsee and transfer on to become an early childhood education major at a four-year school. Courses are mapped to the requirements of the general Associate in Arts and/or Associate in Science degrees, complete with categories noted in bold and credit hours noted in parentheses. To see the full list of degree requirements and course options, visit waubonsee.edu/transfer

<p style="text-align: center;">1st Semester</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ENG 101 – First-Year Composition I <i>with or without ENG 099</i>² (3) ○ MTH 201 – Math for Elementary Teachers (3)² ○ PSC 100 – Introduction to American Government (3)^{3,4} ○ ECE 115 – Child Growth and Development (3)⁴ ○ EDU 200 – Introduction to Education (3)⁴ <p>Total Credits = 15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2nd Semester</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ENG 102 – First-Year Composition II (3) ○ GEO 120 – World Regional Geography (3)^{3,4} ○ BIO 100 – Introduction to Biology (3) <u>AND</u> ○ BIO 101 – Introduction to Biology – Lab⁴ (1) ○ PSY 110 – Introduction to Psychology⁴ (3) ○ MTH 202 – Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II (3) <p>Total Credits = 16</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">3rd Semester</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ COM 100 – Fundamentals of Speech Communication (3) ○ ENG 228 – Children’s Literature (3)³ ○ ESC 100 – Survey of Earth Science (3) <u>AND</u> ○ ESC 101 – Survey of Earth Science Laboratory⁴ (1) ○ EDU 220 – Introduction to Special Education⁴ (3) ○ HIS 122 – American History Since 1865 (3)^{3,4} <p>Total Credits = 16</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">4th Semester</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ MUS 101 – Musics of the World³ (3) <u>OR</u> ○ ART 100 – Art Appreciation³ (3) ○ CHM 100 – Introduction to Chemistry⁴ (3) <u>OR</u> ○ PHY 103 – Concepts of Physics⁴ (3) ○ EDU 200 – Introduction to Education² (3) <u>OR</u> ○ EDU 205 – Introduction to Technology in Education² (3) <u>OR</u> ○ EDU 210 – Educational Psychology² (3) ○ ECN 100 – Introduction to Economics⁴ (3) <u>OR</u> ○ ECN 201 – Principles of Economics - Microeconomics⁴ (3) <u>OR</u> ○ EDU 202 – Principles of Economics – Macroeconomics⁴ (3) ○ PHL 100 – Introduction to Philosophy⁴ (3) <u>OR</u> ○ PHL 105 – Introduction to Ethics⁴ (3) <u>OR</u> ○ PHL 120 – Introduction to World Religions⁴ (3) <p>Total Credits = 15</p>

1. Certain colleges have specific requirements. Please see a Counselor or Advisor for detailed requirements.
2. Take your placement test and work with a counselor as certain colleges have specific requirements.
3. At least one course from Social and Behavioral Science or Humanities and Fine Arts must meet the Non-Western/Diversity requirement.
4. Please see a Counselor or Advisor for detailed requirements.

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