Lackawanna College

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROFESSIONAL
(Pre-K – 4 Certification)
(Available Scranton Day)

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS 
EFFECTIVE DATE: FALL 2014

NAME ________________________________

Academic advisors help students coordinate their academic plans while at Lackawanna College; however, students bear the ultimate responsibility for insuring that they meet the requirements for their degree.

Developmental/Additional Requirements:
Based on assessment testing results, students are placed in appropriate level courses (developmental or college level). Students without SAT / ACT / in-house assessment scores will be scheduled for three developmental courses (Reading for College, Basic Writing Skills, and Basic Math Skills). These courses must be successfully completed before a student may enroll in required English / math courses.

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<td>DEV 010  Basic Writing Skills</td>
<td>Yes No</td>
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<td>DEV 020  Reading for College</td>
<td>Yes No</td>
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<td>DEV 030  Basic Math Skills</td>
<td>Yes No</td>
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*Developmental coursework may be a prerequisite for these courses. Credits earned in developmental courses cannot be applied toward graduation.

Diversity/Global Studies Elective: SSC 225, SSC 235, SSC 260, HIS 110, HIS 130, HIS 138, HIS 155, SPN 101
Laboratory Science Elective: BIO 115, ESC 115, CHM 110, ESC 135, BIO 110

Students must maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA to transfer into a four-year college education program.  ECE and EDU courses are subject to change as PDE updates occur.

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Credentials Portfolio Requirements

CAREER DOCUMENTS

- Current Resume
- Two (2) letters of recommendation
- Career Exploration

CORE COURSEWORK

- ENG 105 - College Writing – Graded Research Paper

LACKAWANNA REFLECTION PAPER

In addition to the Graduation Portfolio required by Lackawanna College, all Early Childhood Education majors are required to develop a credentials portfolio. These credentials will enable you to demonstrate your readiness for field experience and your discipline related competencies for review by a four-year transfer institution.

Please be sure to include the following in your credentials portfolio:

- Negative two-step TB test results on a physician’s letterhead or prescription pad
- Pennsylvania Background Check (Act 34)
- Pennsylvania Child Abuse History Clearance (Act 151)
- Fingerprint-based FBI record check
- Professional Liability Insurance
- Philosophy of Education
- Sample Lesson Plan
- Classroom Design
- Curriculum Map
- Field Experience confirmation sheets