

Statewide Early Childhood Teacher Education Articulation Agreement

Associate of Arts

Associate of Arts: Early Childhood Education Colorado Mountain College offers students the opportunity to complete the AA-Early Childhood Education requirements at CMC and then transfer into a degree program at a participating Colorado public four-year college or university. Upon completion of the last two years of the 4-year college's Early Childhood Education program, students will graduate with a Bachelor of Arts degree and will be eligible for Early Childhood Education licensure.

Students must sign a graduation plan at Colorado Mountain College that identifies the first 54 credit hours that are guaranteed to transfer to a particular early childhood education program. To complete the AA graduation requirements, students, who have completed or are currently enrolled in courses that will total the first 54 credits, will apply to a specific early childhood education program and be advised on the final 6 credits guaranteed to transfer. During the students sophomore year or equivalent term when the student will complete the 54 credits the student will sign an agreement for the final 6 credit hours that will be co-signed by Colorado Mountain College and the four-year college. Participating four-year institutions are: Adams State College, Colorado State University, Fort Lewis College, Metropolitan State College of Denver, Mesa State College, and University of Northern Colorado. Only courses with a letter grade of "C" or better will be accepted for transfer, except COM-115 and the final 6 credits of electives, which must be completed with a "B" or better. Please see your advisor.

For a list of CMC campuses offering this program, please see the *Where Our Programs are Offered* table on page 33. Not every course is offered on every campus.

General Education Requirements for All Early Childhood Education Students

Communication 9 credits (C or better) (GT-CO1-2)

GRADE/SEM	COURSE #	CREDIT
	🔒 ENG 121 English Composition I	3
	🔒 ENG 122 English Composition II	3
	* COM 115 Public Speaking (B or better)	3

Mathematics 6-7 credits. Complete either Group A or Group B shown below (C or better) (GT-MA1)

Group A:

	🔒 MAT 120 Mathematics for Liberal Arts	4
	or	
	🔒 MAT 121 College Algebra	(4)
	and	
	🔒 MAT 135 Introduction to Statistics	3

Group B:

	🔒 MAT 155 Integrated Math I	3
	and	
	🔒 MAT 156 Integrated Math II	3

Science 8-10 credits. Complete 2 lab-based science courses from either Group A or Group B shown below (C or better) (GT-SC1)

Group A:

	🔒 SCI 155 Integrated Science I	4
	and	
	🔒 SCI 156 Integrated Science II	4

Group B:

	🔒 BIO 105 Science of Biology	4
	🔒 BIO 111 General College Biology I	5
	🔒 CHE 101 Introduction to Chemistry I	5
	🔒 CHE 111 General College Chemistry I	5
	🔒 ENV 101 Introduction to Environmental Science	4
	🔒 PHY 105 Conceptual Physics	4
	🔒 PHY 111 Physics: Algebra-Based I with Lab	5
	🔒 PHY 211 Physics: Calculus-Based I with Lab	5
	🔒 GEY 111 Physical Geology	4

Social/Behavioral 9 credits (C or better) (GT-SS1 and SS2 and GT-HI1)

	🔒 GEO 105 World Regional Geography	3
	🔒 HIS 201 U.S. History to Reconstruction	3
	🔒 POS 111 American Government	3

Humanities 6 credits: choose two (C or better) (GT-AH1 and AH2)

	🔒 ART 110 Art Appreciation	3
	🔒 LIT 115 Introduction to Literature	3
	* LIT 255 Children's Literature	3
	🔒 MUS 120 Music Appreciation	3

Early Childhood Education Program Requirements 16 credits (C or better)

	* ECE 101 Introduction to Early Childhood Education	3
	* ECE 102 Introduction to Early Childhood Lab Techniques	3
	* ECE 205 Nutrition, Health & Safety	3
	* ECE 238 Child Growth & Development	4
	* ECE 241 Administration: Human Relations for Early Childhood Education	3

Electives determined by transferring institution 6 credits (B or better)

Total Credits Earned

General Education Requirements	38	
Early Childhood Education Requirements	16	
Electives determined by transferring Institution		6

Additional Credits Approved

Early Childhood Education Emphasis (minimum 60) _____

Please note that course availability and scheduling are subject to change without notice. Always consult your latest course bulletin and work closely with an advisor at both CMC and the 4-year college when scheduling classes.