

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Home Visitor

ARTS & SCIENCES AND BUSINESS DIVISION

Program of Study

The Home Visitor curriculum is designed specifically for persons who will be meeting with family members and children in a home setting. Coursework provides skills in recognizing child and adult family member needs. Techniques geared to helping parents enhance their parenting skills as well as intervention methods to assist families from diverse backgrounds will be emphasized. The student may work toward the degree in steps by completing first the credential and then the certificate.

The faculty has identified the following Learning Outcomes for all graduates:

- Possess a theoretical knowledge of stages of human growth and development and developmental domains with an emphasis on 0 to 8 years of age.
- Develop skills in operational procedures based on NAEYC guidelines useful in a variety of early childhood settings
- Develop sociological knowledge and skill to work with children and families of diverse economic, cultural, social makeup and those dealing with a variety of exceptionalities.
- Demonstrate skill in program planning, evaluation, guidance of children, individually and in groups, preparing the environment and working in collaboration with others.
- Provide proof for Department of Human Services and Ohio Department of Education guidelines for working with children in the state of Ohio.

POTENTIAL OCCUPATIONS:

- Positions as family services workers who will be meeting with family members and children in a home setting.

Associate of Technical Study

TECHNICAL CONCENTRATION

		Credit Hrs.	
ECE	1000	Introduction to ECE.	3
ECE	1100	Child Development	3
ECE	1210	Infant and Toddler Curriculum	3
ECE	2030	Family, School, and Community	3
ECE	2130	Nutrition, Health, and Safety.	3
ECE	2310	The Family	3
ECE	2400	Behavior Guidance for Young Children	3
ECE	2500	Emergent Language Literacy	3
ECE	2680	Educational Practicum	3
SWK	1010	Introduction to Social Work	3
SWK	1020	Social Work Methods & Practice.	3
SWK	2120	Social Diversity.	3
Total Technical Credit Hours			36

GENERAL EDUCATION AND RELATED COURSES

GEN	1000	First-Year Seminar	1
EDU	1010	Introduction to Educational Technology	3
EDU	1100	Educational Psychology	3
EDU	1320	Children with Exceptionalities	3
Choose One:		ENG 1050 College Composition I or ENG 1020	3
ENG	1060	College Composition II.	3
PLS	1000	American Government	3
PSY	1210	General Psychology	3
SPE	2010	Effective Speaking	3
		*Humanities Elective	3
		*Mathematics Elective	4
Total General Education & Related Credit Hours			32

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS **68**

- * See page 95 for a listing of specific electives.
See your advisor for appropriate course selection.

For available Certificate Program options, see catalog pages 97-103.

- ** All students graduating from Terra State Community College with an Associate degree of any kind will be functionally proficient in common computer operations and applications. Please see your academic advisor or academic division office for further details.

To determine when courses are scheduled, see program curriculum sheet which is available from the Enrollment Services office in Building A/Room 100, from the Arts & Sciences and Business Division, Building A/Room 202 or on the web at www.terra.edu.