

## Early Childhood Education BAS Degree

Effective Winter 2017

### Program Planning Sheet

**Program Description:** The early childhood education BAS (ECE BAS) degree is designed for students who desire to work as a lead teacher or administrator in an early learning setting, as well as those who already work in the field and seek ongoing professional development. The ECE BAS degree is an extension of the Early Childhood Education Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree, which is built around the statewide Stackable Certificates in Early Childhood Education. However, students with AA or AAS degrees in other fields, or bachelor's degrees outside of early childhood education will be qualified to enter the baccalaureate degree program, potentially with some additional coursework.

**Prerequisites:** Many general education classes have prerequisites. Prerequisites are those classes that prove eligibility for entry-level classes by testing or by having satisfied prior course work. Course work earned at other institutions must be unofficially evaluated or approved by a program advisor before registering. Courses in this degree with pre-requisites are marked with an asterisk (\*). See catalog for more information.

**Early Childhood Education BAS Prerequisites:** EDUC& 115 - Child Development, EDUC& 130 - Guiding Behavior, EDUC& 150 - Child, Family, and Community, ECED& 107 - Health, Safety and Nutrition, ECED& 160 - Curriculum Development, and ECED& 170 - Environments, Young Children, ENGL& 101- English Composition.

**Note:** Advanced placement testing, work experience, and transfer of credits may result in course waivers, credit transfer, and advanced placement.

Program Requirements		
Course Number	General Education Requirements (60 credits)	Credit Hours
ENGL& 101	English Composition 1 English 101	5
ENGL& 102* or ENGL& 235*	Communication Skills: English Composition II or Technical Writing	5
MATH 101+	QSR Requirement (College level math at 100 or higher)	5
(varies)	Ten credits from Natural World courses (one course must include lab)	10
(varies)	Fifteen credits from Visual, Literary, and Performing Arts	15
(varies)	Ten credits from Individuals, Cultures, and Societies	10
(varies)	Ten credits from U.S. Cultures & Global Studies or ten additional credits from Individuals, Cultures, and Societies	10

**SUMMARY:** Still needs English 102, Math, Natural World (science), 1 VLPA (arts and humanities), 1 ICS (social science)

**Notes:**

1. ENGL& 101 is counted toward general education requirements. Must be eligible for English 101 through English Placement Exam or completion of English 097/098.

Course Number	Elective Credits (60 credits)	Credit Hours
(varies)	Any 100 and 200 level college credits not counted as General Education credits (commonly fulfilled by EDUC/ECED courses from associate degree)	60
Course Number	Upper Division Degree Requirements (60 credits)*	Credit Hours
INFO 300	Information Literacy for Undergraduate Research	2
ECE 305	Early Childhood Education Approaches and History	3
ECE 310	Cognition & General Knowledge	5
ECE 315	Language, Literacy and Communication	5
ECE 320	Creative Expression	3

ECE 350	Practicum: Interactions	4
ECE 355	Anti-Bias Education	3
ECE 405	Partnership and Collaboration in Early Care and Education	3
ECE 410	Inclusive Early Childhood Education	4
ECE 415	Children and Media	3
ECE 420	Social and Emotional Foundations	5
ECE 430	Linguistically Diverse Learners	5
ECE 450	Child Development and Assessment	5
ECE 480	Leadership and Professional Community	5
ECE 490	Capstone	5
<b>Total Credits: 180</b>		
(excluding specific course pre-requisites, including program prerequisites) *A minimum of a 2.0 is required in each course		

### **ECE BAS Program Outcomes:**

1. Promote child development
  - a. Identify and understand young children’s characteristics and needs from birth to 8 years of age
  - b. Identify the interaction of various influences on children’s development and learning
  - c. Create healthy, respectful, supportive and challenging environments for young children
2. Build family and community relationships
  - a. Describe diverse family and community characteristics
  - b. Support and engage families and communities through respectful, reciprocal relationships
  - c. Involve families and communities in young children’s development, understanding that families are the child’s first teachers
3. Observe, document and assess to support young children and families
  - a. Articulate the goals, benefits and uses of assessment
  - b. Know and use observation, documentation, assessment tools to identify strengths of children
  - c. Practice responsible assessment to promote positive outcomes for each child
  - d. Collaborate with colleagues and families
4. Use developmentally appropriate practices
  - a. Discuss how positive relationships and supportive interactions serve as the foundation for working with young children
  - b. Know and use a broad repertoire of teaching and learning strategies and approaches
  - c. Reflect on personal practice to promote positive outcomes
5. Use content knowledge to build meaningful curriculum
  - a. Explain content knowledge and resources in academic areas
  - b. Demonstrate knowledge of research and structure of each content area
  - c. Utilize the process of inquiry
  - d. Design, implement and evaluate appropriate curriculum reflecting early learning standards.
6. Become a professional
  - a. Become involved with the early childhood field through professional and peer organizations
  - b. Articulate and uphold ethical standards and other early childhood professional guidelines
  - c. Engage in continuous, collaborative learning to inform practice
  - d. Integrate knowledgeable, reflective and critical perspectives on early education
  - e. Engage in informed advocacy for young children and the early childhood profession

### **What are some potential job titles?**

- Lead Preschool Teacher
- Program supervisor
- Program Director
- Child Care Center Licensor

**Suggested Course Sequence:** This program of study is outlined by quarter, and courses should be taken in the indicated sequence. The number of quarters listed here is minimal. Not all courses are offered every quarter. Individual student experiences, educational and training background, and personal schedules and demands all may affect the time it takes to finish this program. Also, in general, summer quarter is not considered one of the full-time quarters in the program.

Fall, year 1	Winter, year 1	Spring, year 1
Introduction to Information (2) <b>INFO 300</b>	Linguistically Diverse Learners (5) <b>ECE 430</b>	Practicum: Interactions(4) <b>ECE 350</b>
Early Childhood Education Approaches and History (3) <b>ECE 305</b>		Anti-Bias education (3) <b>ECE 355</b>
Cognition and General Knowledge (5) <b>ECE 310</b>	Language, literacy and communication (5) <b>ECE 315</b>	Creative Expression (3) <b>ECE 320</b>
Fall, year 2	Winter, year 2	Spring, year 2
Partnership and Collaboration in Early Care and Education (3) <b>ECE 405</b>	Social and Emotional Foundations (5) <b>ECE 420</b>	Capstone (5) <b>ECE 490</b>
Inclusive Early Childhood Education (4) <b>ECE 410</b>	Child development and Assessment (5) <b>ECE 450</b>	Leadership and Professional Community (5) <b>ECE 480</b>
Children and media (3) <b>ECE 415</b>		

*Note: In addition to the above courses, students will be taking one (or more) general education course or elective each quarter*

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**Website:** <https://northseattle.edu/programs/bas-early-childhood-education>

# Areas of Knowledge Distribution Requirements for BAS degree

## VISUAL, LITERARY, AND PERFORMING ARTS (Humanities and Arts) 15 CREDITS

Art: ART &100, 101*, 102*, 103*, 104, 105, 110*, 111*, 112*, 113*, 114*, 115*, 121*, 122*, 123*, 163, 166*, 170, 201*, 202*, 203*, 205*, 206*, 207*, 210*, 211*, 212*, 213*, 214*, 215*, 216*, 217*, 221*, 222*, 223*, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 281*, 282*, 283*, 284*, 285*, 290, 291	French: FRCH &121, &122, &123, 204, 205, 206, 212, &221, &222, &223, 231, 232, 233
American Sign Language: ASL &121, &122, &123, 210, &221, &222, &223	German: GERM &121, &122, &123
Chinese: CHIN &121, &122, &123, &221, &222, &223	Humanities: HUM 104, 105, 110, 115, &116, &117, &118, 120, 125, 130, 135, 140, 150, 160, 200, 210, 234, 261, 270
Communication: CMST &101, &102, 115, 145, 155, 175, 185, 195, 205, &210, 215, &220, &230, 235, 245, 255, 265, 275, 285, 295	Italian: ITAL 121, 122, 123
Drama: DRMA &101, 103, 105, 108*, 109*, 110*, 112, 114*, 116*, 120*, 121*, 122*, 123*, 131, 182*, 204*, 205*, 206*, 221*, 222*, 223*, 284, 285, 286	Japanese: JAPN &121, &122, &123, &221, &222, &223
English: ENGL 104, 109, &111, &112, &113, &114, 117, 151, 152, 153, 201, 204, 205, 214, 218, 219, &224, &225, &226, &227, &228, 231, 232, 233, &235, 240, 241, &244, &245, &246, 251, 252, 253, &254, &256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 263, 265, 266, 267, 270, 291, 292, 293	Journalism: JRN 101, 102, 103
	Linguistics: LAN 101, 110
	Literature: LIT 236, 238
	Music: MUSC 100, &105, 106, 109, 110, 113, 116, 117, 119*, 120*, 125, 126*, 127*, 128*, 130*, 134 - 140*, &141, &142, &143, 144*, 145*, 146*, 147*, 148*, 150*, 151*, 156*, 157*, 158*, 160, 161, 163, 164*, 165*, 166*, 171*, 172*, 173*, 182*, 185, 204, 205, 213, 221*, 222*, 223*, &231, &232, &233
	Russian: RUSS &121, &122, &123
	Spanish: SPA &121, &122, &123, &221, &222, &223, 236, 238
	Vietnamese: VIET &121, &122, &123

## INDIVIDUALS, CULTURES, AND SOCIETIES (Social Sciences) 10-20 CREDITS

You are required to complete a minimum of 10 credits from this category. Ten additional credits must be completed either from this category or US Cultures/Global Studies.

American Ethnic Studies: AME 150, 151, 160, 201	International Studies: ISP 101, 105, 110, 120, 160, 170, 201, 205, 210, 220, 234, 251, 255, 260, 261, 270
Anthropology: ANTH &100, &106, 113, &125, 130, 135, 201, &206, &210, 211, 212, 213, &216, &227, &228, 275	Philosophy: PHIL &101, 102, 110, 111, 118, 160, 215, 220, 240, 245, 250, 255, 267
American Sign Language: ASL 120, 125	Political Science: POLS &101, 111, 112, 170, &200, &202, &203, 205, 206, 213, 220, 255
Biology: BIOL 150	Psychology: PSYC &100, 120, &200, 205, 207, 209, 210, 217, &220, 230, 235, 245, 250, 255, 257, 294
Economics: ECON 100, 102, &201, &202, 240	Religion: REL 150, 151
Environmental Science: ENV 150, 160, 170, 200, 202, 206, 208, 214, 294	Sociology: SOC &101, 102, 105, 106, 107, 120, 130, 150, 170, &201, 220, 230, 245, 250, 253, 265, 275, 280
Environmental Science: ENVS &101	Social Science: SSC 101, 103, 187
Geography: GEOG 100&, 155, 200&, 205, 207, 230, 260	Social Welfare: SWF 200
History: HIST 105, 106, 108, 120, &126, &127, &128, 131, &136, &137, 138, 140, 145, &146, &147, &148, 150, 191, 200, 208, 210, 211, 212, &214, &219, 221, 230, 241, 242, 251, 268, 269, 273	Women's Studies: WMN 140, 200, 205, 213, 257

## THE NATURAL WORLD (Natural and Physical Sciences, Mathematics) 10 CREDITS

You are required to complete ten credits of the below. At least one must be a lab course (\*asterisked below).

Anatomy & Physiology: BIOL 128*, &241*, &242* Astronomy: ASTR &100, 102, 104, &110*, 201	Geology: GEOL &101*, &103*, 104, 105*, 106, 108*, &110*, 111*, &115*, 118*, 202*, 207*, &208*
Biology: BIOL &100*, 102*, 106*, 107*, 109, 120*, 125*, 130*, 150, &160*, 161*, 195, 196, &211*, &212*, &213*, 228*, 229*, 239*, &260*, 282*, 285*, 286*, 287*, 290, SPS 201* Botany: BOT 110*, 112*, 113*	Health: HEA 125, 150, 160, 225, 228
Chemistry: CHEM 106*, &110*, &121*, &122*, &123*, &131*, &139, &161*, &162*, &163*, 191*, 192*, 211*, &241, &242, &243, &251*, &252*, 255, 256	Meteorology: MEY 100
Environmental Science: ENV 150, 160, 170, 201, 202*, 203, 204*, 205, 206*, 208, 216*, 221, ENVS &101*	Material Science: MSC 101
	Nanotechnology: NANO 101* Nutrition: NTR 105*, 150, 155
	Oceanography: OCEA 100, &101*
	Physics: PHYS &100, 107*, &114*, &115*, &116*, &221*, &222*, &223* Science: SCI 100, 101*, 104, 107*110*, 111*, 112*, 113*, 114*, 115*, 116*, 117*, 118*, 119*, 121*, 129*, 131*
	Sustainability: SUST 101

## US CULTURES & GLOBAL STUDIES- up to 10 CREDITS

You may complete up to 10 credits of the below. These 10 credits may also come from the Individuals, Cultures, & Societies category.

### US Cultures classes at NSC:

AME 150, 151, ANTH &106, &210, &216, ART 254, CMST 205, DRMA &101, ENGL 219, 231, 240, &245, &246, 257, 258, 291, HIST 131, &136, &137 140, &146, &147, &148, 150, 212, &214, &219, 230, HUM 105, 200, 210, ISP 105, MUSC 113, 204, PSYC &200, 245, SOC 102, 150, 245, WMN 140, 200

### Global Studies classes at NSC:

ANTH 113, 130, &206, ART 255, DRMA 105, ECON &202, ENGL &256, 292, ENV 150, ENVS &101, GEG 230, 260, HIST &126, &127, &128, 200, 210, 251, 268 HUM 140, 160, 234, 261, ISP 101, 110, 160, 170, 201, 205, 210, 220, 234, 251, 255, 260, 261, MUSC 110, POLS &203, 220, SOC 170, WMN 20

Courses with "&" are associated with a new statewide common course numbering system. Visit

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