B.S. in Early Childhood Education, Northern Illinois University
1+1+2 Plan with Prairie Ridge High School

EARN ONE YEAR OF COLLEGE CREDIT WITH THESE DUAL CREDIT COURSES THAT ARE OFFERED AT YOUR HIGH SCHOOL *

COURSE	CLASS TITLE	APPLIES TO	CREDITS	COMPLETED
ENG-151	COMPOSITION I	IAI COMMUNICATIONS	3	
ENG-152	COMPOSITION II	IAI COMMUNICATIONS	3	
HIS-170	U.S. HISTORY I	IAI SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES	3	
HIS-172	U.S. HISTORY II	IAI SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES	3	
MAT 120	GENERAL EDUCATION STATISTICS	IAI MATHEMATICS	3	
PSY-151	INTRO PSYCHOLOGY	IAI SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (NIU Requirement)	3	
ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE	ELECTIVE***	3	
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SPE-151	INTRO SPEECH	IAI COMMUNICATIONS	3	
Potential Credits Earned in HS			**27**	

YEAR TWO AT MCHENRY COUNTY COLLEGE- Associate in Arts (AA) recommended

SEMESTER 1			CREDITS	COMPLETED
IAI LIFE SCIENCE	IAI LIFE SCIENCE	IAI LIFE SCIENCE	4	
ECE 115	EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	GENERAL ELECTIVE	3	
ECE 120	CHILD GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT	HDFS 230 CHILD DEVELOPMENT (NIU Requirement)	3	
EDU 253	CHILDREN W/EXCEPTIONALITIES	SESE 240 INTRO TO SPECIAL EDUCATION (NIU Requirement)	3	
ECE 219	EARLY CHILDHOOD SCIENCE AND MATH	SEEC 343 TEACHING SCIENCE AND MATH CHILDREN 5-8 (NIU Requirement)	3	
Total Credits			**16**	

SEMESTER 2			CREDITS	COMPLETED
IAI PHYSICAL SCIENCE	IAI PHYSICAL SCIENCE	IAI PHYSICAL SCIENCE	4	
IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	3	
ECE 229	EARLY CHILDHOOD CURR & ACTIVITIES	SEEC 430 PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN CURR	4	
EDU 255	DIVERSITY OF SCHOOLS	LTIC 301 TEACING WTIH MULTICULTURAL PERSPECTIVE	3	
IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	3	
Total Credits			**17**	

SEMESTER 3			CREDITS	COMPLETED
IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	IAI HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS	3	

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS COMPLETED AT MCC	63

***ELECTIVES CAN BE FULLFILLED THROUGH DUAL CREDIT COURSEWORK.

YEAR THREE AT UNIVERSITY CENTER

SEMESTER 1	CREDITS	COMPLETED
SEEC 201 PLAY DEVELOPMENT AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION SERVICES	3	
SESE 423 OBSERVATION AND ASSESSMENT IN EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION	3	
LTIC 400 INTRODUCTION TO TEACHING MULTILINGUAL LEARNERS	3	
SEEC 282 EDUCATIONAL PARTICIPATION IN CLINICAL EXPERIENCES	1	
LTRE 309 EMERGING LITERACY AND BEGINNING READING INSTRUCTION THROUGH AGE 8	3	

SEMESTER 2	CREDITS	COMPLETED
LTLA 305 LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT	3	
SEEC 403 PRIMARY CURRICULUM	3	
SEEC 425 DEVELOPING SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL PROBLEM-SOLVING COMPETENCIES IN YOUNG CHILDREN	3	
SESE 424 METHODS AND STRATEGIES FOR PROMOTING DEVELOPMENT AND TEACHING INFANTS, TODDLERS, AND YOUNG CHILDREN WITH DISABILTIES ADN SPECIAL NEEDS	3	
LTIC 420 METHODS AND MATERIALS FOR TEACHING MULTILINGUAL LEARNERS IN THE CONTENT AREAS OR LTIC 435 TEACHING	3	
Total Credits	**28**	

YEAR FOUR AT UNIVERSITY CENTER

SEMESTER 1	CREDITS	COMPLETED
SESE 426 WORKING WITH AND SUPPORTING FAMILIES OF YOUNG CHILDREN WITH DISABILTIES AND SPECIAL NEEDS	3	
SEEC 340 THE LANGUAGE ARTS AND SOCIAL STUDIES FOR THE PRIMARY CHILD	3	
SEEC 382 PRACTICUM IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3	
LTIC 447 ASSESSMENT OF MULTILINGUAL LEARNERS	3	
ELECTIVE	3	

SEMESTER 2	CREDITS	COMPLETED
SEEC 485A STUDENT TEACHING IN PRESCHOOL-KINDERGARTEN	6	
SEEC 485B STUDENT TEACHING IN PRIMARY	6	
SEEC 410 TRENDS AND ISSUES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3	
Total Credits	**30**	

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS COMPLETED AT NIU	58

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS FOR BA DEGREE COMPLETED	121

MCC REQUIREMENTS	REQ CREDITS			
IAI COMMUNICATIONS	9			
IAI HUM/FINE ARTS	9			
IAI SOC & BEHAV SCIENCES	9			
IAI PHYSICAL & LIFE SCIENCES	7			
IAI MATHEMATICS	3			
GEN EDUC CORE	37			
ELECTIVES (approximate)	23			

MCC is a participant in the **Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI)**. This statewide agreement between many Illinois colleges and universities establishes a "package" of lower-division general education coursework accepted at all participating schools.

**IAI requirements based on what is offered in the high school, however students can take other courses that are offered as long as they meet the IAI requirement. Courses required for transfer are denoted on plan.

*Suggested courses are based on courses available in high school, however if student is unable to complete they can take at MCC before transferring to the university.