## Curriculum in Early Childhood Education Grades Pre-K – 3rd

Courses in Gray should be taken in the semesters indicated

Semester 1		Grade
ENG 101, 121H,	Freshman Composition	
or 123H (3)	- "	
*MATH 105 or	College Algebra	
MATH 151/161 See		
NOTE (3)		
ART 105/106, MUS	Survey of Art History, Music, or	
151, or THEA 131	Theater	
(3)		
GBIO 106 (3)	Biological Principles I	
HIST 202 (3)	American History since 1877	
SE 101 (2)	Freshman Success	
Total Hours: 17		

Semester 2		Grade
*ENG 102 or	Critical Reading and Writing	
122H or 124H (3)		
*MATH 241 (3)	Elementary Statistics	
GBIO 107 (3)	Biological Principles II	
ECE 108 (1)	Developmentally Appropriate	
	Practices in ECE	
POLI 201 (3)	American Politics	
*COMM 210 (3)	Communicating in the Classroom	
Total Hours: 16		

Semester 3		Grade
ENG 230 or 231 or	World, English, or American	
232 (3)	Literature	
*MATH 177 (3)	Math for Elementary and Middle	
	School Education I	
GEOG 103 (3)	Introduction to Geography	
*ECE 304 (3)	Early Childhood Psychology	
**EDUC 202 (3)	Introduction to Education	
ESSC 101 / 102 (3)	Earth and Space Science I or II	
Total Hours: 18		

Semester 4		Grade
*SPED 200 (3)	Characteristics of Individuals with	
	Exceptionalities	
*EDUC 304 (3)	The Teaching of Reading in	
	Elementary School	
*EDUC 307 (3)	Instructional Planning &	
	Assessment	
*LSED 401 (3)	Literature for Children	
*ECE 314 (3)	Classroom Management	
*EDUC 309 (3)	Integrating Music into the Primary	
	and Elementary School Classroom	
Total Hours: 18		

Semester 5		Grade
*ECE 300 (3)	Curriculum and Instruction in Early	
	Childhood Education	
*ECE 311 (3)	Introduction to Developmental	
	Assessment of Young Children	
*ECE 312 (3)	Practicum in Early Childhood	
	Education	
*EDUC 320 (3)	Foundations of PK-8 Mathematics	
	Education	
*EDUC 322 (3)	Diagnostic & Prescriptive Reading	
Total Hours: 15		

Semester 6		Grade
*ECE 316 (6)	Language Arts & Literacy Methods	
*ECE 318 (6)	Teaching Science & Social Studies in Early Childhood (Grades 1-3)	
ART 371 (3)	Art for Elementary Teachers	
Total Hours: 15		

Semester 7		Grade
*EDUC 453 (6)	Student Teaching I	
*EDUC 456 (3)	Curriculum and Instruction in Early	
	Literacy	
*EDUC 457 (3)	Curriculum and Instruction in Early	
	Elementary Mathematics	
Total Hours: 12		

Semester 8		Grade
*ECE 427 (9)	Student Teaching II	
Total Hours: 9		

Total Degree Hours	120
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SE 101 is not required of transfer or readmitted Southeastern students with 30 hours or more. These students will replace SE 101 with 2 courses of electives.

**NOTE**: Math 161 if Math ACT ≥ 21 or Math 151 if Math ACT ≤ 19. Students with a Math ACT ≥ 28 are eligible to be placed in Math 177.

## Courses taken concurrently:

- EDUC 320, EDUC 322, and ECE 300, ECE 311, ECE 312
- ECE 316 and ECE 318
- EDUC 456, EDUC 457, and EDUC 453

Completion of an approved Introductory Portfolio is a prerequisite for EDUC 320 and EDUC 322

Completion of an approved Developing Portfolio is a prerequisite for EDUC 453.

<sup>\*</sup>A grade of C or better is required in these courses.

<sup>\*\*</sup>A grade of B or better is required