

Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education

COURSES REQUIRED FOR ALL EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION MAJORS

Oakland University Courses	Jackson College Courses
MTH 0661 (or show proficiency)	No option available at Jackson (or show proficiency with ACT/SAT scores)
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WRT 1050 (or show proficiency)	ENG 131 or 131A (or show proficiency with ACT/SAT scores)
WRT 1060 (minimum grade of B or 3.0 required)	ENG 132
MTE 2110	MAT 210
MTE 2111	MAT 211
RDG 2200 (minimum grade of B or 3.0 required)	ENG 254
EED 1000	EDU 221
EED 2000, 2400, and 2500	Complete at OU

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Each of the below categories must be fulfilled by completing one course of 3 or more credits. A course may not be used in more than one of the categories numbered 1-10. Please consult with an Oakland University Academic Adviser before pursuing MTA: the specific course options listed below are the preference.

Oakland University Categories	Jackson College Options
1. Writing Foundations	ENG 132
2. Formal Reasoning	MAT 211
3. Arts	ART 103, 111, 112, 112A; (CIS 128 <u>and</u> 133); ENG 210; HUM 131; MUS 130, 131, 132; THR 116
4. Language and Culture	GER 131, 132; SPN 131, 132, 231, 232
5. Global Perspective	ANT 131; GEO 132; PHL 243; PLS 262
6. Literature	ENG 246, 247, 249, 252, 255, 256
7. Natural Science and Technology	BIO 110, 132, 158, 161, 162; CEM 131, 141; GEL 109, 160; (GEO 131 <u>and</u> 133); NSC 120, 131, (141 <u>and</u> 141L); PHY 231, 251
8. Social Science	ANT 131; COM 240; ECN 231, 232; PLS 141, 262; PSY 130; SOC 231
9. Western Civilization	HIS 125, 131, 132, 231, 232; PHL 231, 236
10. Knowledge Applications	Must be outside of OU Major area (confirm course choice with OU adviser) ART 137, 152; CIS 137; (COM 231, 231A, or 234); ENG 261; MAT 154; PHY 232, 252; PSY 252; SPN 231, 232
U.S. Diversity – When a course is approved for both this and one of the above categories, it may count toward both requirements.	ENG 210, 249; HIS 125, 211, 231, 232; PLS 141; SOC 231



NOTES:

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Jackson, and must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours from OU to meet degree requirements. As programs may limit how much transfer credit can be used toward requirements, it is highly recommended that students work with both an OU academic adviser and their Jackson academic adviser to maximize the applicability of coursework to specific requirements.

Students must have a minimum GPA of 2.8 in order to be admitted to major standing in Early Childhood Education. Students with a GPA of 2.5 will be considered for admission to OU.

For Early Childhood Education program information, contact School of Education and Human Services Advising by calling (248) 370-4182 or visiting the <u>SEHS Advising website</u>.

This document may be modified in the event of program or Michigan Department of Education certification changes.

TALKING POINTS:

The Early Childhood Education program prepares students to earn a Bachelor of Science degree in Early Childhood Education and recommendation for a Michigan Teaching Certificate.

Passing scores on Michigan <u>Tests for Teacher Certification</u> (MTTC) are required for Michigan Teaching Certification. Learn more about <u>Educator Certification</u>, which OU graduates complete after their student teaching and receiving passing MTTC scores.

Early Childhood Education students complete <u>field experiences</u> with early childhood general and special education students in preschools, home visits, and other early intervention settings. Student teaching is in an inclusive or early childhood special education preschool.

Information about scholarships in SEHS and Education can be found online on the <u>SEHS student resources website</u>. To qualify for scholarships, students need an established Oakland University grade point average.

<u>Student organizations</u> at OU for future educators include the Aspiring Educators of Michigan, Best Buddies, and Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education.