

Education—Secondary 7-12 Option

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION



The Education program with an option in Secondary Education is designed for future educators who wish to teach at the secondary level in a specific content area. The curriculum is flexible allowing students to select one of four academic concentrations – English, Mathematics, Science or Social Studies. The curriculum includes five Education courses designed to introduce future educators to the field of Education to gain an understanding of American schools, how students learn, and the diverse needs of students in public school settings.

This degree is intended to increase access to academic advising within the Education program and ease transfer to other post-secondary institutions or prepare for related careers. Students are encouraged to review general education requirements for the college/university they wish to attend.

KEY LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Graduates of the associate in science degree will:

- Describe the cognitive/linguistic, social/emotional, and physical development of adolescence.
- Identify the traits of diversity in school aged students.
- Use and interrupt objective observations for authentic assessment.
- Reflect on practices and engage in professional and ethical behaviors for continuous professional growth.

PREREQUISITE

AS Degree—high school level Algebra I required.

EMCC has developed articulation agreements with several colleges/universities to provide seamless transfer opportunities for students moving on to earn a Bachelor's Degree. Our formalized agreements can be found on <http://www.emcc.edu/beyond-emcc/transfer-agreements/>.



Programs of Study

Automotive
Building Construction
Business Management-Career Option
Business Management-Transfer Option
Business Management-Small Business
Career Studies
Computer Systems Technology
Criminal Justice
Culinary Arts
Diesel, Truck & Heavy Equipment
Digital Graphic Design
Early Childhood Education
Education-Career & Technical Ed
Education-Elementary Ed
Education-Secondary Ed
Electrical and Automation
Electricians Technology
Emergency Medical Services
Fine Woodworking & Cabinet Making
Fire Science
Human Services
Liberal Studies
Medical Assistant
Medical Office-Coding Option
Medical Office-Health Care Secretary
Medical Radiography
Nursing
Outdoor Recreation & Tourism
Plumbing
Refrigeration, Air Conditioning & Heating
Restaurant & Food Service Management
Surgical Technology
Trade & Technical Occupations
Welding

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FIRST SEMESTER	CREDITS
ECE 110 Child and Adolescent Development	3
EDB 202 Intro to Education—Schools, Students, & Society	3
ENG101 College Composition	3
PSY101 Introduction to Psychology	3
Elective General Education #	3
SECOND SEMESTER	CREDITS
EDB 221 Educational Psychology	3
Specialized Elective: Academic Concentration+	3
PHI101 Ethics	3
Elective Any Math (100 level or higher)	3
Elective General Education #	3
THIRD SEMESTER	CREDITS
ECE 216 Survey of Exceptionalities	3
Specialized Elective: Academic Concentration+	3
ENG215 Business and Technical Writing	3
Elective General Education #	3
Elective Any Science (100 level or higher)	4
FOURTH SEMESTER	CREDITS
ECE117 Observing and Recording in the Field	3
Elective Any Math or Science (100 level or higher)	3-4
Electives General Education #	9
TOTAL AS DEGREE CREDITS	61-62

***GENERAL EDUCATION ELECTIVE DISTRIBUTION** (100 level or higher)

+Academic Concentration Specialization Electives
(6 credits of English, Mathematics, Science, or Social Science)
#General Education Course Electives (18 credits)

IMPORTANT NOTE: All students enrolled in EMCC's Education programs must apply to receive fingerprint clearance from the Maine Department of Education prior to registration for second semester courses. The total cost of this process is \$75 and this fee will be attached to a required introductory course. Admitted students will need to register and complete the application process in their first semester of the Education program with a program advisor. The card expires five years from date of issue.

Individuals who have engaged in certain criminal activity could be denied access to gainful employment in their intended field. Additionally, field placement sites may deny the individual access to their site if they have been convicted of certain crimes. Individuals who have engaged in any activity which may be considered abuse, neglect or exploitation of a minor or of an incapacitated or dependent adult, or who have been convicted of any crime involving fraud or dishonesty, or drugs, or for which imprisonment of one year or more has been imposed are urged to seek clarification from the Director of Admissions prior to submitting an application for admission to the Education-Secondary Ed program.

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EMCC provides campus housing
for over 260 students.



**EMCC's Student Success Center
offers tutoring services free of
charge to our students.**



**EMCC's Athletic Department
sponsors many on-
campus intramural
sports and
recreational events.**

**EMCC students enjoy small class
sizes, supportive faculty,
transferable courses and
leadership/engagement
opportunities all for under \$4,000
per year**

(most programs, based on 30 credit
hours, in-state rate)

Campus tours are available.

**Call 207-974-4857 or schedule an
appointment through our website.**

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