

Waubonsee Community College
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 Waubonsee Community College
English Composition	ENG 106	ENG 102 First-Year Composition II
Education	EDU 104 EDU 223 ECE 115	EDU 200 Introduction to Education EDU 220 Introduction to Special Education EYC 326 Typical & Atypical Development of the Young Child, Birth-5
Mathematics	MTH 325 MTH 326	MTH 201 Math for EI Teachers I MTH 202 Math for EI Teachers II
Physical Science: <u>one course with a lab at least 3 sem. hrs. total chosen from one of two areas</u>		Physical Science (all are PS): CHM 100 & 101, CHM 121, AST 105, Earth and Space Science (all are PS): GEO 121, ESC 120 <i>These are recommended courses - substitute courses will be considered.</i>
Life Science: <u>one course with a lab at least 3 sem. hrs. total</u>		Life Science (all are LS): BIO 100 & 101, BIO 110 & 111, BIO 120, BIO 122 <i>These are recommended courses - substitute courses will be considered</i>
Social Science: <u>two courses chosen from 2 of 4 areas</u> These courses should be chosen to fulfill 2 different Areas of Knowledge requirements: Social and Political Analysis (SPA) and Historical Analysis (HA).		Economics: ECN 202, ECN 201, ECN 100 Geography: GEO 220 (SPA) History (all are HA): HIS 121, HIS 122, HIS 111, HIS 112 Political Science: PSC 100 (SPA) <i>These are recommended courses - substitute courses will be considered.</i>

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.