

ACADEMIC MAP

Child Development, C.A.S.



Parkersburg
West Virginia University

Semester 1

COURSE	CR	COMMENTS
EDUC 250 INTRO TO EARLY EDUCATION	3	
CDEV 105 FAMILY & THE CHILD	3	10 HOURS
CDEV 210 CUR & STRAT EARLY CHLDHD PGMS	3	20 HOURS
ENGL 101 ~COMPOSITION 1	3	
MATH 120 QUANTITATIVE LITERACY	3	
TOTAL:	15	



The Certificate of Applied Science in Child Development

builds early childhood professional knowledge, skills, and abilities so graduates can prepare, facilitate, and assess learning environments that are engaging and playful to promote social, emotional, cognitive, and physical development.



FIELD/CLINICAL COURSE:

These courses have a component that requires placement in a child development setting and a completed CDEV file. The amount of hours can be found beside the target



CAREER LADDER: CDEV is

designed as a career ladder with multiple entry and exit points. Students can earn a Certificate of Applied Science in Child

Development. In just one more year, you can earn an Associate of Applied Science in Child Development without losing credits. In two years of study beyond the associates degree, you can earn a Bachelor of Applied Science in Child Development without losing credits.



Students should average 15 credit hours per semester, or 30 per year, to graduate on time.

Semester 2

COURSE	CR	COMMENTS
CDEV 205 YOUNG CHILDREN W/SPECIAL NEEDS	3	20 HOURS
PSYC 241 INTRO TO HUMAN DEVELOPMENT	3	
CDEV 155 GUIDING YOUNG CHILDREN	3	20 HOURS
EDUC 255 LANGUAGE ARTS & EMERGENT LITERACY	3	
CDEV 240 OBSERVATION & ASSESSMENT SKILL	3	10 HOURS
TOTAL:	15	

TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS:

30

2021-2022

General Education Courses



To ensure breadth and depth as students meet these broad education goals, the curriculum focuses on six academic "strands."

Composition & Rhetoric	Science & Technology	Math & Quantitative Skill	Society, Diversity & Connections	Human Inquiry & the Past	The Arts and Creativity
ENGL 101	ASTR 106	MATH 120 *	COMM 105	HIST 101	History & Literature of the Arts
ENGL 102	BIOL 101 & BIOL 103 L	MATH 121	COMM 111	HIST 102	
ENGL 107*	BIOL 102	MATH 125 *	COMM 112	HIST 152	ART 101
ENGL 108*	BIOL 102	MATH 126	ECON 201	HIST 153	ART 105
	BIOL 104 L	MATH 128	ECON 202	HIST 250 *	ART 106
	BIOL 107 *	MATH 129	FREN 101	PHIL 111	MUSI 170
	BIOL 108 *	MATH 150	FREN 102	PHIL 150 *	THEA 101
	BIOL 109 *	MATH 155	GEOG 102	PHIL 170	Literature
	BIOL 115	MATH 156	GEOG 240		ENGL 131
	BIOL 117	MATH 211	POLS 102		ENGL 132
	BIOL 171		POLS 220		ENGL 221
	CHEM 111		PSYC 101		ENGL 222
	CHEM 115		PSYC 241		ENGL 241
	CHEM 116		RELI 231		ENGL 242
	CS 101		SOC 101		ENGL 261
	GEOL 101 & GEOL 102 L		SOC 105		ENGL 262
	GEOL 103 & GEOL 104 L		SOC 221		ENGL 285
	GEOL 105 & GEOL 105 L		SOC 232		Applied Arts
	PSCI 111		SPAN 101		ART 109
	PSCI 112		SPAN 102		THEA 102
	PHYS 101				Creative Writing
	PHYS 102				ENGL 213
	PHYS 111				ENGL 214
	PHYS 112				ENGL 215

* Serves technical and professional degree programs specific to WVU Parkersburg. Does not transfer to WVU as General Education (March 2018).