



Early Childhood Education

The following is a guide to graduation with a bachelor’s degree in **Early Childhood Education** by completing two years at OTC and two years at MSU. **Check class schedules for day/evening or online availability.**

Year 1 and Year 2 at OTC

Complete OTC’s Associate of Arts of Teaching degree. With an AAT Degree you will have met MSU’s general education requirements. Select your courses with the assistance of your OTC advisor and include the following OTC courses, as they will transfer and fulfill part of your MSU major requirements.

<u>OTC course</u>	<u>MSU equivalent</u>
PSY 110.....	PSY 121
HST 120 OR 130.....	HIST 121 OR 122

First Summer Semester

<u>Course</u>	<u>Hours</u>
ENG 334	3
SPE 310.....	3

Year 3 at MSU

<u>First Fall Semester</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>First Spring Semester</u>	<u>Hours</u>
EDC 150.....	1	CFD 260	4
CFD 160	3	ECE 304	1
BMS 130	3	ECE 301	3
MTH 320.....	3	ECE 302	2
GRY 135, 142 or 240.....	4	ECE 303	3
TOTAL HOURS	14	RDG 318	3
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Second Summer Semester

<u>Course</u>	<u>Hours</u>
CSD 312	3
CFD 560.....	3
TOTAL HOURS	6

Year 4 at MSU

<u>Second Fall Semester</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Second Spring Semester</u>	<u>Hours</u>
ELE 401.....	3	ECE 490 (Infant/Toddler).....	6
ELE 402.....	2	ECE 491 (Pre-K)	6
RDG 420	3	ECE 492 (Primary)	6
RDG 421	2	Choose 2 out of 3	
CFD 463	3		
PED 545	3		
TOTAL HOURS	16	TOTAL HOURS	12

Important notes about this MSU major

- Admit to the Teacher Education program requires: EDC150, ELE302 & COM115 (C grade or better), 2.5 GPA, CBASE passed with 265 (5 sections), Family Care Safety Registry, ACT (if required by DESE) and Checkpoint one.
- Admit to the Early Childhood Program is required. Apply to the Early Childhood program when enrolled in ELE 302 or an equivalent. Applications are due in the fall semester on October 1st and in the spring semester on March 15th. All Cbase sections must be passed with 265 before application to the Early Childhood program can be made.

Important resources for Early Childhood Education majors

MSU departmental office

Childhood Education & Family Studies

Hill Hall 301

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<http://education.missouristate.edu/ele/default.htm>

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MSU transfer advisor

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Education Advisor

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Online resources for prospective transfer students

Specific information for OTC students

www.missouristate.edu/otc

MSU catalog

www.missouristate.edu/catalog

General transfer information

www.missouristate.edu/admissions/transfer

Transfer equivalency guide

www.missouristate.edu/admissions/collcredit.htm

For assistance with admission and general questions

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Additional contact information available at: www.missouristate.edu/admissions/otcinformationdesk.htm

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