**Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education (**1907097019**)**

**Credential (**Associate of Applied Science**)**

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**Program Website:** [**https://bluegrass.kctcs.edu/education-training/program-finder/interdisciplinary-early-childhood-education.aspx**](https://bluegrass.kctcs.edu/education-training/program-finder/interdisciplinary-early-childhood-education.aspx)

**Student Name: Student ID:**

***Students need to be at KCTCS placement levels for all courses***

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| **First Semester** | **Credits** | **Term** | **Grade** | **Prereqs/Notes** |
| ENG 101 Writing I | 3 |  |  |  |
| Qualitative Reasoning | 3 |  |  | If transfer: MA 111 |
| Digital Literacy ( EDU 204 Preferred) | 3 |  |  |  |
| IEC 101 Orientation to Early Childhood Education | 3 |  |  | Requires 20 hours of observation |
| IEC 102 Foundations of Early Childhood Education | 3 |  |  | Requires 10 hours of observation |
| **Total Semester Credit Hours** | **15** |  |  |  |

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| **Second Semester** | **Credits** | **Term** | **Grade** | **Prereqs/Notes** |
| ENG 102 Writing II | 3 |  |  |  |
| PSY 110 General Psychology | 3 |  |  |  |
| IEC 130 Early Childhood Development | 3 |  |  | Requires 10 hours of observation |
| IEC 180 Approaches to IECE Curriculum | 3 |  |  | Requires 10 hours of observation |
| IEC 200 Child Guidance (Fall only) | 3 |  |  | Requires 10 hours of observation  PRE Req: IEC 101 or IEC 130 or permission of Program Coordinator |
| **Total Semester Credit Hours** | **15** |  |  |  |

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| **Third Semester** | **Credits** | **Term** | **Grade** | **Prereqs/Notes** |
| COM 181 Basic Public Speaking OR  COM 252 Introduction to Interpersonal Communications | 3 |  |  |  |
| Heritage / Humanities/ Foreign Language | 3 |  |  |  |
| IEC 170 Observation & Assessment or  IEC 190 Applied Experiences in IECE | 3 |  |  | Requires 10 hours of observation  Pre Req: IEC 101 or IEC 102 or IEC 130 or permission of Program Coordinator |
| IEC 216 Literacy and Language in IECE | 3 |  |  | Requires 5 hours of observation  Pre Req: IEC 180 or permission of Program Coordinator |
| IEC 246 Sciences and Mathematics for IECE | 3 |  |  | Requires 5 hours of observation  Pre Req: IEC 180 or permission of Program Coordinator |
| IEC 260 Infant and Toddler Education and Programming | 3 |  |  | Requires 10 hours of observation |
| **Total Semester Credit Hours** | **18** |  |  |  |

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| **Fourth Semester** | **Credits** | **Term** | **Grade** | **Prereqs/Notes** |
| IEC 235 Introduction to Inclusive Education | 3 |  |  | Requires 10 hours of observation  Pre Req: IEC 180 or permission of Program Coordinator |
| IEC 221 Creative Expressions in IECE | 3 |  |  | Requires 5 hours of observation  Pre Req: IEC 180 or permission of Program Coordinator |
| IEC 291 IECE Practicum/Cooperative Education | 3 |  |  | Requires 180 hours of observation |
| IEC 210 Families & Communities in IECE or  IEC 240 Admin of Early Childhood Education or  IEC 250 School Age Child Care | 3 |  |  | Requires 10 hours of observation |
| Natural Sciences | 3 |  |  |  |
| **Total Semester Credit Hours** | **15** |  |  |  |
| **Total Credential Hours** | **63** |  |  |  |

***Note: 25% of Total Program Credit Hours must be earned at Bluegrass Community and Technical College.***

**Advisor Name: Advisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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| **Special Instructions:** |
| \*Math requirements can be satisfied by the following: See Qualitative Reasoning in KCTCS 2017-2018 Catalog Page 73 for complete list: MT 111, MT150 (if transferring to 4 Year) MAT 105, MAT 110, MAT 116 or MAT 126.  Other information:  IEC courses require students to complete field experiences in approved child care settings.  Ms. Rutherford is not on campus during the summer but will respond to e-mail. Each summer, IEC has a designated IEC Summer Advisor.  \*\*Please advise students of the following:   1. Please note **all** IEC Classes have required hours of observation outside of regular class time. 2. The following IEC Classes must be taken at BCTC: IEC 180, IEC 216, IEC 246, IEC 221, IEC 200, IEC 235, and IEC 291. This is due to MAJOR assignments are IEC 291 PORTFOLIO PIECES. 3. In order to enroll in IEC 291, one must have ALL IEC classes completed. IEC 291 is only taught in the spring semester. IEC 291 is taught in hybrid form at various BCTC campuses, usually NEWTOWN in Lexington, KY. 4. BCTC IEC Orientation is MANDATORY before entering into IEC Classes. 5. TWO DIFFERENT BCTC IEC Background Checks are required. Email: Maria Rutherford for details. 6. Current Negative TB Test Required. 7. Graduation Application must be filled out to receive this credential. |

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| **Course Rotation Schedule (if applicable)** | |
| Fall | IEC 101, IEC 102, IEC 130, IEC 180, IEC 200, IEC 210, IEC 240, IEC 230, IEC 216, IEC 246 |
| Spring | IEC 101, IEC 102, IEC 130, IEC 170, IEC 235, IEC 240, IEC 221, IEC 291 |
| Summer | IEC 101, IEC 102 |