

**VCCS Common Curriculum for Associate of Applied Science
Degree in Early Childhood Education**

Semester 1		
Course No.	Course Title	Credits
CHD 120	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	3
CHD 145	Teaching Art, Music, and Movement to Children	3
CHD 205	Guiding the Behavior of Children	3
ENG 111	College Composition I	3
EDU 235	Health, Safety and Nutrition Education	3
SDV 100	College Success Skills	1
SEMESTER TOTAL		16
Semester 2		
Course No.	Course Title	Credits
CHD 118	Language Arts for Young Children	3
CHD 146	Math, Science and Social Studies for Children	3
CHD 216	Early Childhood Programs, Schools, and Social Change	3
CHD 165	Observation and Participation in Early Childhood/Primary Settings	3
PSY 230	Developmental Psychology	3
SEMESTER TOTAL		15
Semester 3		
Course No.	Course Title	Credits
CHD 166	Infant and Toddler Programs	3
CHD 210	Introduction to Exceptional Children	3
EDU 200	Introduction to Teaching as a Profession	3
ENG 112	College Composition II	3
MTH 154	Quantitative Reasoning	3
SEMESTER TOTAL		15
Semester 4		
Course No.	Course Title	Credits
BIO 101	General Biology I (<i>with Lab</i>)	4
CHD 270	Administration of Childcare Programs	3
CHD 265	Advanced Observation and Participation in Early Childhood/Primary Setting	3
HUM/FINE ARTS	ENG 250 Children's Literature or ENG 241 Survey of American Literature or ENG 242 Survey of American Literature II	3
SOC SCI	HIS 121 United States History I or HIS 122 United State History II	3
SEMESTER TOTAL		15
Total Credits		62