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### Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education Interdisciplinary Studies

2022-2023 Degree Completion Plan

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2022 through summer 2023. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

This is a non-licensure degree and is not a state approved program. Completion of this degree will not lead to the eligibility of a VA state teaching license or a teaching license or certificate in any other state. If you would like to be eligible for a VA state teaching license or work through reciprocity guidelines to be eligible for a license or certificate in another state, you must complete one of our state-approved programs. Refer to [www.liberty.edu/education](http://www.liberty.edu/education).

#### GENERAL EDUCATION/

#### FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (39-42 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
<b>Communication &amp; Information Literacy (12 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
ENGL 101	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
<b>Technological Solutions &amp; Quantitative Reasoning (3-6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
UNIV 104	0-3	_____	_____
MATH _____	3	_____	_____
<b>Critical Thinking (7 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
RLGN 104	4	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
<b>Civic &amp; Global Engagement (3 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
_____	3	_____	_____
<b>Social &amp; Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
<b>Christianity &amp; Contexts (8 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
BIBL 104	4	_____	_____
THEO 104	4	_____	_____

#### Major Foundational Courses (9-27 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
BIOL 101	3	_____	_____
or BIOL 102	3	_____	_____
COMS 101	3	_____	_____
ENGL 102	3	_____	_____
HIEU 201	3	_____	_____
HIUS 221	3	_____	_____
MATH 117	3	_____	_____
MATH 217	3	_____	_____
PHSC 210	3	_____	_____
or PHYS 101	3	_____	_____
PSYC 101	3	_____	_____

#### MAJOR

##### Core (48 hours)

##### Area of Study I: Education<sup>4</sup>

EDUC 200	3	_____	_____
EDUC 205	3	_____	_____
EDUC 301	3	_____	_____
EDUC 302	3	_____	_____
EDUC 304	3	_____	_____
EDUC 305	3	_____	_____
EDUC 307	3	_____	_____
EDUC 380	3	_____	_____
or EDUC 398	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____

##### Area of Study II: Early Childhood

EDUC 210	3	_____	_____
EDUC 215	3	_____	_____
PSYC 210	3	_____	_____
PSYC 221	3	_____	_____
PSYC 345	3	_____	_____

#### FREE ELECTIVES (3-24 hours)

#### Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

<sup>1</sup>Refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened) before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

<sup>2</sup>Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirement of RLGN 104 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirement of THEO 104 waived

<sup>3</sup>Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened)

<sup>4</sup>Requires 45 hours of field experience; does not lead to ACSI licensure

<sup>5</sup>Choose any Cultural Studies course from the General Education list

<sup>6</sup>Choose any 100-400 level course from EDSP, EDUC, or PSYC not already required in Area of Study I or II

*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

#### Graduation Requirements

120 Total Hours

2.0 Overall grade point average

30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

25% Of major taken through Liberty University

30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

### FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 104	4	RLGN 104	4
ENGL 101	3	Communications Elective [COMS 101] <sup>1</sup>	3
Math Elective [MATH 117 OR 217] <sup>1</sup>	3	Information Literacy Elective [ENGL 102] <sup>1</sup>	3
Social Science Elective [PSYC 101] <sup>1</sup>	3	Natural Science Elective	3
UNIV 104	<u>0-3</u>	[BIOL 101 OR 102 OR PHSC 210 OR PHYS 101] <sup>1</sup>	
	Total 13-16	PSYC 210	<u>3</u>
		Total	16

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

Critical Thinking Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	Cultural Studies Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
THEO 104	4	Information Literacy Elective [HIEU 201 OR HIUS 221] <sup>1</sup>	3
MATH 117 OR 217	3	EDUC 205	3
EDUC 200	3	PSYC 221	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
	Total 16	Total	15

### JUNIOR YEAR

HIEU 201 OR HIUS 221	3	BIOL 101 OR 102 OR PHSC 210 OR PHYS 101 <sup>1</sup>	3
EDUC 210	3	Cultural Studies Elective <sup>2</sup>	3
EDUC 215	3	EDUC 301	3
PSYC 345	3	EDUC 302	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
	Total 15	Total	15

### SENIOR YEAR

EDUC 304	3	EDUC 307	3
EDUC 305	3	EDUC 380 OR 398	3
Special Education/Education/Psychology Elective <sup>3</sup>	3	Special Education/Education/Psychology Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
Elective	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
	Total 15	Total	15

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