

Model Program of Study – Early Childhood Education

	Grade	English	Mathematics	Science	Social Sciences	Career Courses	Other courses
High School required and recommended courses	(4) During Grade 8, provide academic/career exploration and advising for student & parents – include introduction to program of study sequences						
	9	(1) English I	(1) Algebra I or Geometry	(1) Physical Science	(1) World Geography		(1) Foreign Language, Physical Ed, Health and a Fine Arts course
	10	(1) English II	(1) Geometry or Algebra II	(1) Biology			(1) Computer Applications
	(4) Prior to grade 11, assess for college readiness; provide remediation and enhancements as appropriate						
	11	(1) English III	(1) Algebra II , Pre Calculus or Business Math	(1) Chemistry or Chemistry w/Lab	(1) World History	(2) Early Childhood Education I	
	(4) At age 17, assess for all immunizations (see special list for ECE); remedy deficiencies						
	12	(1) English IV	(1) Calculus, Business Math or Business Math II	(3) Env. Science or Forensics	(1) US History	(5) Early Childhood Education II	
	(4) Administer college placement exams; if not already completed, complete BCLS; Upon 18 th birthday, submit paperwork to DHS for background check During senior year, complete college selection process; After January, complete federal financial aid (FAFSA)						
College required and recommended courses	Year 1 Sem 1 (16 credits)	(6) ENG 111 English Comp		(6) BIO 114 Human Biology		(5) ECE 101 Healthy Learning Environments for Children (5) ECE 105 Advancing Intel & Social Devel in the Young Child (5) ECE 191 Field Experience in ECE I	(6) PHE 124 Ergonomics
	Year 1 Sem 2 (18)		(6) MAT 125 College Algebra		(6) PSY 101 General Psychology	(6) ECE 120 Programmatic/ Professional Devel in Child Care (6) ECE 200 Child Growth and Develop (6) ECE 205 Children’s Literature	(6) CIS 107 Intro to Computer Applications
	Year 2 Sem 1 (17)	(6) COM 111 Speech (6) ENG 120 Intro to Literature				(6) ECE 195 Field Experience in ECE II (6) ECE 210 Child Guidance/Discipline (6) ECE 230 Curriculum in Early Childhood Ed	
	Year 2 Sem 2 (17)				(6) SOC 111 Sociology	(6) ECE 197 Field Experience in ECE III (6) ECE 220 Education of Young Children w/ Special Needs (6) ECE 235 Curriculum in Early Childhood Education	(6) Elective
This is a model; individual students should review required and recommended courses and modify as appropriate.			(1) Required high school courses			(2) Recommended career-related courses	
			(3) Other recommended high school courses			(4) Recommended assessments, advising, and preparation	
			(5) Career-related transitional courses (articulation, dual, or early college)				
			(6) Required college courses				