

NAVAJO TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Science - Early Childhood Multicultural Education (119-122* Credits)

Student: _____

ID #: _____

“Our Children will learn more because you learned more”

Navajo Technical University is dedicated to prepare Early Childhood Professionals in a culturally and linguistically diverse environment at a baccalaureate level. Students work intensely and progressively to prepare for their State Early Childhood Teacher Licensure from Birth to 8 years old. This program provides a unique opportunity to assist present or future teachers of young children to use child development knowledge within the childcare, preschool and primary schools. This includes practical field experience, which will enhance their professional practice and gain competence in working with Infants through 8 years old and their families. Students complete 16 full weeks of Student Teaching at an approved site during their final semester. We look forward to you to join us to bring about change in the community in order to improve the lives and education of our children. Students are required the following:

- Federal, State and Navajo Nation Fingerprinting and background check.
- CPR/First Aid and Food Handling Training
- ECED 4901, 4920, and 4955 will be completed in age-appropriate settings in programs/schools outside of students' workplaces. All Practicums will be In-Person Sessions.

General Education Course: 51-54* credits

ECME Core Courses: 44 credits

Licensure Track Courses: 24 credits

Arizona Requirements for Licensure:

- 8 credits of Science with Lab
- NAVA 2220 Navajo History
- POS 220 AZ & US Constitution
- ECED 1001 Intro to Early Childhood

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS		Credits	Prerequisite	Transfer/Semester	Grade
SSC 101	College Success	1			
ENGLISH:					
ENGL 1110	Composition I	3	ENGL 100 or satisfactory placement scores		
ENGL 1120	Composition II	3	ENGL 1210 or ENGL 1110		
ENGL 1410 or ENGL 2560 or ENGL 2650		3			
MATHEMATICS:					
MATH 1110	Math for Teachers I	3	MATH 1215		
MATH 1115	Math for Teachers II	3			
SCIENCE: BIOL 1110C, GEOL 1110C, ENVS 1110C, PHYS 1115C, or CHEM 1120C (AZ Requirement – Sciences with lab) 1. 2.		8	For Arizona certification		
HUMANITIES:					
HIST 1110	United States History I	3	ENG 098 or better		
HIST 1120	United States History II	3	ENG 098 or better		
NAVA 2220	Navajo History (AZ “H”)	3	For Arizona certification		
COMM 1130 or COMM 2120	Public Speaking or Interpersonal Communication	3	SEE CATALOG		
SOCIAL SCIENCE					
PSYC 1110	Introduction to Psychology	3			
PSYC 2120	Developmental Psychology	3	PSYC 1110 or permission of instructor		
ECON 1110, or CJUS 1110, or SOCI 1110, or POS 220 AZ & US Constitution (AZ Requirement) 1.		3	For Arizona Certification		

2.				
COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY: BCIS 1115	3			
DINE STUDIES: NAVA 1120 or NAVA 2210 or NAVA 2220 or NAVA 2230	3			
FINE ARTS: ENGL 2310 or NAVA 1310	3			
EARLY CHILDHOOD CORE COURSES	Credits	Prerequisite	Transfer/Semester	Grade
ECED 1001	Intro to Early Childhood	3	For Arizona Certification	
ECED 1110	Child Growth, Development, & Learning	3		
ECED 1115	Health, Safety and Nutrition	3		
ECED 1120	Guiding Young Children	3		
ECED 1125	Assessment of Children & Evaluation of Programs	3		
ECED 1130	Family and Community Collaboration	3		
ECED 2110	Professionalism	2		
ECED 2115	Intro. to Language, Literacy & Reading	3		
ECED 2120	Curriculum Dev. through Play	3	Co-Requisite 2121	
ECED 2121	Curriculum Dev. through Play Practicum (Birth-4 yr)	2	Co-Requisite 2120	
ECED 2130	Curriculum Dev. & Implementation	3	Pre-Requisite 2120 Co-Requisite 2131	
ECED 2131	Curriculum Dev. & Implementation Practicum (Age 3- 3 rd Grade)	2	Pre-Requisite 2121 Co-Requisite 2130	
NAVA 2240	Diné Philosophy of Education	3		
ECED 3105	Research in Child Growth, Development, and Learning	3	ECED 1110	
ECED 3160	Family, Language, and Culture	3	ECED 1130	
ECED 3405	Young Children with Diverse Abilities	3	ECED 1125	

CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING LICENSURE TRACKS:

Track 1: Early Childhood Teacher Licensure Birth to Age 4				
ECED 3040	Integrated Curriculum-Birth through Age 4	4	ECED Core Complete	
ECED 3251	Emergent Literacy	3	ECED Core Complete	
ECED 3505	Advanced Caregiving for Infants and Toddlers	3	ECED Core Complete	
ECED 4901	Teaching and Learning Practicum (Birth through Age 4)	2	ECED 2120/2021 & 2130/2131	
ECED 4931	Student Teaching Seminar	3		
ECED 4955	Student Teaching	9		
Track 2: Early Childhood Teacher Licensure: Birth to Age 8				
ECED 3180	Teaching and Learning: Math and Science	4	ECED Core Complete	
ECED 4281	Teaching and Learning: Reading and Writing	3	ECED Core Complete	
ECED 3280	Teaching and Learning: Soc. Stud. Fine Arts & Movement	3	ECED Core Complete	
ECED 4920	Teaching and Learning Practicum (Birth through Age 8)	2	ECED 2120/2021 & 2130/2131	
ECED 4931	Student Teaching Seminar	3		
ECED 4955	Student Teaching	9		
Total Required Credit Hours (Gen Ed/ Core Courses/ Track 1 or 2)				119-122*

Signatures:	DATE
Student:	
Advisor:	
Registrar:	
ECME Advisor:	

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