

Triton Community College and DePaul University
Early Childhood Agreement
From Associate of Arts in Teaching: Early Childhood Education
To Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education

Effective for four years for Triton students who begin the program in the following academic years: 2007-2008 or 2008-2009; all Triton courses must be completed and the student must transfer to DePaul within four years of beginning at Triton.

Triton Community College: AAT in Early Childhood Education

RHT 101 Fresh Rhetoric & Composition I	3	EDU 207 Intro to Education	3
RHT 102 Fresh Rhetoric & Composition II	3	ECE 110 Child Development	3
SPE 101 Principles of Effective Speaking	3	VIC 105 Tech. for Educators	3
MUS 110 Listening to Music	3	ECE 111 Introduction to ECE	2
ART 110 Looking at Art	3	ECE 146 Child, Family, & Co	4
HUM 104 Humanities Through the Arts	3	ECE 138 Observ., Asses., Cur, Gui	3
MAT 102 Liberal Arts Mathematics	3	ECE 121 Lang Dev & Activities	3
MAT 170 Elementary Statistics	3	ECE 118 Health, Nutrition & Safety	3
Physical & Life Sciences	7		
Social and Behavioral Sciences	9		
	40		24

Bridge Semester: Basic Skills Test must be passed before entrance to DePaul.

62-64 Semester/93-96 quarter credit hours are completed in the AAT degree. Student will need to take three additional concentration courses at Triton. A limit of 66 semester/99 quarter hours will transfer to DePaul.

DePaul University, School of Education: BS Early Childhood Education

Fall Quarter		Winter Quarter	
Concentration course	4	Concentration course	4
Concentration course	4	ECE 092 Clinical Experience	1
ECE 091 Clinical Experience	1	EE 347 Children's Literature	4
ECE 303 History & Phil of ECE	4	ECE 306 Understand Children Behavior	4
PHL 100 Philosophy & Its issues	4	Religious Dimensions	4
EDU 025 Technology competence completed	0		
	17		17
Spring Quarter		Fall Quarter	
LSE 380 Philosophical Issues in Education	4	Concentration course	4
ECE 309 Pre School Except	4	ECE 331 Beginning Math & Science Instruction	4
ECE 311 Curriculum & Instruct w/ECE 094	5	ECE 375 Early Childhood Assessment	4
SCU 336 Adoles & Adult Growth & Development	4	Religious Dimensions	4
	17		16
Winter Quarter		December Term	Spring Quarter
ECE 310 Preprimary Curriculum	4	ECE 384 Capstone in Early Childhood	ECE 385 Student Teaching
EE 324 Beginning Reading Instruction	4		4
ECE 307 Speech & Lang Dev of the Young Child	4		12
ECE 286 Art Music and Movement in ECE	4		
	16		16

Total: 99 Quarter Hours

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Notes:

1. This agreement is subject to change if the State of Illinois teaching certification requirements change. Otherwise, the agreement will be honored for four years starting from and including the student's start year at Triton in 2007-2008 or 2008-2009.
2. The AAT degree at Triton completes the General Education Core Curriculum of the Illinois Articulation Initiative, also called the IAI. Per DePaul's IAI agreement, students would need to complete any two Religious Dimension courses and two specified Philosophical Inquiry courses, the experiential learning requirement, and the capstone requirement. All course requirements are listed in the agreement.
3. If student does not take the additional concentration courses before transferring to DePaul, the courses must be taken at DePaul, which will take more than six quarters at DePaul.
4. Because of completion of VIC 105 at Triton, the Basic Technology Literacy requirement is met.
5. ECE 111, Introduction to Early Childhood at Triton, does not have an equivalent at DePaul, but as part of this agreement, it will be used to award one hour of transfer credit for ECE 093, the clinical experience portion of ECE 310 at DePaul. Students will be awarded one hour of transfer credit for ECE 111 taken at Triton.
6. Students must get a grade of C or better in all major and concentration courses. Additionally, to graduate from DePaul, the School of Education requires that students graduate with a cumulative GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale. This GPA will be calculated on DePaul course work only.
7. Students must pass the Basic Skills test while enrolled at Triton. Basic Skills test information can be found on the Illinois Certification Testing System Web Site:
http://www.icts.nesinc.com/IL_studyguide_opener.asp#basicSkills
8. To choose a transferable concentration course, check the transfer course list between DePaul and Triton at: www.depaul.edu/transfercourses. Concentrations include but are not limited to following areas: Anthropology, Arabic, Art, Biology, Catholic Studies, Chemistry, Chinese, Communications, Economics, English, Environmental Science, French, Geography, German, History, Italian, Math, Philosophy, Physics, Political Science, Psychology, Religious Studies, Sociology or Spanish.
9. To graduate, you must pass the Basic Skills test, the Content Area test, and applicable APT tests.
10. This 2-bridge-2 agreement was designed for entry into DePaul at the Autumn quarter. Many of the Education courses are listed in the quarters that they are offered at DePaul; however, the courses may be taken in different quarters than indicated on the agreement.

**The Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education at DePaul University
qualifies graduates for
Type 04 Certification in the State of Illinois (Birth-Grade 3.)**