

College of DuPage
Advising Sheet for Educating Young Children (EYC) at Elmhurst University

- Students apply for admission to this program beginning Feb 1 prior to their fall start term
- ALL COURSES COMPLETED WITH “C-“(1.70) OR HIGHER AND CUMULATIVE GPA OF 2.750.

Prerequisite Requirements for admission to the Educating Young Children Program (*to be completed prior to starting the program*):

REQUIREMENTS at Elmhurst University		EQUIVALENT COURSEWORK at College of DuPage
English Composition	ENG 106	ENGLI 1102 English Composition II
Education	EDU 104 EDU 223	EDUCA 1100 Introduction to Education EDUCA 2201 Education for Exceptional Children
Mathematics	MTH 325 MTH 326	MATH 1321 Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers I MATH 1322 Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers II
Physical Science: one course <u>with a lab</u> at least 3 semester hours total chosen from one of two areas		Physical Science (all are PS): CHEMI 1105, CHEMI 1211, CHEMI 1551, CHEMI 1552, EARTH 1124 Earth and Space Science (all are PS): EARTH 1101 or 1102, EARTH 1110, EARTH 1140 <i>These are recommended courses - substitute courses will be considered.</i>
Life Science: one course <u>with a lab</u> at least 3 semester hours total		Life Science (all are LS): BIOLO 1100, BIOLO 1110 <i>These are recommended courses - substitute courses will be considered.</i>
Social Science: two courses chosen from 2 of 4 areas These courses should be chosen to fulfill 2 different Areas of Knowledge requirements: Social and Political Analysis (SPA) and Historical Analysis (HA).		Economics: ECONO 2201, ECONO 2202 Geography (all are SPA): GEOGR 1100, GEOGR 1105 History (all are HA): HISTO 1110, HISTO 1120, HISTO 1160, HISTO 1130, HISTO 1140 Political Science (all are SPA): POLS 1100, POLS 1101 <i>These are recommended courses - substitute courses will be considered.</i>
Other courses at College of DuPage that will apply to the EYC major at Elmhurst University (<i>can be completed prior to or during the program</i>):		
EYC 327 at Elmhurst University =		ECEC 1151 Language and Literacy Development in a Diverse Classroom

Educating Young Children program admission requirements should fulfill at least 4 of the 9 Areas of Knowledge in the Elmhurst University Integrated Curriculum (IC, general education requirements). The additional Areas of Knowledge to be completed are: Cognitive and Behavioral Science (CBS), Inquiry into Ethics & Justice (IEJ), Religious Studies in Context (RSC), Literature (LIT), and Fine Arts (FA). Such courses can be found on the Elmhurst University website (<https://www.elmhurst.edu/admission/transfer-adult-students/>) under “Transfer Guides” or through “Transferology.” **Students should have no more than two of the additional IC courses remaining for admission to the School of Education.**

Admission to Elmhurst University is not admission to a teacher education program. There is a separate application process. Application materials for the Department of Education can be found on the Elmhurst University website at <https://www.elmhurst.edu/academics/departments/education/admission-requirements/early-childhood-education/>

Students with a previously earned associate's degree will receive credit for all Elmhurst University AoKs through the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI). However, students who enter Elmhurst University without an associate's degree should have no more than two of the additional IC courses remaining for admission to the School of Education.