



# Academic Map: BA Early Childhood Education & Special Education

**Associate of Arts (A.A.) | 60 Total Credits | CSN Degree Code: ECEEDUC-AA | Catalog Year: 2022-2023 | For Transfer to NSC**

Education School of Education, Behavioral and Social Sciences Department of Education

Jobs and Employment Information: <https://www.csn.edu/educationarea>

**DESCRIPTION:** This degree is designed to provide for the first two years of college preparation for students wanting to be certified as early childhood teachers (preschool through second grade) who plan to become a paraprofessional (Instructional Aide) and/or in preparation for other early childhood careers.

## **TERM 1 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 15**

|   | <b><u>Credits</u></b> | <b><u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u></b>           | <b><u>Area</u></b> | <b><u>Min Grade</u></b> | <b><u>Milestones and Notes</u></b> |
|---|-----------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| MATH 120 Fund of College Mathematics          | 3                     | C or up in MATH 95/95E; or ACT/SAT/Place Score     | Special Prog       | C                       |                                    |
| ENG 100/101/113 Composition I                 | 3                     | ENG Place Score; or C- and up in ENG 98 or ESL 139 | GE ENG Comp        | C-                      |                                    |
| Fine Arts Elective - See an advisor/counselor | 3                     | <i>Depends on course chosen</i>                    | GE Fine Arts       | C                       |                                    |
| ECE 250 Intro to Early Childhood Education    | 3                     | <i>None</i>  | Special Prog Req   | C                       | NSC Required Course                |
| EDU 214 Prep. Teachers to use Tech.           | 3                     | <i>None</i>  | Special Prog Req   | C                       | Mandatory Advising Required        |

## **TERM 2 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 16**

|   | <b><u>Credits</u></b> | <b><u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u></b> | <b><u>Area</u></b> | <b><u>Min Grade</u></b> | <b><u>Milestones and Notes</u></b> |
|---|-----------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| ENG 102/114 Composition II                  | 3                     | C- or up in ENG 100/101/113              | GE ENG Comp        | C                       |                                    |
| PHIL 102 Analytical reasoning               | 3                     | <i>None</i>                              | GE Analytical Rea  | C                       |                                    |
| ECE 251 Curriculum in Early Childhood Ed    | 3                     | C or up in ECE 250                       | Special Prog Req   | C                       | NSC Required Course                |
| ECE 252 Infant/Toddler Curriculum           | 3                     | <i>None</i>                              | Special Prog Req   | C                       |                                    |
| Nat. Science w Lab-See an advisor/counselor | 4                     | <i>Depends on course chosen</i>          | GE Nat. Science    | C                       | Mandatory Advising Required        |

## **TERM 3 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 15**

|                                       | <b><u>Credits</u></b> | <b><u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u></b> | <b><u>Area</u></b> | <b><u>Min Grade</u></b> | <b><u>Milestones and Notes</u></b> |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| ECE 260 Children’s Literature         | 3                     | <i>None</i>                              | GE Nat. Science    | C                       |                                    |
| COM 101 Oral Communication            | 3                     | <i>None</i>                              | GE Humanities      | C                       |                                    |
| ECE 232 Practicum: Infant and Toddler | 3                     | <i>Instructor Approval</i>               | Special Prog Req   | C                       |                                    |
| EDU 280 Valuing Cultural Diversity    |                       | <i>None</i>                              | Special Prog Req   | C                       | NSC Required Course                |
| HIST 217 Nevada History               | 3                     | <i>None</i>                              | GE Humanities      | C                       | Mandatory Advising Required        |

## **TERM 4 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 15**

|   | <b><u>Credits</u></b> | <b><u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u></b> | <b><u>Area</u></b> | <b><u>Min Grade</u></b> | <b><u>Milestones and Notes</u></b> |
|---|-----------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Nat. Science no Lab-See an advisor/counselor  | 3                     | <i>None</i>                              | GE Nat. Science    | C                       |                                    |
| ENG 231/231 See an advisor/counselor          | 3                     | C- or up in ENG 100/101/113              | GE Literature      | C                       |                                    |
| Spec Prog Elective - See an advisor/counselor | 1                     | <i>Depends on course chosen</i>          | Special Prog Elec  | C                       |                                    |
| EDU 220 Princ. of Educational Psychology      | 3                     | ECE250 or EDU201 or EDU202 or EDU203     | Special Prog Req   | C                       | NSC Required Course                |
| EDU 299 Education Portfolio                   | 1                     | <i>Instructor Approval</i>               | Special Prog Req   | C                       |                                    |
| PSC 101 or HIST 100                           | 4                     | <i>None</i>                              | GE US/NV Cons      | C                       | Apply for graduation               |



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**B.A. in Early Childhood Education | 66-68 Total Credits | Catalog Year: 2022-2023 | Transfer from CSN with A.A. in Early Childhood Education**

DESCRIPTION: The mission of Nevada State College School of Education is to prepare highly qualified, culturally responsive professionals. We accomplish this through effective pedagogy, state of the art technology, clinical experiences, scholarly inquiry, and community partnerships.

Major Coursework requires a grade of “C-“ or higher.

**TERM 1 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 12-14**

| <u>Credits</u>    | <u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u> | <u>Area</u> | <u>Milestones and Notes</u>       |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|
| EDU 163 & EDU 164 | 0-2<br>None                       | Major       | Waived if Praxis CORE is Complete |
| EDSP 432          | 3<br>EDU 250                      | Major       | Mandatory Advising                |
| EDSP 471          | 3<br>None                         | Major       |                                   |
| ECE 262           | 3<br>None                         | Major       | Requires Program Admission        |
| GENERAL ELECTIVE  | 3<br>None                         | Elective    |                                   |

**TERM 2 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 12**

| <u>Credits</u> | <u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u> | <u>Area</u> | <u>Milestones and Notes</u>                    |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|--|
| ECE 441        | 3<br>None                         | Major       | Requires Program Admission- Mandatory Advising |
| ECE 454        | 3<br>None                         | Major       | Requires Program Admission                     |
| ECE 456        | 3<br>ECE 250                      | Major       | Requires Program Admission                     |
| EDSP 472       | 3<br>EDU 250 EDSP 471             | Major       | Requires Program Admission                     |

**TERM 3 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 15**

| <u>Credits</u> | <u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u> | <u>Area</u> | <u>Milestones and Notes</u>                     |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|---|
| EDSP 408       | 3<br>EDU 250/ EDSP 471            | Major       | Requires Program Admission - Mandatory Advising |
| ECE 453        | 3<br>EDU 250                      | Major       | Requires Program Admission                      |
| EDSP 475       | 3<br>ECE 250 EDSP 471             | Major       | Requires Program Admission                      |
| EDSP 474       | 3<br>ECE 250/EDSP 471             | Major       | Requires Program Admission                      |
| EDRL 471       | 3<br>None                         | Major       | Requires Program Admission                      |

**TERM 4 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 15**

| <u>Credits</u> | <u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u> | <u>Area</u> | <u>Milestones and Notes</u>                       |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|---|
| EDRL 477       | 3<br>None                         | Major       | Requires Program Admission – Apply for Graduation |
| EDRL 474       | 3<br>None                         | Major       | Requires Program Admission                        |
| EDSP 473       | 3<br>ECE 250 EDSP 471             | Major       | Requires Program Admission                        |
| ECE 463        | 3<br>ECE 250/251 EDSP 471         | Major       | Requires Program Admission                        |
| EDRL 475       | 3<br>None                         | Major       | Requires Program Admission                        |

**TERM 5 – TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 12**

| <u>Credits</u> | <u>Pre-Requisite/Co-Requisite</u>      | <u>Area</u> | <u>Milestones and Notes</u> |
|----------------|--|-------------|-----------------------------|
| ECE 491        | 12<br>Praxis CORE & Subject Assessment | Major       | Student Teaching Semester   |

\* EDU 250 pre-requisite waived at NSC with CSN AA degree.

\* Consult advisor for course sequencing. Some courses may only be offered specific semesters.

\* Link to NSC Catalog for more program information and course pre-requisites: [Nevada State Catalog](#)