

## Early Childhood Education: Prepared by SBCC Academic Counseling Center (6/2017)

### Associate Degree for Transfer (AS-T): ECE

- 28 Specified units
- CSU GE pattern or IGETC
- 60 CSU transferrable units total

### Associate of Science Degree (AS): ECE

- 28 Specified units
- SBCC GE or CSU GE or IGETC pattern
- 60 degree applicable units total

### Certificates of Achievement (C) 5 options:

- Associate Child Care Teacher (15-17 units)
- Early Childhood Education (28 units)
- Infant/Toddler Development (34 units)
- Diversity Issues in ECE (34 units)
- School-age Care (18 units)

### Sample plan for one year

#### Early Childhood Education Certificate (28 units):

Fall (14 units)	Spring (14 units)
ECE 102 (3)	ECE 121 (3)
ECE 120 or Psych 140 (3)	ECE 128# (3)
ECE 108 (3)	ECE 132 (3)
ECE 103 (5) fall only	ECE 104~ (5) spring only

~ ECE 104 prerequisites: ECE 102, 103, 108, 120 or Psych 140

#ECE 128: Student must have 12 core units of ECE. Field experience is not being enforced.

Students will earn SBCC's Associate Child Care Teacher Certificate once they have completed the required 15-17 units (102, 120, 103, and 6 units of electives from the list on the curriculum guide). SBCC's certificate is not required for students to get the state permit. However, it is in line with the permit, so that if they complete SBCC's Associate Child Care Teacher Certificate they should also earn the Child Development permit through the state!

In order to earn the "Child Development Permit: Associate Teacher" from the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, 12 core units of Early Childhood Education (ECE) and 50 days (3+ hours per shift) of documented teaching experience are required:

ECE 102 3 units (Area 1—Child, Family & Community)

ECE 120 or Psych 140 3 units (Area 2 – Child Growth & Development)

And choose 6 units from this list (which includes Area 3 – Curriculum):

ECE 100, 103\* (fall only), 104\* (spring only), 108\*, 110, 115, 121\*, 123, 124, 128\*, 129, 132\*

\*Recommended because these are six of the eight courses required to earn SBCC's ECE Certificate and AS degree.

The following ECE classes will NOT fulfill the state requirements for the Associate Teacher Permit: ECE 107, 109, 111, 117, 131, 141^, 142, 290. However, they will fulfill requirements for other permitting options.

^In order to be a caregiver in an infant/toddler center, students will need to complete 3 units of ECE 141 or 142 (in either order) in addition to the 12 core units. In order to enroll in ECE 290 students must have completed 6 ECE units and have a job or volunteer in a licensed infant/toddler center, preschool, or after-school program.

Once the student has the 12 core units and 50 days (3+ hours per shift) of documented teaching experience s/he can obtain the packet from the Santa Barbara County Education Office 805-964-4711, and apply for the Associate Teacher Permit. Students can earn the 50 days of teaching experience in ECE 103 (fall only) or ECE 290 (minimum 3 units). However, if the student has documentation without taking our classes, s/he can still earn the permit. (Assistant: ANY 6 units of ECE coursework, not limited to the core).

Child Development Permit Matrix listing permit titles "Assistant" through "Program Director" can be found on the reserve of this page or at the following link: [www.childdevelopment.org/cs/cdtdc/print/htdocs/services\\_permit.htm](http://www.childdevelopment.org/cs/cdtdc/print/htdocs/services_permit.htm)  
See the bottom right hand side of web page for matrices in English and Spanish or [www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/cl723a.pdf](http://www.ctc.ca.gov/credentials/leaflets/cl723a.pdf).

Local programs: **Antioch:** BA in Liberal Studies – Child Development & Education

CSUCI: BA in Early Childhood Education – Preparation for major: ECE 102, ECE 103 (taught fall only), ECE 120, Psych 140, ECE 108, ECE 115, Span 101 (or higher).