Program Curriculum	
First Semester Freshman	Semester Hours
CDT 1113 Early Childhood Profession	3
CDT 1214 Infant and Toddler Development	4
CDT 1313 Creative Arts for Young Children	3
ENG 1113 English Composition I	3
LLS 1311 Orientation	1
Total Hours	14
Second Semester	Semester Hours
CDT 1224 Preschool and Primary Development	4
CDT 1343 Child Health Safety and Nutrition	3
CDT 1713 Language and Literacy Development for Young Children	3
CDT 2714 Social Studies, Math and Science for Children	4
Mathematics/Science Elective	<u>3</u> 17
Total Hours	17 Semester
Third Semester Sophomore	Hours
CDT 2233 Guiding Social and Emotional Behavior	3
CDT 2513 Family Dynamics and Community Involvement	3
CDT 2613 Methods, Materials and Measurement	3
CDT 2914 Initial Practicum	4
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	<u>3</u>
Total Hours	16
Fourth Semester	Semester Hours
CDT 2413 Development of the Exceptional Child	3
CDT 2813 Administration of Programs for Young Children	3
CDT 2944 Advanced Practicum	4
SPT 1113 Oral Communication	3
Social/Behavioral Science Elective	<u>3</u>
Total Hours	16

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Career Technical Education Early Childhood Education Technology

Program Description

The Early Childhood Education program provides preparation for paid employment in occupations in child care and guidance at entry, assistant, and management levels. Instructional programs include classroom instruction and supervised laboratory or work experience. Students should develop competencies which enable them to provide services, to teach, and to guide preschool children as related to various child care occupations. Students will have the opportunity to earn state/national certifications.

Admission Requirements

Applicants must have ACT composite of 16 or equivalent placement test score. Students enrolled in the program must have up-to-date immunizations. Students must participate in a criminal background check and finger printing.

Job Opportunities

Preschool teacher, child caregiver, family day care provider, nanny professional, home visitor, foster care parent, after school caregiver.

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