



SOUTHWESTERN OREGON COMMUNITY COLLEGE EARLY CHILDHOOD DEGREE SUMMARY

Childhood Education and Family Studies AAS *Associate of Applied Science*

- This degree program will take a full-time student approximately 2 years to complete.
- The Associate of Applied Science Childhood Education and Family Studies (AAS CE&FS) degree prepares students to work in a variety of educational and childcare settings, including preschool, pre-kindergarten, daycare, private kindergarten and as a para-professional in the public schools.
- This degree offers students the opportunity to gain enhanced practical experience through practicum and student teaching courses. This program includes 4 practicum experiences and one internship.

Required courses will include:

1 - Writing Class ■■■

1 - Math Class ■■■

1 - Class of PE or Health ■■■ or 3 - PE Sport/Activity Credits ■■■

Childhood Education and Family Studies AS

- This degree program will take a full-time student approximately 2 years to complete.
- The Associate of Science Childhood Education and Family Studies degree (AS CE&FS) meets all the requirements for an Associate of Arts Oregon Transfer (AAOT) degree while giving a strong foundation in childhood education and family studies - allowing students to earn a degree that will meet employment requirements for many early childhood programs and provide an opportunity for a seamless transfer into a bachelor's degree program.
- This program includes 3 practicum experiences and one internship.

Required courses will include:

3 - Writing Classes ■■■

1 - Math Class ■■■

4 - Science Classes ■■■

1 - Speech Class ■■■


1 - PE or Health Class ■■■


Elementary Education AS

Associate of Science Transfer

This degree will take a full-time student approximately 2 years to complete. This degree prepares students to directly transfer into SOU's Bachelor of Science (BS) in Elementary Education. This associate degree alone establishes a strong foundation in early education and will benefit students that are interested in pursuing a career as instructional assistants in elementary school settings. This program includes 2 practicum experiences.


Required courses will include:

3 - Writing Classes 

3 - Math Classes 

1 - Speech Class 

4 - Science Classes with a Lab 

1 - PE or Health Class 

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