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**Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education
Degree Completion Program
School of Education**

The Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education is a degree completion program designed to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary to work with young children in inclusive settings, families, and community support agencies in a diverse society.

Prepare for employment as a teacher or administrator in:

- Head Start
- Early Head Start
- Early Care and Education Settings (daycare, private preschools, infant centers, etc.)

Consider these potential positions:

- Home Visitor
- Parent Educator
- Assessment Coordinator
- Licensing Agent
- Child-Life Specialist
- Professional Development Trainer
- Quality Enhancement Professional Development Counselor
- Infant-Toddler Specialist
- Service Coordinator
- Point of Entry
- Point of Entry Manager
- Child Evaluation Specialist

Early Childhood Education Core Requirements: 70 Hours

ECE 111	Educational Foundations of Early Childhood	3 Hours
ECE 130	Child Development I	3 Hours
ECE 140	Guidance of Young Children	3 Hours
ECE 216	Introduction to Special Education in ECE	3 Hours
ECE 230	Child Development II	3 Hours
ECE 270	Observation & Assessment	3 Hours
ECE 280	Approaches to Curriculum & Methods	3 Hours
ECE 311	Professional Careers in ECE	3 Hours
ECE 320	Health, Safety and Nutrition	3 Hours
ECE 360	Cultural and Linguistic Diversity in ECE	3 Hours
ECE 381	Curriculum Applications in Language and Literacy	3 Hours
ECE 382	Curriculum Applications in Arts & Humanities and Physical and Health Education	3 Hours
ECE 383	Curriculum Applications in Math, Science, & Social Studies	3 Hours
ECE 384	Interactive Technology and Young Children	3 Hours
ECE 385	Infant and Toddler Programming and Education	2 Hours
ECE 400	Current Issues in ECE Profession* <u>OR</u>	
ECE 410	Special Investigations in ECE*	3 Hours
<i>*(These 2 courses may be repeated once for credit.)</i>		
ECE 411	Teaching Practicum in ECE	3 Hours
ECE 440	Positive Behavior Supports	3 Hours
ECE 460	Working with Families in Early Childhood Programs	3 Hours
ECE 475	Organization and Admin of Early Childhood Programs	3 Hours
	Any approved ECE Elective	12 Hours

Total General Education Credits required:	44 Hours
Total ECE Credits:	71 Hours
Total Free Elective/Recommended Credits:	<u>6 Hours</u>
 Total Credits required for Bachelor of Science degree:	 121 Hours

Important Note:
This program does not lead to teaching licensure.

Occasionally, curriculum changes do occur; therefore, please be advised that this document is subject to change.

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Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education (IECE Certificate)

Certificate to teach children from birth through kindergarten

The Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education is a degree completion program. The IECE Program prepares students for specific professional careers, including a preschool or kindergarten teacher in a Kentucky public school and a Developmental Interventionist—a certified early intervention position serving families and their children birth to age three who have disabilities. Candidates must meet admission requirements. Graduates are required to pass an IECE specialty exam (PRAXIS II – 0023) administered by the Educational Testing Service and successfully complete a one-year supervised internship program for full certification.

Kentucky is one of the few states with a blended early childhood special education certification focusing on children birth-through-kindergarten and their families. Kentucky's public preschools serve three- and four-year-old children with identified disabilities and four-year-olds who qualify economically.

Opportunities for IECE Graduates include, but are not limited to:

- Kindergarten Teacher
- Preschool Teacher in Public School Setting
- Early Childhood Special Educator (0-5)
- Developmental Interventionist
- Special Educator for IEP's/IFSP's
- Home-based Early Childhood Teacher
- Itinerant Early Childhood Teacher

Plus all positions currently open to a graduate of the ECE Program

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Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education Core Requirements: 71 Hours

ECE 111 Educational Foundations of EC	3 Hours
ECE 130 Child Development I	3 Hours
ECE 230 Child Development II	3 Hours
ECE 140 Guidance of Young Children	3 Hours
ECE 216 Intro to Special Ed. in ECE	3 Hours
ECE 270 Observation & Assessment	3 Hours
ECE 280 Approaches to Curriculum & Methods	3 Hours
IECE 301 The IECE Profession	3 Hours
IECE 360 Cultural & Linguistic Diversity in ECE	3 Hours
IECE 381 Curr. Appl. in Language & Literacy	3 Hours
IECE 382 Curr Appl in Arts/Hum, PE & Health	3 Hours
IECE 383 Curr Appl in Math, Sci. & Soc Stud	3 Hours
IECE 384 Interactive Technology w/Young Child	3 Hours
IECE 385 Inf & Toddler Program & Education	2 Hours
IECE 440 Positive Behavior Supports	3 Hours
IECE 460 Working with Families in ECE	3 Hours
IECE 470 Advanced Assessment in IECE	3 Hours
IECE 475 Organization & Administration in ECE	3 Hours
IECE 480 Advanced Curriculum & Methods in IECE	3 Hours
IECE 400 Current Issues in the ECE Profession <i>or</i>	3 Hours
IECE 410 Special Investigations in ECE	3 Hours
ED 450 Student Teaching Clinical Practice	12 Hours
Total General Education Credits required:	44 Hours
Total ECE/IECE Credits:	71 Hours
Total Free Elective/Recommended Credits:	6 Hours

Total Credits required for Bachelor of Science degree: 121 Hours

