



AAS in Child Development to  
BAAS in Early Childhood  
**Guided Pathway**  
Effective for the 2019-2020 Catalog



**First Year – Central Texas College**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
TECA 1311 Educating Young Children (HDFS 2311)	CDEC 1358 Creative Arts for Early Childhood
CDEC 1413 Curriculum Resources for Early Childhood Programs	TECA 1354 Child Growth & Development (HDFS 2305)
CDEC 1419 Child Guidance	CDEC/TECA 1318 Wellness of the Young Child
<sup>c</sup> ENGL 1301 Composition I (ENGL 1301)	CDEC/TECA 1303 Families, School & Community
CDEC 1359 Children with Special Needs	CDEC 1321 The Infant and Toddler

**Second Year – Central Texas College**

It's best to apply to Texas Tech University a full semester before you plan to transfer. It will help if you submit a copy of this pathway with your application.

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
CDEC 1356 Emergent Literacy for Early Childhood	CDEC 2388 Internship – Child Care Provider/Assistant
CDEC 2307 Math & Science for Early Childhood	<sup>c</sup> ARTS 1303 Art History I (ARTH 1303)
CDEC 2426 Administration of Programs for Children	<sup>c</sup> Social Behavioral Science Selection*
<sup>c</sup> PSYC 2314 Lifespan Human Dvlp (HDFS 2303)	CDEC 2341 School Age Child
<sup>c</sup> MATH 1314 College Algebra (MATH 1320)	<sup>c</sup> HIST 1301 HIST of the US Pre-1877 (HIST 2300)

**AAS: Child Development**

You will need to apply for the associate's degree at your community college. Contact your advisor there for more information.

**Summer-Central Texas College or Texas Tech University**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
<sup>c</sup> ENGL 1302 Composition II (ENGL 1302)	<sup>c</sup> SPCH 1315 Public Speaking (COMS 2300)

**Third Year – Texas Tech University**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
<sup>c</sup> HIST 2301 HIST of the US Post-1877	<sup>c</sup> NATURAL LAB SCIENCES *
<sup>c</sup> MATH OR LOGIC SELECTION*	<sup>c</sup> POLS 1301 American Gov't, Organization
HUSC 1100 Introduction to Human Sciences (CL)	INTS 2310 Foundations of Integrative Studies (CL)
HDFS 2300 Gender Development	EC 3306 Child/Adolescent Guidance
EC 3301 Theories in Human Development	HDFS 3320 Contemporary Family

**Summer-Texas Tech University**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
<sup>c</sup> POLS 2306 American Public Policy	<sup>c</sup> Language, Philosophy & Culture

**Fourth Year – Texas Tech University**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
<sup>c</sup> NATURAL LAB SCIENCES *	HUSC 4350 Capstone in Human Sciences (CL)
HDFS 3324 Dynamics of Family Interaction	HDFS 4314 Practicum
HDFS 3322 The Family in the Community	EC 3350 Development in Cross-Cultural Perspective
EC 3310 Prenatal and Infant Development	EC 3312 Development During Childhood
EC 3331 Parenting	JR/SR ELECTIVE (3 HOUR)
JR/SR ELECTIVE (1 HOUR)	JR/SR ELECTIVE (3 HOUR)

**This is not an official degree plan. Check with an advisor; degree plans may change in later catalogs.**

Part-time students may also follow this sequence. Developmental coursework may be required.

\* You may take a different course to meet this requirement. A specific list is available from your advisor.

<sup>c</sup> This course counts for the Core Curriculum at any public college or university in Texas.

() Course numbers shown in parentheses are equivalent to these courses at Texas Tech University.

\*\* TTU requires all BAAS degrees to complete a minimum 40 hours of junior/senior coursework, and 44 hours of core curriculum. Students should work with their academic advisor at TTU to plan coursework that satisfies this requirement.

**Texas Tech University Uniform Graduation Requirements**

**1. Foreign Language Requirement**

*Students graduating from Texas Tech University should be able to express, negotiate, and interpret meaning in a second language.*

Any entering student who has not completed two years of a single foreign language in high school must complete at least two semesters (or its equivalent) of a single foreign language at the first-year college level or at least one semester of a foreign language at a 2000 level or higher as a graduation requirement. This requirement may also be satisfied by transferring in the equivalent courses from another college or university. Individual Texas Tech University colleges may have additional foreign language proficiency requirements. Additional requirements may be necessary for select majors.

**2. Science Laboratory Requirement**

Students graduating from Texas Tech University are required to complete two semester credit hours of science laboratory courses. Normally this will be done by taking two 4-credit science courses or combinations of lecture and lab.

**3. Communication Literacy Requirement**

Students will complete the required communication literacy requirement.

**4. Core Curriculum Requirement**

Students will complete the required core curriculum.

**5. Multicultural Requirement**

In addition to the State of Texas core curriculum, every student must include at least one 3-hour multicultural course or its equivalent that focuses explicitly on the distinctive subcultures of the United States or on the culture of another society.

Maximum number of transferrable semester credits hours from a two-year institution applicable to a baccalaureate degree at the university is 80.

*For questions about the University portion of this pathway,  
Contact the College of Human Sciences Academic Advising Office at (806) 742-1180.*