



EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY: (BIRTH TO SECOND GRADE) OPTION

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An opportunity to gain an associate degree from Delaware Tech and a bachelor's degree from Wilmington University.

YOUR PATH TO A BACHELOR'S DEGREE

Delaware Tech has established agreements with four-year colleges and universities that connect Delaware Tech associate degree programs with bachelor's degree programs to create smooth transfer opportunities for you. These Connected Degree programs enable you to complete your associate degree and then transfer to a four-year degree program as a junior.

THE CONNECTED DEGREE 2 + 2 CURRICULUM

Delaware Tech's associate degree program in Early Childhood Education Technology (Birth to Second Grade) Option is approved by the Department of Education as the first half of an associate/bachelor's preparation for (Birth to Second Grade) teaching certification. This curriculum option offers students the opportunity to work toward a four-year degree while preparing for the various positions in the field of early childhood education. Students participate in practicum activities in public and private school systems while preparing to transfer to a four-year in-state institution to complete requirements for a bachelor's degree.

Wilmington University's Bachelor of Science degree program in Early Care and Education (Birth-Grade 2) combines rich and varied course offerings with extensive, supervised field experiences. Courses are taught by faculty members who have had professional experience in public schools, many of whom are current practitioners. Graduates are prepared to teach children from birth through second grade in the public schools as well as in private preschool and child care settings. Upon completion, students may continue their education at the graduate level.

VALUE FOR YOU

By completing your associate degree at Delaware Tech, you'll receive excellent instruction in small classes at a campus close to home. Delaware Tech's affordable tuition can reduce the overall cost of your college education, making the completion of your bachelor's degree more manageable.

MAKING THE CONNECTION

Refer to the Connected Degree curriculum (on the reverse side of this page) for the sequence of courses needed to complete this program. Call Delaware Tech and let us help you follow the path to your bachelor's degree.

CONNECTED DEGREE



CONNECTED DEGREE CURRICULUM

Suggested Course Sequence

Associate Degree		Bachelor's Degree	
Early Childhood Education Technology: Birth to Second Grade Option		Early Care and Education (Birth-Grade 2)	
Delaware Technical & Community College		Wilmington University	
FIRST SEMESTER (FALL)	CR	SIXTH SEMESTER (FALL)	CR
ECE 111 Childhood Nutrition & Safety	3	EDU 102 E-Folio	0
ECE 120 Contemp. Issues in Early Childhood	3	ECO 105 Fundamentals of Economics	3
ECE 121 Infant & Toddler Methods & Lab	5	ENG 111 Advanced Communication Skills	3
MAT 201 Math for Teachers I	4	SCI 105 Physical Science (with Lab)	4
PSY 125 Child Development	3	HIS 204 World History	3
		ENG 320 Advanced Composition	3
		EDU 390 Practicum I	1
	18		17
SECOND SEMESTER (SPRING)		SEVENTH SEMESTER (SPRING)	
CIS 107 Intro to Computers & Applications or ETC 101, ETC 102, ETC 103, and ETC 104	3/4	SCI 305 Earth/Space Science (with Lab)	4
ECE 123 Early Childhood Methods I & Lab	5	HIS 300 World and Regional Geography	3
ECE 127 Childhood Classroom Management	3	EDU 401 Instructional Technology	3
ENG 121 Composition	3	ECE 206 Family Development and Service Systems	3
MAT 202 Math for Teachers II	4	EDU 391 Practicum II	1
		HIS 320 Global Civilizations	3
	18/19		17
THIRD SEMESTER (SUMMER)		EIGHTH SEMESTER (FALL)	
ENG 122 Technical Writing/Communication	3	EPY 306 Educational Psychology and Assessment	3
PSY 121 General Psychology	3	EPY 401 Teaching Diverse Populations and Exceptional Children	3
	6	EDU 392 Practicum III	1
FOURTH SEMESTER (FALL)		RDG 401 Methods of Teaching Language/Literacy	3
ECE 125 Early Childhood Methods II & Lab	5	POL 300 American Politics	3
ECE 226 Assessment of Young Children	3	Fine Arts Elective*	3
ECE 233 Exceptional Child	3		16
EDC 120 Foundations of Literacy	3		
MAT 203 Mathematics for Teachers III	4		
	18		
FIFTH SEMESTER (SPRING)		NINTH SEMESTER (SPRING)	
BIO 140 General Biology or BIO 150 Biology I	4	Fine Arts Elective*	3
EDC 220 Parent Family School Interaction	3	EDU 499 Clinical Assessment in the Classroom	3
EDC 100 Professional Prep Praxis I	1	ECE 450 Student Teaching	9
EDC 230 Children's Literature	3		
HIS 111 U. S. History: Pre-Civil War	3		
	14		15
		*Choose from the following: ART 101, 202, 210, 245, 301, 302, 304, 310, 315; MUS 101, 201; HUM 307, 330; TEC 215, DSN 110, DRA 105, 110, 140, 200	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wilmington University's Early Care and Education (Birth – Grade 2) Program requires a minimum of 126 credits. Passage of the PRAXIS I is required for admission to Wilmington University's methods courses. Course sequencing may vary by semester. See your advisor. RDG 120, Critical Reading and Thinking, is a required DTCC course unless the student is exempt. 			
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