B.A., CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES

Concentrations: Administration Within the Early Childhood Field, Curriculum and Teaching, Family Support, and Infant and Toddler

Minimum Requirements for Degree: 120 credits

Students must earn a C grade or better in each course.

General University Requirements

Complete the general university requirements. (http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors)

General Education Requirements

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B.A. Degree Requirements

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As part of the B.A. social science degree requirements, complete:

- PSY F101X Introduction to Psychology 3

Humanities/Social Science

Select three from the following: 9

- ANS F242X Native Cultures of Alaska
- ANS F320 Language and Culture in Alaska
- ANS F330 Yup'ik Parenting and Child Development
- ANS F461 Native Ways of Knowing
- ANTH F407 Kinship and Social Organization
- LING F303 Language Acquisition

Mathematics

Select one from the following: 3-4

- CS F101 Computers and Society
- CS F102 Introduction to Computer Science
- MATH F113X Concepts and Contemporary Applications of Mathematics
- MATH F122X Precalculus for Business and Economics
- MATH F151X College Algebra for Calculus

Program Requirements

ECE F101 Introduction to Early Childhood Profession 3
ECE F104X Child Development I: Prenatal, Infants and Toddlers 3
ECE F107 Child Development II: The Preschool and Primary Years 3
ECE F110 Safe, Healthy, Learning Environments 3
ECE F140 Positive Social and Emotional Development 3
ECE F210 Child Guidance 3
ECE F229 Foundations in Nutrition and Physical Wellness 3
ECE F235 Screening, Assessment and Recording Culture, Learning and the Young Child 2
or ECE F130

ECE F305 Social Emotional Development: Reflection and Practice 3
ECE F342 Family Relationships 3
ECE F350 Play: Foundation for Development 3
ECE F445 Adolescence Through the Lifespan 3
ECE F480 Child Development and Family Studies Portfolio 1

Concentrations

Select one from the following concentrations: 24

- Administration within the Early Childhood Field
- Curriculum and Teaching
- Family Support
- Infant and Toddler

Total Credits 75-76

As part of the core curriculum requirements, the following courses are recommended: ENGL F213X, MATH F113X, MATH F122X, or MATH F151X, BIOL F104X, GEOG F111X or GEOS F120X.

Concentrations

ADMINISTRATION WITHIN THE EARLY CHILDHOOD FIELD

Students completing any CFDS concentration will need an additional 6 upper-division (300-400) credits within the Humanities/Social Science B.A. general degree requirements.

ECE F340 Financial Management of Early Childhood Programs 3
ECE F341 Personnel Management of Early Childhood Programs 3
ECE F471 Clinical Practice: Organizational Action Research 3
CIOS F150 Computer Business Applications 3
ENGL F212 Business, Grant and Report Writing 3
BA S301 Principles of Management 3
BA S343 Principles of Marketing 3
BA S490 Political and Social Environment of Business 3

Total Credits 15

Note: ECON F201X or ECON F202X is a prerequisite for BA S490.

Note: This specialization is offered in collaboration with the University of Alaska Southeast. For course descriptions of UAS courses see current University of Alaska Southeast catalog. These courses are available by distance delivery.

CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

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ECE F240 Inclusion of Children with Special Needs 3
ECE F310 Constructivist Curriculum 3
ECE F360 Assessment in Early Childhood 3
ECE F420 Developing Literacy in the Early Years 3
ECE F430  Fine Arts for the Early Years  3
ECE F440  Exploring Math and Science  3
ECE F472  Clinical Practice: Classroom Research 1  3
ECE F473  Clinical Practice: Classroom Management 1  3
or ECE F270  Practicum II

Total Credits  24

1  Student must earn a B grade or higher in each course.

Note: ECE F270 as approved by CDFS program.

**FAMILY SUPPORT**

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Note: Students completing the family support concentration need to complete SWK F103X as a prerequisite to SWK F360.

ECE F242  Child and Family Ecology  3
ECE F301  Parents as Partners in Education  3
or ECE F302  Building Home Program Relationships: Prenatal to 3 Years
ECE F306  Building Bridges to Support Family Mental Health  3
ECE F405  Seminar in Culture and Child Rearing Practices  3
ECE F410  Supporting Family Relationships through Mentoring  3
ECE F442  Family Resource Management  3
ECE F471  Clinical Practice: Organizational Action Research  3
SWK F360  Child Abuse and Neglect  3

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**INFANT AND TODDLER**

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ECE F214  Infants and Toddlers  3
ECE F302  Building Home Program Relationships: Prenatal to 3 Years  3
ECE F304  Attachment and Social Development  3
ECE F320  Environment and Curriculum for Infants and Toddlers  3
ECE F405  Seminar in Culture and Child Rearing Practices  3
ECE F421  From Babbling to Talking to Early Literacy  3
ECE F472  Clinical Practice: Classroom Research 2  3
ECE F473  Clinical Practice: Classroom Management 2  3
or ECE F270  Practicum II

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2  Student must earn a B grade or higher in each course.

For students entering the program with an A.A. or A.A.S. degree in early childhood education from a regionally accredited college or university (23 credits accepted as a block of courses).

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