



CAREER PATHWAYS

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Early Childhood Education

The Early Childhood Education Associate of Science Degree program prepares students to work with young children from birth to kindergarten. The Associate of Science degree in Early Childhood Development has been developed with the cooperation and support of Southern Oregon University (SOU). The degree is fully articulated with SOU's Early Childhood Development (ECD) program and allows students to transfer directly as juniors and be able to begin the ECD coursework at SOU with no loss of credits to pursue a bachelor's degree. Students completing the ECE Associate of Science degree will achieve Step 9 on the Oregon Registry Steps for the Oregon Center for Career Development in Childhood Care and Education.

The Early Childhood Education Associate of Applied Science Degree program prepares students to work with infants, toddlers, and preschool aged children in both public and private school settings. Students completing the ECE Associate of Applied Science degree will achieve Step 9 on the Oregon Registry Steps for the Oregon Center for Career Development in Childhood Care and Education.

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PATHWAY TYPES:



- Day Care Center Operator
- Childcare Director
- Preschool Teacher
- Preschool Program Director
- Preschool Director



SALARY RANGE: \$42,800 to \$70,730



LOCAL INDUSTRY:

- Roseburg Public Schools
- School Districts across Douglas County
- Home Based Early Childhood Ed Center
- Private Early Childhood Ed Centers

Available Pathway(s)



**Early Childhood Development
Associate of Science**

98 credits required

Two years of college coursework+



**Early Childhood Education
Associate of Applied Science**

91 credits required

Two years of college coursework

Early Childhood Education Pathway

EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT A.S. SOU	RHS	EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION A.A.S.
Healthy Relationships Spanish I Fine Arts I or Photo I	GRADE 9	Healthy Relationships
Intro to Child Development (HDFS225) Planning Activities for Young Children (ECE150) Spanish II Fine Arts II or Photo II (ART101)	GRADE 10	Intro to Child Development (HDFS225) Planning Activities for Young Children (ECE150)
ECE Practicum Experience (ECE101) Advanced Algebra Intro to Speech (COM111Z) Honors Biology (BI101/103)	GRADE 11	ECE Practicum Experience (ECE101) Contemporary Math (MTH105Z) AP US History (HST201^/202^/203*)
ECE Practicum Experience Writing 121/122 (WR121Z/122Z) General Psychology (PSY201Z) Contemporary Math	GRADE 12	ECE Practicum Experience Writing 121/122 (WR121Z) General Psychology (PSY201Z)
Graduate from Roseburg High School and enroll at UCC		
ECE140 Intro to Early Childhood Ed ECE230 Health Safety and Nutrition FYE100 College Success* HDFS225 Child Development HDFS228 Exceptional Child WR121Z Composition I	YEAR 1 FALL	ECE140 Intro to Early Childhood Ed HDFS225 Child Development HDFS228 Exceptional Child WR121Z Composition I
ECE101 ECE-Sem Prac I ECE154 Lit and Language for Children HDFS226 Infant-Toddler Development HDFS240 Contemporary American Family PSY130 Understanding Child Behavior	WINTER	ECE101 ECE-Sem Prac I ECE154 Lit and Language for Children HDFS226 Infant-Toddler Development HDFS240 Contemporary American Family PSY130 Understanding Child Behavior
ECE102 ECE-Sem Prac II ECE150 Creative Activities for Child ECE178 Observing-Guiding Behavior ECE244 Indiv Learning-Preschoolers WR122Z Composition II	SPRING	ECE102 ECE-Sem Prac II ECE150 Creative Activities for Child ECE178 Observing-Guiding Behavior ECE244 Indiv Learning-Preschoolers MTH104 Math Literacy +
ECE235 Supporting Child Wellbeing	SUMMER	ECE235 Supporting Child Wellbeing
COM218Z Interpersonal Communication HDFS225 Child Development MTH211 Fundamentals- Elem Math I Choice Science w/Lab	YEAR 2 FALL	ECE230 Health Safety and Nutrition MUS204 Music in the World^ PSY215 Lifespan Development SOC204Z Intro to Sociology^
ECE103 ECE-Sem Prac III ECE240 Lesson and Curriculum Planning ECE247 Admin of Child-Care Centers MTH212 Fundamentals- Elem Math II Choice Science	WINTER	ECE103 ECE-Sem Prac III ECE240 Lesson and Curriculum Planning ECE247 Admin of Child-Care Centers PSY231 Human Sexuality SOC205Z Inst-Social Change^
ED258 Culturally Responsive Ed PSY201Z Introduction to Psychology HPE295 Wellness- Hlth Assess Choice Arts and Letters	SPRING	COM218Z Interpersonal Communication ED258 Culturally Responsive Ed PSY201Z Introduction to Psychology *Choice Elective - any 100 course +*



**Early Childhood Development
Associate of Science Degree
w/ SOU Articulation**



**Early Childhood Education
Associate of Applied Science
Degree**