Associate in Applied Science - Early Childhood Education
2013-2014

Program Prerequisites: High School Diploma or GED
Pass background check, provide negative results of Tuberculin skin test and obtain liability insurance prior to registering for ECED& 120

Program Requirements: Maintain an overall 2.0 GPA (students planning to transfer to a 4-year university must have a minimum 1.0 in courses with an “&” sign).

Recommendations: Complete English, Math, CMST& 220, CSS 104, ECED& 105 and/or EDUC& 115 within first year, if possible.

Computational Skills Requirement:
- MATH& 107 Math in Society 5 credits
  (Prerequisite: Successful completion of Math 98 or Math 99)

Oral and Written Communication Requirements:
- ENGL& 101 English Composition 1 5 credits
  (Prerequisite: Successful completion of ENGL 99 or placement in ENGL& 101)
- CMST& 220 Public Speaking 5 credits

Human Relations Requirements:
- PSYC& 100 General Psychology 5 credits
- SOC& 101 Introduction to Sociology 5 credits

First Aid Requirement:
- FAD 150 Industrial First Aid and Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation 2 credits (or current card)

Early Childhood Education Requirements:
- ECED& 105 Intro Early Child Ed 5 credits
- ECED& 107 Health/Safety/Nutrition 5 credits
- ECED& 120 Practicum: Nurturing Rel 2 credits
  (Prerequisite: ECED& 105)
- ECED& 132 Infants/Toddlers Care 3 credits
- ECED& 160 Curriculum Development 5 credits
  (Concurrent enrollment in ECED& 190)
- ECED& 170 Environments-Young Child 3 credits
- ECED& 180 Lang/Literacy Develop 3 credits
- ECED& 190 Observation/Assessment 3 credits
  (Concurrent enrollment in ECED& 160)
- EDUC 106 Issues in Child Abuse 2 credits (or certificate)
- EDUC& 115 Child Development 5 credits
- EDUC& 130 Guiding Behavior 3 credits
- EDUC& 150 Child/Family/Community 3 credits
- EDUC 190 Classroom Experience 9 credits
  (Prerequisite: ECED& 120, EDUC& 201 or instructor permission)
- EDUC& 204 Exceptional Child 5 credits

Required Electives:
- CSS 104 Introduction to Computer Literacy 3 credits
- HUM 214 Diversity Issues 5 credits
  (Prerequisite: Successful completion of ENGL& 101)

Total: 91 credits
Date ___________  
Catalog Year __ 2013-2014 ____________

Program Title: **Early Childhood Education**  
Advisor __ Jenny Nighswonger _______  
Phone __ 793-2216 ______

Student’s Name: ___________________________________________  
ID# ___________________  
PIN: ___________  
Phone: ________________

Employer: ___________________________________________________

This academic planning tool is designed to help you prepare and monitor your progress in completing the program requirements. **Changes or substitutions for course work in the college catalog must be listed and approved by your advisor.** It is essential that you meet quarterly with your advisor before registration to review your progress.

You have three years to complete your AAS degree from the quarter of entry into the program. After this date, you may be required to take additional courses to meet the graduation requirement.

**PART A: RELATED INSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS:** Refer to the Big Bend Community College catalog for more information

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**PART C: ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES:** To total at least 90 credits

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This is an important document. It is your responsibility to maintain it and provide it at advising appointments. Your application for graduation should be completed during the final quarter of your program. Application forms may be obtained from your advisor.