

APPENDIX A: McHenry County College and National Louis University

Associate in Applied Science, Early Childhood Education to the Bachelor of Arts in Early Childhood Education

Step I: Associate Degree

B.A. Early Childhood Education	Associate degree courses which fulfill NLU requirements	Semester Hours	Quarter Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION		15	22.5
Communications			
Academic Writing - min 4 QH	ENG 151 Composition I	3	4.5
Oral Communication - min 4 QH	SPE 151 Introduction to Speech	3	4.5
Humanities and Fine Arts			
Fine Arts - min 4 QH	Select one from the following: ART 150, 151, 155, 165, 171, 172, 174, 175; JRN 180; MUS 151, 153, 154, 171, 172; THE 151	3	4.5
Mathematics and Natural Sciences			
Natural Science - min 4 QH	Select one from the following: BIO 110, 130, 138; CHM 115, 164; EAS 101, 120, 180, 185; GEG 107, 123, 220; GEL 105, 110; HRT 103	3	4.5
Social and Behavioral Sciences			
Social/Behavioral Science - min 4 QH	Select one from the following: PSY 151, 175, 250, 251, 260, 265; SOC 151, 175, 251, 260, 261	3	4.5
EDUCATOR PREPARATION CORE		12	18
ECE 334 Language & Early Literacy Development	ECE 204 Early Childhood Language Arts	3	4.5
EDU 210 Educational Phil: A Historical Account	ECE 115 Early Childhood Education	3	4.5
EDU 290 Prof & Ethical Eng Child, Fam & Comm	ECE 155 Child, Family, Community Relations	3	4.5
EDU 299 Child Development	ECE 120 Child Growth and Development	3	4.5
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION MAJOR		7	10.5
ECE 324 Integrtd Preprim Methodology in ECE	ECE 229 Early Child Curriculum & Activities	4	6
SPE 401 Intro to SPE & Mthds Tchng Students	EDU 253 Children with Exceptionalities	3	4.5
ELECTIVES		29	43.5
Free Electives	MCC 101 The College Experience	1	1.5
	CDM 110 Computer Literacy for Windows	3	4.5
	ECE 125 Nutrition, Health & Safety*	3	4.5
	ECE 131 Early Child Guidance & Observation	3	4.5
	ECE 150 Child Study and Observation	3	4.5
	ECE 219 Early Childhood Science and Math	3	4.5
	ECE 250 Early Childhood Practicum	4	6
	Select 9 SH of AAS Program Electives from the following:	9	13.5
	ECE 118 The Professional Child Care Provider		
	ECE 121 Infant/Toddler Development & Care*		
	ECE 209 Early Child Music/Rhythmic Activities		
	ECE 214 Early Childhood Art Activities		
	ECE 234 Child Care Center Management		
	ECE 290 Topics in Early Childhood Education		
TOTAL TRANSFER:		63	94.5

*Meets requirement in optional Infant & Toddler Studies concentration at NLU

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Step II: Courses to be taken at National Louis University: B.A. Early Childhood Education

	SH	QH
General Education Requirements	23	35
GEN 203 You & NLU: Tools and Strategies of Student Success - This course will be waived for any student who transfers a minimum of 60SH/90QH		
ENG 201 Intermediate English Composition (5)		
EDU 220 Children’s Literature for Educators (5)		
MTH 105 Math for Educators I (5)		
MTH 115 Math for Educators II (5)		
EDU 200 Applied Educational Psychology (5)		
One General Education course (5)		
BRV 200 Braven Accelerator or CAR 214 Creating/Communication the Professional Brand or CAR 202 Creating Professional Identity and CAR 203 You the Professional (5)		
Educator Preparation Core	10	15
EAL 300 Educational Foundations for Learning English as Addl Lang (5)		
EAL 331 Cross Cultural Studies for Working with English Lang Learners (5)		
EDU 305 Equity in Education* (5)		
Early Childhood Education Major Requirements	30	45
EAL 312 Ling Consider Learn Read New Lang (5)		Must be taken at NLU
EDU 350 Teacher Prep Curriculum & Assessment (5)		
EDU 420 Practicum: Prof Pract Classrm Cntxts (5)		Must be taken at NLU
EDU 477 Literacy Teaching Methods (5)		Must be taken at NLU
EDU 480 Methods of Teaching Mathematics (5)		Must be taken at NLU
EDU 483 Inq Based Tchng Mthds: Sci & Soc Std (5)		Must be taken at NLU
SPE 440 Equity/Advocacy/Collaboration in SPE (5)		
ECE 470A ECE Student Teaching Field Exp (5)		Must be taken at NLU
ECE 470B ECE Student Teaching Seminar (5)		Must be taken at NLU
TOTAL	63	95

*Counts toward both General Education and Educator Preparation Core

SUMMARY		QH	SH
McHenry County College	Associate Degree	63	94.5
National Louis University	Courses to be completed at NLU	63	95
TOTAL		126	189.5