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# Early Childhood Education Associate in Applied Sciences -T Degree Program Requirements 2011-2012

**Program Description** This Associate in Applied Sciences-T (AAS-T) in Early Childhood Education is a professional technical degree with a core of general education courses commonly accepted in university level transfer programs. The degree is designed to prepare graduates to enter into employment in early childhood (infancy to pre-kindergarten) program settings, but also provide some transferable credits should a student pursue a four-year degree at a later point.

Students seeking to transfer to degree programs other than those specifically designed for the AAS-T should consider the Associate of Arts Degree, which is specifically designed for transfer to four-year colleges and universities. All students who intend to transfer should meet with an adviser of the college they plan to transfer to review specific admission requirements.

**Degree Outcomes** Outcomes for Edmonds Community College degrees and certificates can be found in the online college catalog at the bottom of each degree or certificate. To find specific outcomes, click on the degree or certificate from the program list in the online catalog at <http://catalog.edcc.edu>.

**Credit / Grade Requirements** The AAS-T degree is awarded upon completion of 90 credits of General Education Requirements, Distribution Requirements, and Early Childhood Education Requirements outlined on the program requirement sheet. Students must earn at least 30 college-level (100 level or above) credits at Edmonds Community College. Students are required to maintain a cumulative minimum grade point of 2.0 for all applicable course work to complete the Associate in Applied Science-T degree.

### General Education/Related Instruction

**Requirement** Students who complete degrees of 45 credits or more are required to demonstrate learning in the following general education/related instruction areas: communications, computation/quantitative skills, and human relations/group interaction. All courses in the general education component of the AAS-T must be generally transferable courses and they must assure that the student have a foundation in communication and quantitative skills as well as an introduction in science, social science and humanities. These courses may also serve the dual purpose of meeting industry requirements for job preparation.

**Common Course Numbering Changes** Please refer to [www.edcc.edu/ccn](http://www.edcc.edu/ccn) for more information

**Cultural Diversity** Edmonds Community College requires that students earning a degree or certificate of 45 credits or more meet the Cultural Diversity Requirement. Courses that satisfy this requirement are marked as “:CD” on the requirement sheet and “Meets Cultural Diversity Requirement” in the quarterly class schedule.

### Students are advised to

- Consult with an Early Childhood Education faculty adviser quarterly for course selection and completion of degree requirements and plan their schedule several quarters in advance
- *Note: All decisions on selection of courses are ultimately the responsibility of the student*
- Review the college catalog for required course prerequisites and include these in schedule planning

**Graduation Application** A completed Graduation Application form must be submitted to Enrollment Services by the 10<sup>th</sup> day of the quarter in which the student expects to graduate. Forms are available at Enrollment Services located in Lynnwood Hall, or online at [www.edcc.edu/credentials/](http://www.edcc.edu/credentials/)

### Adviser

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### College Resources

EdCC Home Page	<a href="http://www.edcc.edu">http://www.edcc.edu</a>
How to Enroll	<a href="http://es.edcc.edu">http://es.edcc.edu</a>
Transfer Center	<a href="http://transfer.edcc.edu">http://transfer.edcc.edu</a>
College Bookstore	<a href="http://bookstore.edcc.edu">http://bookstore.edcc.edu</a>
Advising appointments	425-640-1458

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**Early Childhood Education  
AAS-T Degree**

Course	Credit	Grade	Qtr
<b>I. General Education Requirements (10 Credits)</b>			
ENGL& 101 English Composition I	5	___	___
<b>Quantitative or Symbolic Reasoning</b>			
MATH& 107 Math in Society	5	___	___
<b>II. Distribution Requirements – Humanities, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences (15 Credits)</b>			
Humanities (Choose 5 Credits from Below Listed Courses)			
CMST& 210 Interpersonal Communication <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
CMST& 220 Public Speaking <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
SPAN& 121 Spanish I <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
ASL& 121 Am Sign Language I <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
Pre-Approved Substitute _____	5	___	___
Social Sciences (Choose 5 Credits from Below Listed Courses)			
SOC& 101 Intro to Sociology:CD <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
SOC 214 Sociology of the Family:CD <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
PSYC& 100 General Psychology <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
ANTH& 206 Cultural Anthropology:CD <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
Pre-Approved Substitute _____	5	___	___
Natural Sciences (Choose 5 Credits from Below Listed Courses)			
BIOL& 100 Survey of Biology <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
ENVS& 101 Intro to Env Science <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
GEOL& 101 Intro Physical Geology <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
PHYS& 100 Physics Non-Sci Majors <b>OR</b>	___	___	___
Pre-Approved Substitute _____	5	___	___
<b>III. Early Childhood Education Requirements (61 Credits)</b>			
ECE 110 Applied Child Development	5	___	___
ECE 115 Introduction to ECE	5	___	___
ECE 117 Health & Safety	2	___	___
ECE 216 Curriculum Development & Observation	5	___	___
ECE 218 Positive Guidance & Environmental Planning	4	___	___
ECE 236 Creative Expression	3	___	___
ECE 237 Math & Science Experiences	3	___	___
ECE 238 Social - Emotional Learning:CD	3	___	___
ECE 239 Language & Literacy:CD	4	___	___
ECE 243 Parent-Teacher Partnerships	3	___	___
ECE 248 Working With Infants & Toddlers	3	___	___
ECE 241 Education of Preschoolers	3	___	___
ECE 208 Field Practicum & Seminar	5	___	___
ECE 209 Field Practicum & Seminar	5	___	___
ECE 210 Field Practicum & Seminar	5	___	___
EDUC& 203 Exceptional Child	3	___	___
<b>IV. Elective Courses (4 Credits)</b>			
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**TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED 90**

Initial the requirements that have been met: ___ <b>Cultural Diversity</b> Course Title <input type="checkbox"/> _____
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Adviser's Signature	Date	Dean's Signature	Date