



School of Education
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA AIKEN

@ USC SALKEHATCHIE

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

PROGRAM OF STUDY

2018-2019

TO BE USED FOR ADVISEMENT PURPOSES ONLY

I. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (55-57 Hours)**

COURSE	NUMBER	WI	DESCRIPTION	HRS	USC Salk Course
ENGL	101		Composition	3	ENGL 101
ENGL	102		Composition & Literature	3	ENGL 102
MATH	108 or higher		Applied College Algebra	3	MATH 111
STAT	201 or higher		Elementary Statistics	3	STAT 205
COMM			COMM 201 or 241	3	SPCH 140
			Foreign Language	3-4	SPAN 109
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			Natural Science (2 areas) BIOL GEOL PHYS	4	BIOL 110
			Natural Science (see above)	4	CHEM 101, 102, or 107
			Social and Behavioral Sciences (2 areas) <i>Geography, Psychology, Sociology, Anthropology, Economics, Political Science, or Geography</i>	3	PSYC 101, SOCY 101, ECON 221, or ECON 222
			Social and Behavioral Sciences (see above)	3	SEE ABOVE
			Humanities Elective <i>Communications (last two digits must be in 50s or 60s), Fine Arts History, Music History, Theatre History, Philosophy (other than logic), Religion, selected Language courses, Humanities (HSSI acronym), Honors (HONS acronym)</i>	3	ARTH 105, ARTH 106, MUSC 110, RELG 120*
			Humanities Elective (see above)	3	SEE ABOVE
ENGL			English above 250	3	ENGL 282, 284, 286, 287, 288, 289
			US History: HIST 201, HIST 202, or POLI 201	3	HIST 111, 112, OR POLI 201
HIST			History of Civilization: HIST 101 or 102	3	HIST 101 OR 102
AFCI	101		Critical Inquiry Course	1	N/A

*meets non-western requirement

All USC Aiken students must complete one "non-western" classified course prior to graduation

II. EDUCATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

A. Pre-Professional Program Requirements* (22 hrs)

COURSE	NUMBER	WI	DESCRIPTION	HRS	Transfer	SEM	GRADE
EDEC	211		Family Life Education and Professional Practice	3			
EDUC	210		Clinical Observation and Analysis	1			
EDUC	300		Mathematics for Instructional Purposes for Early Childhood and Elementary Teachers	3			
EDFN	321		Dynamics of American Public Education	3			
EDPY	235		Introduction to Educational Psychology	3			
EDEX	200		Introduction to Exceptional Learner	3			
EDRD	218		Children's Literature	3			
EDEC	256		PE & Health in Early Childhood Education	3			

B. Professional Program SPRING BLOCK (14 Hours)

COURSE	NUMBER	WI	DESCRIPTION	HRS	Transfer	SEM	GRADE
EDRD	522		Foundations in Reading in ECE	3			
EDEC	411		Child Development and Foundations in Early Learning	3			
EDEC	542		Environmental Design and Classroom Management in Early Childhood Education	3			
EDEC	540		Child Study and Assessment	3			
EDRD	523		Content Area Reading and Writing in ECE	3			

FALL BLOCK (14 Hours)

COURSE	NUMBER	WI	DESCRIPTION	HRS	Transfer	SEM	GRADE
EDEC	435		Math Experiences in Early Childhood	4			
EDEC	436		Social Studies and Science in Early	4			
EDRD	524		Instructional Practices in Reading in ECE	4			
EDRD	525		Assessment of Reading in ECE	3			

INTERNSHIP (15 Hours)

COURSE	NUMBER	WI	DESCRIPTION	HRS	Transfer	SEM	GRADE
EDEC	476		Senior Seminar (coreq: EDEC 469)	3			
EDEC	469		Teaching Internship	12			

TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR: 120