ALLAN HANCOCK COLLEGE

Program Requirements:

"Program Requirements" specify the courses required for this program. See suggested course sequence for additional information.

A major of 43 units is required for the degree.
Required core courses (31 units)

COURSE	TITLE	UNITS
☐ ECS 100	Child Growth and Development	3
☐ ECS 101	Child, Family and Community	3
☐ ECS 102	Child Health, Safety & Nutrition	3
☐ ECS 104	Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children	3
☐ ECS 105	Observation and Assessment	3
☐ ECS 106	Introduction to Early Childhood Curriculum	3
☐ ECS 116	Teaching in a Diverse Society	3
☐ ECS 118	Practicum: Preschool	3
☐ ECS 119	Practicum: Infant/Toddler	3
☐ ECS 149	Cooperative Work Experience: Occupational	1 - 8.0 units
☐ ECS 103	Introduction to Early Childhood	3

COURSE	TITLE	UNITS
☐ ECS 320	Administration: Staff Leadership	1
☐ ECS 321	Administration: Professional Ethics	1
☐ ECS 322	Administration: Parents as Partners	1
☐ EMS 102	First Aid & Safety	3

Plus a minimum of 12 units selected from the following:

COURSE	TITLE	UNITS
☐ ECS 114	Parent/Child Relationships	3
☐ ECS 115	Care and Education for Infants and Toddlers	3
☐ ECS 117	Teaching Strategies for Dual Language Learners	3
☐ ECS 120	Adult Supervision and Mentoring In Early Childhood Education	2
☐ ECS 122	Positive Child Guidance	3
☐ ECS 125	Curriculum for School-Age Children	3
☐ ECS 151	Infant and Toddler Development	3
☐ ECS 310	Art for Young Children	0.5
☐ ECS 311	Creating Learning Materials	0.5
☐ ECS 312	Music for Early Childhood Educators	0.5
☐ ECS 313	Science for Young Children	0.5
☐ ECS 314	Engineering and Technology for Young Children	0.5
☐ ECS 315	Math for Young Children	0.5

Suggested Course Sequence

The "Suggested Course Sequence" is an example of how to complete the requirements plus any additional general education that may be needed. If you would like to create a personalized Student Education Plan (SEP), schedule a meeting with a counselor.

SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 1)

Course	Title	Units
Total Units		**2**

Tasks

FALL SEMESTER (YEAR 1)

Course	Title	Units
☐ ECS 100	Child Growth and Development	3
☐ ECS 104	Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children	3
☐ ENGL 101	Freshman Composition: Exposition	4
☐ AHC GE REQ	Category 5: Living Skills	3
Total Units		**13**

Tasks:

- Complete Career Exploration
- Meet with Counselor (SEP)
- Visit library and tutoring
- Review Financial Aid Requirements
- Apply AHC Scholarship

SPRING SEMESTER (YEAR 1)

Course	Title	Units
☐ ECS 101	Child, Family and Community	3
☐ ECS 105	Observation and Assessment	3
☐ ECS 149	Cooperative Work Experience: Occupational	1 - 8
☐ AHC GE REQ	Category 4B: Comm and Analytical Thinking and Math Competency	3
☐ AHC Grad Req	Health Education or First Aid	3
☐ AHC Grad Req	Dance or Physical Activity	.5-3
Total Units		**14 -15**

Tasks:

- Set up Jobspeaker
- Attend Career Exploration Day
- FAFSA or Dream Act due March 2
- Apply AHC Scholarship

SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 2)

Course	Title	Units
☐ ECS 102	Child Health, Safety & Nutrition	3
☐ AHC GE REQ	Category 2A: Social Sciences	3
Total Units		**6**

Tasks

FALL SEMESTER (YEAR 2)

Course	Title	Units
☐ ECS 106	Introduction to Early Childhood Curriculum	3
☐ ECS 116	Teaching in a Diverse Society	3
☐ ECS 149	Cooperative Work Experience: Occupational	1 - 8
☐ ELECTIVE	MAJOR ELECTIVE	3
☐ AHC GE REQ	Category 2B: American History or Government	3
Total Units		**13**

Tasks:

- Develop Resume at Career Center
- Meet with Counselor
- Review Financial Aid Requirements
- Apply for AHC Scholarship

SPRING SEMESTER (YEAR 2)

Course	Title	Units
☐ ECS 118	Practicum: Preschool	3
☐ ECS 132	Child Identity and Learning	3
☐ ELECTIVE	MAJOR ELECTIVE	3
☐ AHC GE REQ	Category 1: Natural Science	3-4
☐ AHC GE REQ	Area 3: Arts and Humanities	3
Total Units		15 -16

Tasks:

- Apply for Degree with Counseling
- Utilize Job Search Resources
- FAFSA or Dream Act due March 2
- Attend Job Fair/Career Expo. Day

SUMMER SEMESTER (YEAR 3)

Course	Title	Units
☐ ECS 119	Practicum: Infant/Toddler	3
Total Units		3

Tasks