## DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL & SOCIAL SCIENCE EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR TRANSFER

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE

The **Associate in Science in Early Childhood Education for Transfer** (AS-T) Degree is intended to meet the lower division requirements for Early Childhood Education majors (or similar majors) at a CSU campus that offers an Early Childhood Education baccalaureate degree.

This degree is designed for students interested in gaining the basic concepts and applications of the field of Early Childhood Education and for students looking to meet the state minimum requirements to work in the field. These courses will provide students with a solid foundation in theory, pedagogy, principles and practices that will serve them for either transferring to a four-year college or in the workplace.

In addition to the courses listed below, the following additional requirements must be met for completion of the Associate in Science in Early Childhood Education for Transfer Degree:

- 1. Completion of a minimum of 60 CSU-transferable semester units.
- 2. Achievement of a minimum GPA of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework (some majors may require a higher GPA; students should consult with a counselor for more information).
- 3. Completion of the major with a grade of "C" or better in each course or a "P" if the course was taken on a Pass/No Pass basis and the "P" is equal to a "C" or better.
- 4. Certified completion of the California State University General Education-Breadth (CSU GE) pattern; OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern.

Note: Students are advised to check with the Counseling Center or Transfer Center for the courses accepted in the Early Childhood Education major at the CSU where they seek transfer.

	Required Courses	Units	N	IP	С
CD 102	Nutrition, Health and Safety for Children	3			
CD 106	Child Growth and Development	3			
CD 110	Principles and Practices of Early Childhood Education	3			
CD 111	Early Childhood Education Curriculum	3			
CD 114	Observation and Assessment	3			
CD 208	Child Family and Community	3			
CD 224	Diversity Issues in Early Childhood, School Age and	3			
	Adolescence				
CD 228	*Early Childhood Education Practicum	3			
Required Subtotal		24			
CSU GE or IGETC Pattern		varies			
Transferable Electives		as needed to reach 60 transferable units			
Total units needed for Associate in Science		60			
Units Completed					
*Prerequisite					