

Teacher Education and Development Studies

Early Intervention and Inclusion: Associate in Science – Non-Transfer

For many college students, working in a career where individuals can make a positive impact on children’s development is an academic and professional goal. The Teacher Education and Developmental Studies (TEDS) Department is committed to being a leader and partner in preparing our community of diverse learners to become competent, caring, and reflective educators and professionals who will advocate for and empower children and families in the 21st century.

Please see a Pathways Counselor: A local degree requires a minimum of 60 degree-applicable units with a minimum 2.0 GPA overall. [Contact a Counselor](#) to create an education plan customized to meet your needs.

Transfer Majors/Award Focus

- Child and Adolescent Development, A.A.-T CSUSM, UC
- Early Childhood Education, A.S.-T CSU
- Elementary Teacher Education, A.A.-T CSU, UC
- Early Intervention and Inclusion, A.S.

Certificates

- Associate Teacher Low-Unit
- Early Intervention and Inclusion
- Infant Toddler Teacher Low-Unit
- Teacher


GE Pattern/Units

- GE Pattern: Option A
- Total Units: 62

Program maps indicate the major coursework and recommended general education courses to fulfill your degree in 2 years (approximately 15 units/semester or 30 units/year). If you are a part-time student, start Semester 1 courses and follow the course sequence. Some of the courses listed may be substituted by another course. Please view these options in the official course [catalog](#).


Semester 1

17 Units

|  | COURSE | TITLE | UNIT |
|---|----------|---|------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-110 | Child Development | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-101 | Principles of Early Childhood Education | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | ENGL-101 | College Composition | 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | BIOL-115 | Topics in Biology | 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-131 | Children's Literature | 3 |

Semester 2

15 Units

|  | COURSE | TITLE | UNIT |
|---|----------|--|------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-125 | Child, Family and Community | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-103 | Appropriate Curricula for Young Children | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | MATH-140 | Introduction to Statistics | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | ENGL-103 | Critical Thinking and Writing | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | LIT-132 | Adolescent Literature | 3 |

Notes: ¹ AREA G (Math Competency) can be demonstrated by a high school math course at or above the level of Algebra 2 with a grade of C or better.

Career Options

Preschool Teacher (A)

Elementary Education Teacher (B)

Early Childhood Education Administrator (A)

Find more careers: msjc.emsicc.com

Required Education: SM: some college; C: Certificate; A: Associate,

B: Bachelor's, M: Master's; D: Doctorate

Financial Aid

Financial aid is determined by the number of credit hours you take in a semester. Maximize your financial aid by taking 12-15 units per semester.


Semester 3

15 Units

|  | COURSE | TITLE | UNIT |
|---|----------|---|------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-147 | Observation and Assessment in Early Childhood Education | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-143 | Supporting Children Who Have Challenging Behaviors | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-119 | Infant and Toddler Growth and Development | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | LEAD-501 | Advanced Leadership Skills | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-118 | Teaching in a Diverse Society | 3 |

Semester 4

15 Units

|  | COURSE | TITLE | UNIT |
|---|----------|--|------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-544 | Supervised Field Experience/Internship in Early Intervention and Inclusion | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-140 | Children and Youth with Exceptional Needs | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | HIST-112 | U.S. History Since 1865 | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | CDE-120 | Infant and Toddler Education and Care | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | NUTR-100 | Family Nutrition | 3 |

Work Experience

Sign up for a special project or internship opportunity. Gain [work experience](#) and earn credits.