

Scope and Sequence Early Childhood Education

Academic Subjects – Career success and postsecondary education success require the same level of college prep coursework. The Pennsylvania Department of Education’s (PDE) focus is to ensure that every student is prepared for college and a career. Academic courses such as applied math or general science cannot be listed on the program’s scope and sequence. PDE’s goal is to have all students perform at the competent or advanced level on the PSSA, and earn the Pennsylvania Skills Certificate on the end-of-program assessment.

| Subject (Hours) | Secondary School | | | | Postsecondary Institution | | | |
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| | Grade 9 (Hours) | Grade 10 (Hours) | Grade 11 (Hours) | Grade 12 (Hours) | First Semester | Second Semester | Third Semester | Fourth Semester |
| Technical | | Orientation/Professionalism | Child Development | Clinical Experience | CSC 110: Intro to Info Technology | EDU 101: Intro to Early Childhood | EDU: Elective: Education | HSR 240: Mgmt and Admin in Human Services |
| | | FCCLA and SkillsUSA | Classroom Management & Positive Guidance | CDS Portfolio | EDU 100: Child Development | EDU 125: Methods & Materials for EC Ed I | EDU 210: Observing & Communicating w/Children | EDU: Elective: Education |
| | | Introduction to Early Care and Education | Curriculum Development | Child Development | | EDU 201: Health, Safety & Nutrition for EC | EDU 225: Methods & Materials for EC Ed II | EDU 230: Young Child w/Special Needs |
| | | Health & Safety | Math Concepts | Parent & Community Relations | | | EDU 268: Methods & Materials for Infants & Toddler | EDU 256: Early Childhood Practicum |
| | | Learning Environment | Learning Activities | Job Seeking/Keeping Skills | | | | |
| | | Child Development | Job Seeking/Keeping Skills | | | | | |
| | | Assessment | | | | | | |
| | | Job Seeking/Keeping Skills | | | | | | |
| English | College Prep English 9 | College Prep English 10 | College Prep English 11 | College Prep English 12 | ENL 111: English Comp I | ENL 121: English Comp II | SPC 101: Fund of Speech | |
| Math | Algebra I | Geometry | Algebra II | Trigonometry | | _MMM: Elective: MMM Math | | |
| Science | Accl Integrated Science | Biology | Chemistry | Physics | | | | SCI: Science Elective |
| Humanities | Citizenship | World Cultures | American History I | American Government | SOC 111: Intro to Sociology | PSY 210: Child Psychology | | |
| | | | | | PSY 111: General Psychology | | | |
| Other | Physical Education | Physical Education | Physical Education | Physical Education | | | FIT 204: First Aid, Responding to Emergencies | _Open: Elective; Open |
| | Health | Health | Driver's Ed Theory | | | | | |
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