

# BA in Liberal Arts w/Early Childhood Education Concentration

## EARLY CHILDHOOD CERTIFICATION (P-3) with MINOR in CHILDHOOD STUDIES OPTION

11/03/17

**Liberal Arts Requirements** Students should seek regular LIBA precepting for all program courses to meet BA requirements.

While all bachelor programs require a minimum of 128 credits and a 2.00 cumulative GPA, the New Jersey Department of Education requires a 3.0 cumulative GPA to be certified. Students in this concentration must complete a LIBA major with accompanying EDUC courses as shown. A grade of "C" or better is required in all content courses and a B- or better in professional education courses.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**– The New Jersey Department of Education continually adopts updates to requirements for teacher preparation curriculum, clinical experience, and clinical practice leading to teacher certification. Candidates seeking certification in any area are encouraged to check the School of Education website ([www.stockton.edu/educ](http://www.stockton.edu/educ)) for updates: <http://www.stockton.edu/educ>

LIBA Degree Requirements (ECE Concentration)	129 credits total	
Program (P)	40	C or Better
Cognates (Cog)	30	B- or Better
General Studies (G)	32	C or Better
At Some Distance (ASD)	27	B- or Better

#1 Program Requirements Students should seek regular LIBA precepting for all program courses to meet BA requirements.	Credits	C or Better
PSYC 1100 Intro to Psych	4	
HLTH 2210 Sign Language	4	
SOCY 1100 Intro to Sociology (I)	4	
SOCY 2290 Schools & Society	4	
SOCY 2745 Race, Poverty and Education	4	
SOWK 3650 Topics in Child Welfare	4	
LITT 2108 Children's Literature (W2)	4	
Choose one: Math EDUC 1151 Praxis Math, EDUC 2551, 2552, 2553 Elementary School Math series (Q1)	4	
Science ENVL 1100 Intro to Environmental Studies	4	
HLTH 2115 Language Development (P-3)	4	
<b>Total Credits to Liberal Arts Major:</b>	<b>40</b>	

#2 General Education Requirements—(32 cr. Required)	Credits	C or Better
GEN 1138 Perspectives on Childhood (CHS Minor req.)	4	
GAH	4	
GAH	4	
GNM	4	
GNM	4	
GSS	4	
GSS	4	
GIS	4	
<b>Total General Education Credits:</b>	<b>32</b>	
<i>General Studies Writing Requirement - 4 courses— Recommended</i>		
Two W1 courses may be transferred. W2 courses must be at Stockton. _____W1, _____W1/W2, LITT 2108 W1/W2, EDUC4600 W1/W2 3000 level		
<i>General Studies Quantitative Reasoning Requirement - (3 courses)</i>		
Two Q1 courses may be transferred. Q2 courses must be taken at Stockton GNM 1126 Q1 _____Q2 _____Q1 or Q2		
<i>General Studies Outcome Requirement (Attributes): GSS 1072 FSEM</i> _____A (Arts) _____H (Historical Consciousness) EDUC 1515 V (Values/Ethics) SOCY 1100 I (International/Multicultural)		

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Z \_\_\_\_\_

Preceptor: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Curric. WS Review: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

#3 Professional Requirements: Grades of C or better required (equiv. transfer credits can be accepted)	16 Credits	Grade
(Cog) EDUC 1515 Diversity in Fam, Schl & Commun. (V), (W2) or equiv, also accepted: GAH 1360; GEN 2126; GSS 1044, 3360, 3516; SOCY 2745	4	
(Cog) EDUC 2250 Inclusive Education P-3	4	
(ASD) INTC 2610 Instructional Tech for K12 Educators also accepted GEN 2108	4	
(Cog) EDUC 2231 Development of the Learner also accepted PSYC 2201/3322 Dev/Life; and PSYC 3391 Ed. Psyc	4	
<b>Prerequisite to Entry:</b> Grade of B- or better required	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>
(ASD) EDUC 2000 Gateway to NJ Teaching Profession	1	
<b>Core Praxis Scores or equiv. SAT scores of Verbal 560+ &amp; Math 540+ or ACT scores of 23+ on both the English &amp; Math sections</b>	<b>Reading</b>	<b>Writing</b> <b>Math</b>
3.0 or better overall GPA* <b>GPA _____ as of _____</b>		
Criminal Background Check /Sub Cert		
TB Test		
State Code Exam (formerly Health Test)		

#4 Professional Education Grade of B- or better required (29 credits counted at left) Professional licensure courses may only be re-attempted once after withdrawal or failure to earn B- or better.	Credits	Grade
<b>Clinical Experience Semester</b>		
(Cog) EDUC 3100 Part-time Clinical Experience in Education (50 hrs.)	2	
(ASD) EDUC 3105 Literacy Development P to Gr. 3	3	
<b>Clinical Practice I-Semester (Formerly Introductory Semester)</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>
(Cog) EDUC 3101 Part-time Clinical Practice I in Educ.(80 hrs.)	2	
(ASD) EDUC 3252 Curriculum Approaches to P-3	3	
(ASD) EDUC 3151 Language & Motor Development	3	
<b>PRAXIS II TEST(S) must be passed BY the Clinical Praxis I Semester in the subject(s) and grade level you wish to student teach. Check this website for current NJ test information for certification area <a href="http://www.ets.org/praxis/nj/requirements">www.ets.org/praxis/nj/requirements</a>. (Code 5025) Passing score required: 156</b>		
<b>Clinical Practice II Semester (Formerly Intermediate Semester)</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>
(ASD) EDUC 4611 Integrating Math Science & Tech in Education	3	
(ASD) EDUC 4621 Integrating Social Studies and Arts	3	
(ASD) EDUC 4151 Curriculum Instruction & Assessment P-3	3	
(Cog) EDUC 4600 Part-time Clinical Practice II in Educ.(W2) (CHS Capstone) (100 hrs.)	2	
<b>Final Clinical Practice-(Formerly Certification Semester)</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>
(Cog) EDUC 4990 Full-time Final Clinical Practice-Student Tchg.	12	
(ASD) EDUC 4991 Final Clinical Practice Seminar	2	
(ASD) EDUC 4992 edTPA Capstone	2	
In order for your certificate to be processed, you must meet the following requirements: complete your BA degree; pass the Praxis test(s), complete all liberal arts content coursework required; and attain a minimum GPA of 3.0.		
Final Overall GPA _____ as of _____		