

James Madison University Advising Guide

BRCC Associate of Arts and Sciences Degree, College/University Transfer and JMU Advising Guide for a major in Inclusive Early Childhood Education.

First Year

First Semester

Course #	Course Description	Credits
ENG 111	College Composition I	3
HIS ____	History elective (Options: HIS 101, 102, 111, 121 or 122)	3
PSY 230	Developmental Psychology	3
_____	Lab Science Elective	4
SDV 100	Student Development	1

Second Semester

Course #	Course Description	Credits
ENG 112	College Composition II	3
CST 100 or 110	Communication elective	3
HIS ____	History Elective (Options: HIS 101, 102, 111, 121 or 122)	3
MTH ____	Math elective	3
EDU 200	Introduction to Teaching as a Profession (see notes)	3

Second Year

Third Semester

Course #	Course Description	Credits
_____	Literature elective	3
EDU 206	Behavior and Classroom Management	3
EDU 204	Teaching in a Diverse Society (see notes)	3
ITE 152	Digital Literacy and Computer Applications	3
MTH ____	Math Elective	3

Fourth Semester

Course #	Course Description	Credits
_____	Social Science Elective	3
_____	Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	3
_____	Approved Elective	3
EDU 250	Topics in Foundations of Exceptional Education (see notes)	3
_____	Approved Elective	4

Total Credits Required for Associate in Arts and Sciences Degree/JMU ELED requirements – 60

Advising Notes for Inclusive Early Childhood Education

Students completing the Inclusive Early Childhood Education four-year licensure program are prepared to serve as teachers of students birth through 3rd grade with and without exceptionalities (Birth-age 5 special education and PK-3rd grade general education). For more information visit the [IECE program website](#).

Inclusive Early Childhood is a Bachelor of Science degree. Students may elect to use approved electives to satisfy the [B.S. degree requirements](#).

Education courses

- Students must submit [this form](#) in order to enroll in EDU 200 (EDUC 200 at JMU).
- Students must submit [this form](#) in order to enroll in EDU 204 (EDUC 310 at JMU.)
- EDU 200 is a prerequisite for EDU 250 (EXED 200 at JMU).

Admission to Teacher Education

Once admitted and enrolled in courses at JMU, all students must apply to teacher education and be accepted before they can take the required education courses. Students who meet the criteria for the [Guaranteed Admission Agreement](#) (GAA) with JMU, have completed the coursework outlined in the advising guide for the appropriate teacher licensure area, and who have met the Teacher Education Admission Requirements outlined below will receive conditional admission into JMU Teacher Education during their first semester at JMU. Conditional admission to teacher education programs requires the completion of ENG 112 or equivalent (must transfer to JMU as WRTC 103), PSY 230 and EDU 200 with a grade of C or better, and satisfaction of the teacher education admission assessment requirements. See [Applying to Teacher Education](#) for more information on [teacher education admission requirements](#). **Students cannot have any record of felony convictions or misdemeanors involving children or drugs.** Other admission requirements include a cumulative JMU GPA of at least 2.5, satisfactory completion of training modules in child abuse prevention, and a first aid/CPR/AED certificate (CPR must be done in person). These requirements should be completed by the end of a transfer student's first semester at JMU.

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