

**Articulation Agreement Of  
Herkimer County Community College Early Childhood  
With  
Utica College Psychology/Early Childhood (Birth – Grade 2) Education Program  
Reviewed April 2007**

**I. General Statement of Purpose**

Utica College agrees to articulate with Herkimer County Community College by providing opportunities for appropriately qualified students in HCCC's Early Childhood program to complete the Bachelor of Arts in Psychology/Early Childhood Education.

**II. Requirements and Terms**

A. Students who have completed an HCCC Associate's Degree in Early Childhood and who have a cumulative average of 2.75 or above, who are recommended for transfer admission by the designated HCCC advisor, and who meet the entrance requirements of the Education program will be accepted into Utica College. Transfer student applicants who do not meet these requirements will be evaluated individually.

B. Students with an Associate's Degree or 57 credit hours are exempt from Components 1 and II of Utica College's Core requirements.

C. Students who transfer 30 credits of liberal arts and sciences with at least two courses each of UC's three categories of Component II Core, including one lab science course, will be exempt from Component II Core.

D. Students must complete and appropriately document a minimum of 100 hours of fieldwork in a school setting with at least 50 of those hours in high needs schools.

E. Students with at least 30 credits of liberal arts and sciences but fewer than two courses in any of these three areas or lacking a lab science must take whatever Core courses are necessary to equal two in each category, including a lab.

F. A Bachelor of Arts degree requires that 90 credits required for the graduation be in the liberal arts.

G. Transfer credit will be given for courses with a grade of "C" or better with a maximum of 64 transfer credits given to students with an HCCC Associate's Degree in Early Childhood or General Studies. Credit will be given according to the appended list of equivalent courses or as general elective credit.

**III. Benefits and Advantages**

A. The Bachelor's Degree from Utica College is a Syracuse University degree.

B. HCCC transfer students are eligible for scholarship and financial aid the same as continuing students.

C. Utica College will provide housing in campus residence halls within the guidelines and practices governing availability of housing for continuing students.

D. HCCC transfer students are eligible to participate in internships, externships, co-ops, field placements and study abroad opportunities open to the continuing students.

**HCCC Coursework*****First Semester***

ED100 Intro to Early Childhood Ed. (3)  
EN111 English I (3)  
FS100 Freshman Seminar (1)  
HE128 First Aid & Basic CPR (2)  
HU110 Fundamentals of Art in Early Ch. Ed. (3)  
SS151 Introductory Psychology (3)

***Second Semester***

ED150 Child Growth & Development (3)  
OR  
SS152 Developmental Psychology (3)  
ED200 Curriculum & Methods in EC (3)  
EN112 English II  
EN117 Literature for Children (3)  
MA Elective (3)  
PE Elective (1)

***Third Semester***

ED221 Practicum I: Early Childhood (3)  
EN228 Interpersonal Communication (3)  
SS161 Introductory Sociology (3)  
SS163 Marriage & Family (3)  
SC141 Fundamentals of Biology I (4)  
SS155 Abnormal Psychology (3)

***Fourth Semester***

ED222 Practicum II: Early Childhood (3)  
SS115 Introduction to Exceptionalities (3)  
HU210 Fundamentals of Music for EC (3)  
SS162 Social Problems (3)  
Elective (3)  
PE Elective (1)

**UC Course Equivalencies*****UC Equivalent***

PSY373 Play as Curriculum (3)  
ENG101 Written Communication I (3)  
UCC101 First-Year Seminar (1)  
Free Elective (2)  
TRC152 Recreation & Adv. Activities (3)  
PSY101 Introduction to Psychology (3)

***UC Equivalent***

PSY321 Infancy & Childhood (3)  
OR  
PSY223 Life-Span Developmental Psych. (3)  
Free Elective (3)  
ENG135 Introduction to Literature (3)  
EDU314 Children's Literature (3)  
Mathematics Core Requirement (3)  
PED Physical Education (1)

***UC Equivalent***

Free Elective (3)  
COM101 Interpersonal Communication (3)  
SOC151D Human Society (3)  
SOC233 The Family (3)  
BIO211 General Biology I (4)  
PSY361 Abnormal Psychology (3)

***UC Equivalent***

Free Elective (3)  
PSY366 Individuals with Disabilities (3)  
Liberal Arts Elective (3)  
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PED Physical Education (1)