

City Colleges of Chicago

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 City Colleges of Chicago
English Composition ENG 106	ENGLISH 102 English Composition II
Education EDU 104 EDU 223	EDUC 101 Introduction to Education EDUC 103 Students with Disabilities in School or CHLD DEV 205 Development of the Exceptional Child
Mathematics MTH 325 MTH 326	MATH 121 Math for Elementary Teachers I MATH 122 Math for Elementary 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): CHEM 121, CHEM 201, CHEM 203 Earth and Space Science (all are PS): GEOLOGY 201, GEOG 201 <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): BIOLOGY 114, BIOLOGY 115, BIOLOGY 119 <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: ECON 201, ECON 202 Geography: GEOG 101 History (all are HA): HISTORY 111, HISTORY 112, HISTORY 141, HISTORY 142 Political Science (all are SPA): POL SCI 200, POL SCI 201, POL SCI 202 <i>These are recommended courses - substitute courses will be considered.</i>
Other courses at City Colleges of Chicago that will apply to the EYC major at Elmhurst University (<i>can be completed prior to or during the program</i>):	
EYC 326 at Elmhurst University =	CHLD DV 101 Human Growth and Development I
EYC 327 at Elmhurst University =	CHLD DV 109 Language and Literacy Development in early Childhood
EYC 328 at Elmhurst University =	CHLD DV 262 Child, Family, and Community Relations

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 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 Department 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/>