

Early Childhood Education MS

The curriculum for the Master of Science in Early Childhood Education involves a minimum of 36 semester hours of study, 24 semester hours of which must be in ECE & EDCI (degree program for individuals *without* a Texas teaching certificate). The outline of studies is as follows:

Master of Science in Early Childhood Education - Option II Non-Thesis

Part A (18 semester hours)

ECE 535	Math Science and Social Studies Curriculum	3
ECE 536	Literacy Development in the Early Years	3
ECE 537	Creative Expression in the Art	3
ECE 538	Clstrm Management Tchrs	3
ECE 548	Dsgn Inquiry-Based Lrng	3
ECE 561	Child Development	3

Part B (18 semester hours)

EDCI 595	Research Lit Tech (3 semester hours required)	3
EDCI 514	Mgmt & Curr Dev for Div Lrnrs	3
EDCI 515	Evidence-Based Teaching for Diverse Populations	3
EDCI 517	Rdg & Lrng in K-12 Cont Area	3
EDCI 519	Response to Intervention Applied to Exceptional Learners	3
RDG 516	Foundations of Reading	3

Total Hours		36
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Written Comprehensive Examination in Early Childhood Education

Courses for which students will be responsible on the master's written comprehensive examination include: ECE 535, ECE 536, ECE 537, ECE 538, ECE 548, and ECE 561.

Successful completion of the Comprehensive Exam is required of all students.