

## Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education

### COURSES REQUIRED FOR ALL EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION MAJORS

Oakland University Courses	Gogebic Community College Courses
MTH 0661 (or show proficiency)	<b>No option available at GCC</b> (or show proficiency with ACT/SAT scores)
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WRT 1050 (or show proficiency)	ENG 101 (or show proficiency with ACT/SAT scores)
WRT 1060 (minimum grade of B or 3.0 required)	ENG 102
MTE 2110	MTH 121
MTE 2111	MTH 122
RDG 2200 (minimum grade of B or 3.0 required)	ENG 230
EED 1000	<b>Complete at OU</b>
EED 2000, 2400, and 2500	<b>Complete at OU</b>

### 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	Gogebic Community College Options
1. <b>Writing Foundations</b>	ENG 102
2. <b>Formal Reasoning</b>	MTH 122
3. <b>Arts</b>	ART 220; DRA 101, 102, 202; MUS 102
4. <b>Language and Culture</b>	SPN 101, 102, 201, 202
5. <b>Global Perspective</b>	ANT 105; GEG 111
6. <b>Literature</b>	ENG 201, 202, 211, 212, 221, 223, 224, 225, 226, 228, 229, 231
7. <b>Natural Science and Technology</b>	BIO 101, 102, 105, 122; CHM 151; GLG 101, 102; PHY 101, 105, 107, 201, 251; SCI (105 <b>and</b> 106), 110
8. <b>Social Science</b>	ANT 105; COM 105; ECO 201, 202; PLS 101; PSY 101, 111; SOC 101
9. <b>Western Civilization</b>	ENG 260; HST 101, 102, 103, 104, 201, 202, 226, 229; PHI 201
10. <b>Knowledge Applications</b>	<b>Must be outside of OU Major area</b> <b>(confirm course choice with OU adviser)</b> COM 106; ENG 240; MTH 151; PHY 202, 252; PSY 210; SPN 201, 202
<b>U.S. Diversity</b> – When a course is approved for both this and one of the above categories, it may count toward both requirements.	DRA 202; ENG 229, HST 201, 202, 210, 226, 229; PLS 101; SOC 101

## **NOTES:**

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Gogebic, 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 Gogebic 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 [SEHS Advising website](#).

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 [Tests for Teacher Certification](#) (MTTC) are required for Michigan Teaching Certification. Learn more about [Educator Certification](#), which OU graduates complete after their student teaching and receiving passing MTTC scores.

Early Childhood Education students complete [field experiences](#) 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 [SEHS student resources website](#). To qualify for scholarships, students need an established Oakland University grade point average.

[Student organizations](#) at OU for future educators include the Aspiring Educators of Michigan, Best Buddies, and Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education.