

DURHAM TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE PLAN OF STUDY

Revised Fall 2020

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Catalog/Academic Year 2023-2024

Afternoon/Evening Program

Transfer

5 Semesters

Associate Degree (A55220TR)

For more information, please see this link:

- [Uniform Articulation Agreement](http://www.nccommunitycolleges.edu/academic-programs/college-transferarticulation-agreements) (Associate in Early Childhood), which explains policies regarding transfer of credits (www.nccommunitycolleges.edu/academic-programs/college-transferarticulation-agreements)

Key to symbols after some courses:

*Developmental courses (ENG 002 and/or MAT 003) may be required based on college placement and course requisites.

**Enrollment in EDU 184 and EDU 284 requires students to work directly with young children in a pre-approved child care program, and requires a criminal background check. Students may not enroll in these classes or finish the degree without the criminal background check.

^{GE}Fulfills the general education requirements for this degree.

FALL SEMESTER 2023

Course	Hours Class	Hours Lab	Hours Clinical	Hours Credit	Program Remarks	Notes
ACA 122 College Transfer Success	0	2	0	1		
EDU 119 Intro to Early Child Education	4	0	0	4		
EDU 144 Child Development I	3	0	0	3		
EDU 153 Health, Safety and Nutrition	3	0	0	3		
ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry* ^{GE}	3	0	0	3		

SPRING SEMESTER 2024

Course	Hours Class	Hours Lab	Hours Clinical	Hours Credit	Program Remarks	Notes
BIO 110 Principles of Biology*	3	3	0	4		
EDU 131 Child, Family, and Community	3	0	0	3		
EDU 145 Child Development II	3	0	0	3		
EDU 146 Child Guidance	3	0	0	3		
ENG 112 Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	0	0	3		

SUMMER TERM 2024

Course	Hours Class	Hours Lab	Hours Clinical	Hours Credit	Program Remarks	Notes
EDU 221 Children with Exceptionalities	3	0	0	3		
MAT 143 Quantitative Literacy* ^{GE}	2	2	0	3		
PSY 150 General Psychology* ^{GE}	3	0	0	3		
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective* ^{GE}				3		

FALL SEMESTER 2024

Course	Hours Class	Hours Lab	Hours Clinical	Hours Credit	Program Remarks	Notes
COM 231 Public Speaking* ^{GE}	3	0	0	3		
EDU 151 Creative Activities	3	0	0	3		
Natural Science Transfer Specialty Elective*				4		
Social/Behavioral Sciences Transfer Specialty Elective*				3		
Transfer Specialty I				3		

SPRING SEMESTER 2025

Course	Hours Class	Hours Lab	Hours Clinical	Hours Credit	Program Remarks	Notes
EDU 234 Infants, Toddlers, and Twos	3	0	0	3		
EDU 280 Language/Literacy Experiences	3	0	0	3		
EDU 284 Early Child Capstone Practicum**	1	9	0	4		
Transfer Specialty II				3		

MINIMUM SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED FOR AAS DEGREE **71**

Humanities/Fine Arts Elective – Choose one of the following:

ART 111, ART 114, ART 115, MUS 110, MUS 112, PHI 215, PHI 240

Natural Sciences Transfer Specialty Elective – Choose one of the following:

AST 151 and AST 151A, CHM 151, GEL 111, PHY 110 and PHY 110A

Social/Behavioral Sciences Transfer Specialty Elective – Choose one of the following:

ECO 251, ECO 252, HIS 111, HIS 112, HIS 131, HIS 132, POL 120, SOC 210

Transfer Specialty I:

EDU 250 Teacher Licensure Preparation (Birth to Kindergarten B-K Licensure Transfer)

OR

EDU 261 Early Childhood Administration I (Early Education Non-Licensure Transfer)

Transfer Specialty II:

EDU 216 Foundations of Education (Birth to Kindergarten B-K Licensure Transfer)

OR

EDU 262 Early Childhood Administration II (Early Education Non-Licensure Transfer)

For additional information about requirements and graduation, please refer to the [Curriculum Program Completion and Graduation](#) policy. Program-specific criteria may be found on the respective [Programs](#) page. For questions about this program, consult the Program Director or an advisor for assistance.