Hudson Valley Community College: Early Childhood Education A.A.S.
The College of Saint Rose: Early Childhood Education B.S.

Degree Requirements

Saint Rose Requirements:

I. Liberal Education Requirements (41 cr.):

L01: Comm. through Reading, Writing, Speaking & Listening (4 cr.)
ENG 105 Expository Writing, Oral Communication & Research Techniques

L02: Study of Language (3 cr.)
Foreign Language or American Sign Language.

L03: Historical Knowledge, Analysis, and Perspective (3 cr.)
History

L04: Artistic Knowledge and Interpretation: Literature (4 cr.)
Literature

L05: Artistic Knowledge and Interpretation (3 cr.)
Art, Music, Communications, OR Drama

L06: Philosophical, Spiritual, or Theological Inquiry (3 cr.)
Philosophy or Religious Studies

L07: Mathematical Reasoning (3 cr.)
Mathematics

L08: Information Technology (3 cr.)
Computers

L09: Scientific Knowledge and Inquiry (4 cr.)
Laboratory Science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Earth Science)

L10: Behavioral and Social Sciences 1 (3 cr.)
Economics, Political Science OR Business

L11: Behavioral and Social Sciences 2 (3 cr.)
Psychology or Sociology

L12: Wellness and Physical Fitness (2 cr.)
Physical Education

L13: Further Disciplinary Study (3 cr.)
A second liberal ed course in same discipline as a previously taken course.

II. General Electives:

HVCC Equivalencies:

ENGL 101 AND ENGL 102 (6) OR
ENGL 101 AND ENGL 125 (6)

Foreign Language Elective (3) Note 7

History Elective (3) Note 7

Literature Elective (3) Note 7

ECCE 111 Creative Activities Children (3)

Philosophy Elective (3) Note 7

Math 120 (3) or above with the exception of Statistics

EDUC 217 Technology in the Classroom (3)

BIOL 104 or 105 Topics in Biology (3) OR
PHYS 101 Physical Science (3)

Economics (3), Political Science (3) OR
Business Elective (3) Note 7

PSYC 100 General Psychology (3) Note 7

Physical Education Elective (2) Note 7

SOC1 100 Sociology (3) (fulfills Diversity Requirement)

Minimum Total Hours Required: 122

Maximum Credit Hours Transferable: 62
III. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (70-81 cr.)

A. Education Sequence for Early Childhood Education (48 cr.):
   EPY 245 Child Development and Health (4)
   ECE 106 Intro to Portfolio (0)
   ECE 230 Foundations of Early Childhood Education (3)

   ECE 231 Infant, Toddler, and Preschool Education & Guidance (3)
   ECE 253 Curriculum and Instruction: PreK-Grade 2
   ECE 385 Integrated Content Methods Grade K-2
   CSD 235 Language Development & Disorders & Implication for Literacy (3)
   SED 146 Individuals w/ Disabilities & Exceptionalities (4)
   SEE 328 Partnerships with Families (4)
   SEE 350 Developmental Assessment of Young Children (3)
   SEE 360 Literacy and Literature for Young Children (4)

STUDENT TEACHING
   ECE 490 Student Teaching
   EDU 493 Portfolio in Childhood and Early Childhood Education (1)
   EDU 494 Seminar for Childhood & Early Childhood Ed Student Teachers (2)

WORKSHOPS
   EDU 102 Violence Prevention Workshop (0)
   EDU 103 Child Abuse and Abduction Workshop (0)
   EDU 106 HIV/AIDS, Communicable Diseases & Safety Education Workshop (0)
   EPY 337 Substance Abuse Workshop (0-1)

EDUCATION ELECTIVE CREDIT
   EDU 001 Education Elective (3)
   EDU 001 Education Elective (4)
   EDU 001 Education Elective (6)
   ECCE 122 (3) Guidance of Young Children
   ECCE 123 (4) Tech of Teaching
   ECCE (6) Restricted Electives

Hudson Valley Equivalencies:
   EDUC 100 (3) Child Development (Must take ECE 241 Health Ed Workshop at Saint Rose for health component of required course)
   EDUC 110 (3) Found of Ed in America AND ECCE 226 (4) Appr Curr Prac/Yg Children AND ECCE 227(4) Ed Theory/Prac in ECE See Note 1
   ECCE 115 Dev. Appr Prac Infants/Toddlers (3) AND
   ECCE 226, Appr Curr Prac/Yg Children (4)

   EDUC 108 (3) Indiv. w/Exceptionalities
   EDUC 225 (3) Children’s Lit, Lang & Lit Dev. See Note 2

See Note 3

See Note 4 and Note 5

B. Academic Concentrations for Early Childhood Education Majors (30-33 cr.):

In addition to completing Saint Rose’s Liberal Education requirements, all Early Childhood Education students must fulfill the requirements for an academic concentration to comply with New York State teacher certification regulations.

- American Studies (33 cr.)
- Biology (30 cr.)
- Earth Science (30 cr.)
- General Science (30 cr.)
- Mathematics (30-32 cr.)
- English/Language Arts (33 cr.)
- Social Science (33 cr.)
- French/Spanish (30 cr.)
Notes for The College of Saint Rose & Hudson Valley Community College Early Childhood Education Agreement:

1. Since EDUC 110 covers a broader age range than ECE 230, the content of ECCE 226 and 227 are needed to ensure that the students have the foundational knowledge for Early Childhood.

2. Students who take EDUC 225 will be required to take a one credit literacy course at The College of Saint Rose, which will include 10 hours field experience.

3. All student teaching credit must be completed at The College of Saint Rose. All field experience courses at Hudson Valley Community College will transfer to The College of Saint Rose as Education Elective credit.

4. The combination of EDUC 100 and ECCE 227 will allow the faculty at The College of Saint Rose to waive the Child Abuse Education requirement. However, this is contingent upon Hudson Valley Community College issuing a State Education Department approved “Certificate of Completion” FOR “Coursework/Training in Identification and Reporting of Child Abuse and Maltreatment” to the student upon completion of EDUC 100 and ECCE 227.

5. Substance Abuse requirement may be fulfilled by EPY 337 Substance Abuse Workshop (0) or EPY 352 Drug Use & Abuse.

6. The combination of ECCE 122 and ECCE 227 will allow the faculty at The College of Saint Rose to waive the HIV/AIDS Education requirement.

7. 62 is the maximum number of credits allowed for transfer into Saint Rose. All possible electives are listed in this agreement and the student, along with his/her advisor, should select the most appropriate courses to complete his/her degree at Hudson Valley Community College while not unnecessarily exceeding the number of credits required for the A.A.S. degree.

8. A letter grade of C- or higher in each course is required for transfer to The College of Saint Rose. Any completed coursework with a grade lower than C- will not be transferred.

9. This document is valid until the time which either party changes their respective programs. At which point review/revision will be required.

10. The College of Saint Rose Transfer Equivalency Database and Catalog should be consulted to ensure that selected coursework will fulfill the appropriate Liberal Education Requirements as designated by the “LO” nest to the course credits.

11. The Transfer Equivalency Database is the most current tool to utilize when determining the transferability of credits into The College of Saint Rose. The Transfer Equivalency Database can be accessed by visiting the link below:

   http://www.strose.edu/officesandresources/registrar/transfer equivalency

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