



ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR TRANSFER

Curriculum Guide for Academic Year 2013-2014

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Resources available for transfer students:
 Academic Counselors at LAC 562-938-4561 or at PCC 562-938-3920
 Transfer Center at LAC 562-938-4670 or at PCC 562-938-3920
 ASSIST web site at www.assist.org.

Program of study leading to: Associate in Science (AS-T) Degree

REQUIRED COURSES:

- CDECE 45 Child & Adolescent Development DS1
- CDECE 48 Child, Family & Community DS2
- CDECE 53 Principles & Practices
- † CDECE 50 Introduction to Curriculum for Young Children
- CDECE 19 Health, Safety & Nutrition
- CDECE 61 Teaching in a Diverse Society D3
- † CDECE 66 Observation & Assessment DS3
- † CDECE 68 Practicum D3

C-ID Descriptor	CSU GE Area	IGETC Area	Units	In Progress	Completed Grade
CDEV 100	D7, E		3		
CDEV 110			3		
ECE 120			3		
ECE 130			3		
ECE 220			3		
ECE 230			3		
ECE 200			3		
ECE 210			3		

TOTAL UNITS 24

IN ADDITION to the above major courses, students are also required to obtain general education certification and meet other degree requirements as specified below.

General Education Certification Requirements

Completion of EITHER the California State University General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE Breadth) OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern IS REQUIRED. For general education patterns, visit the following web site: <http://osca.lbcc.edu/genedplan.cfm>, or the LBCC catalog. After completion of the General Education Pattern **students must request GE certification**. Consult with a counselor for more information about the GE Certification process.

Other Degree Requirements

- Minimum Unit Requirements:** Complete a minimum of 60 transferable units. Please note that additional units may be required to meet this minimum based upon courses selected to fulfill CSU-GE Breadth Pattern or the IGETC Pattern.

If following CSU-GE Breadth Pattern (Plan B):

	Units
Early Childhood Education Major	24**
CSU-GE Breadth	39
Minimum Required	60

If following IGETC Pattern (Plan C):

	Units
Early Childhood Education Major	24**
IGETC Pattern	37
Minimum Required	60

****Double-Counting of Units:** SB 1440 Regulations allow for double-counting of major requirements towards CSU- GE Breadth or IGETC patterns, and **3 units** of the Early Childhood Education for Transfer coursework can be applied to the CSU- GE Breadth pattern.

2. **Minimum grade and GPA requirements:** Maintain an **overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0** ("C" average) in all CSU-transferable coursework. For the major **complete each course** with a **grade of "C" or better**, or "P" if course is graded on a P/NP basis.
3. **Residence for the Degree:** Complete at least 12 units of the required 60 in residence at LBCC.
4. **Degree Application:** Complete and submit the degree application form to the Admissions and Records office during your final semester of course work. These forms are available in the Admissions and Records office, or online at <http://admissions.lbcc.edu/>. Refer to the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu/>) and click the "Important Dates" link to view the actual deadline for each semester.

Suggested Sequence of Classes

This is not an educational plan, as course offerings, student schedules, and circumstances vary. Students must meet all the prerequisites in order to be eligible for the sequence of courses.

A suggested full-time sample sequence of courses for the program includes:

<u>First Semester</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Second Semester</u>	<u>Units</u>
CDECE 45	3	CDECE 53	3
CDECE 48	3	CDECE 50	3
G.E. Courses	9	G.E. Courses	9
Semester Total	15	Semester Total	15
<u>Third Semester</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Fourth Semester</u>	<u>Units</u>
CDECE 19	3	CDECE 68	3
CDECE 61	3	G.E. Courses	15
CDECE 66	3	Semester Total	18
G.E. Course	6		
Semester Total	15		

Program Mission and Outcomes

The Child and Adult Development Department at Long Beach City College is committed to enhancing the quality of life for students, children and families throughout the life span. Embracing the diversity each student brings, the Department strives to empower individual learners through personal and professional growth. This department provides general and vocational education at the lower division level.

Outcomes:

- Design, implement, and evaluate environments and activities that support optimum developmental play and learning outcomes for all young children.
- Demonstrate responsive care and teaching practices for young children through the integration of assessment, theory, and practice.
- Apply effective guidance and interaction strategies to support children's social learning, peer relations, and self-confidence.
- Incorporate ethical and professional standards engaging in collaborative learning and reflective practices.
- Transfer from LBCC to a University.

Legend

† This course has a prerequisite; prerequisite courses must be completed with at least a "C" or "P" grade. Refer to the General Catalog (<http://www.lbcc.edu/cat/index.html>), the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu/>), or the online Credit Course Outline (<http://wdb-asir.lbcc.edu/coursecurriculum/coursedetails/>) for specific prerequisite information.