EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (DEGREE COMPLETION, Birth – Age 5, Nonlicense)  
IPFW College of Education and Public Policy  
Effective Fall 2017  
Minimum: 120 Credits

Name: ___________________________  
ID: ___________________________

C- OR BETTER IS REQUIRED FOR ALL COURSES USED TOWARD THIS DEGREE

**IPFW General Education:**  
(33 Credits)

Below is a list of highly recommended courses to accomplish the general education requirements and prepare you for the content required by the Indiana DOE. The full list of approved courses for general education can be found at [www.bulletin.ipfw.edu/](http://www.bulletin.ipfw.edu/).

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<th>Category A. Foundational Intellectual Skills</th>
<th>Required Learning Outcomes</th>
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<td>1. ENG W131 Rdg, Wrtg, &amp; Inq. 1 (ITCC ENGL 111)</td>
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<td>2. COM 11400 Fund. Of Speech (ITCC COMM 101)</td>
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<td>3. MA 14000 Quant Reasons OR MA 153 Alg &amp; Trig (ITCC MATH 123 or ITCC MATH 136)</td>
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<th>Category B. Ways of Knowing</th>
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<td>GEOG G107 Physical Sys Environ OR PHYS 21000 (ITCC SCIN 100 or ITCC SCIN 111)</td>
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<td>5. PSY 12000 OR SOC S161 (ITCC PSY 101 or ITCC SOC 111)</td>
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<td>ECON E101 or E200 OR POLS Y103 (ITCC ECON 101 or ITCC POLS 101)</td>
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<td>6. HIST H105 or H106 (ITCC HIST 101 or 102)</td>
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<td>FINA T255 OR FINA H101</td>
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7. Refer to Approved List (Sugg ENG W103 or W203) (ITCC ENGL 202)  
3 | Interdisciplinary  
All Outcomes will be met

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<th>Category C. Capstone</th>
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**Additional Requirements**  
(12 credits)

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<tr>
<td>ENG W233 Interm. Exp. Wrtg. (ITCC ENGL 112)</td>
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<tr>
<td>HIST H113 or H114 OR ENGL L101 or L102 (ITCC HIST 111 or 112 or ITCC ENGL 220 or ITCC ENGL 221)</td>
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| Elective (1 credit):
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**Pre-Professional Education:**  
(12 Credits)

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<td>EDUC F200 Exam Self as a Teacher (ITCC ECED 260)</td>
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<td>CSD 11500 Intro to Comm Disorders</td>
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**Early Childhood Education CORE from A.S. degree:**  
(23 Credits)

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Updated 1/27/2017 (TJS)  
Evaluator: ___________________________  
Date: ____________
Professional Education Requirements

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<th>Additional Courses Taken Prior to Block 1</th>
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<td>EDUC E349 Teaching &amp; Learning for B-3 (C:M301)</td>
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<td>EDUC M301 Lab Field Experience</td>
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<td>EDUC M470 Practicum: B-3 (P: EDUC E349)</td>
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<td>EDUC E327 Social Studies &amp; the Family</td>
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<td>EDUC F300 EC Dual Language Learners &amp; Literacy</td>
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1st Checkpoint for Admission to Professional Education (Block 1) requires:

1. Completion of A.S. in Early Childhood Education with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA
2. Completion of each IPFW course with a grade of “C-” or higher. EDUA/C courses may be repeated one time to earn minimum grade.
3. Successfully complete EDUC M470 (B-3) and all program Signature Assessments.
4. Minimum 3.00 cum. GPA.
5. Pass a Criminal History Check and all other checks/screens as required for each agency.

Successful completion of all program Signature Assessments between Blocks 1 & 2 is required.

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<th>Block 1</th>
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<td>EDUC E352 Teaching &amp; Learning Ages 3-6 (C:M401)</td>
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<td>EDUC M355 Issues in Infancy &amp; EC Mental Health</td>
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<td>EDUC M401 Lab Field Experience</td>
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<td>EDUC P450 Child Development Seminar (C: M470)</td>
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<td>EDUC M470 Practicum: Preschool</td>
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Additional Courses Taken after Admission to Block 1

| EDUC H340 Education & American Culture | 3 |
| EDUC E346 Discipline/Parenting Young Child (may not count as GE Area 8) | 3 |
| EDUC K410 Trends and Issues in Special Ed: Early Intervention Strategies | 3 |
| EDUC K465 - Service Delivery Systems and Consultation Strategies (ECSE) | 3 |
| EDUC K305 Teaching Except Learners | 3 |

2nd Checkpoint for Verification for Completion of Degree

1. Apply for graduation.
2. Successfully complete all program Signature Assessments.
3. No grade lower than a C- in any course used toward degree. EDUA/C courses may be repeated one time to earn a grade of “C-“ or higher.
4. Minimum 3.00 cum. GPA.
5. Successfully complete EDUC M470 (preschool), and all requirements.

For an exception to any of the above requirements, a student should request permission for a waiver in writing from the Educational Studies Chair. All waiver requests must be submitted at least 10 days before classes begin.