



NOTE: Child Development courses are listed in the preferred order of completion, however it is understood that this order may not always be possible to follow.

NAEYC EARLY CHILDHOOD ASSOCIATE DEGREE ACCREDITATION PROGRAM STANDARDS

- Understand and Promote Child Growth and Development
Build Reciprocal, Respectful Family and Community Relationships
Observe, Document, and Assess in Support of Young Children and Families
Use Developmentally Effective Practices to Connect with Children and Families
Build Meaningful Curriculum
Become an Early Care and Education Professional

Basic Certificate—STC\_C239

Table with 4 columns: Course ID, Course Name, Credits, and Total Credit Hours. Includes courses like CHD 100, CHD 204, CHD 209, CHD 206, and General Elective.

3-CDA aligned courses—2 required. Choose CHD 204 or CHD 209 for 3rd course.

Short Certificate—STC\_C050

Table with 4 columns: Course ID, Course Name, Credits, and Total Credit Hours. Includes courses like ENG 101, MTH Elective, CHD 100, CHD 201, CHD 202, CHD 203, CHD 204, CHD 205, and CHD 206.

Advanced Certificate—CER\_C050

Table with 4 columns: Course ID, Course Name, Credits, and Total Credit Hours. Includes courses like ENG 101, MTH Elective, Humanities and Fine Arts Elective, Computer Elective, and various CHD courses.

Associate Degree—AAS\_C050

\*denotes general courses for transfer program

General Courses (28 hours)

Table with 4 columns: Course ID, Course Name, Credits, and Total Credit Hours. Includes ENG 101, ENG 102, MTH Elective, SPH Elective, PSY 200, Humanities and Fine Arts Elective, Lab Science Elective, Computer Elective, and General Elective.

General Credit Hours 28

Major Courses (36 hours)

Table with 4 columns: Course ID, Course Name, Credits, and Total Credit Hours. Includes CHD 100, CHD 201, CHD 202, CHD 203, CHD 204, CHD 205, CHD 206, CHD 209, CHD 210, CHD 214, and CHD 215.

Major Credit Hours 33

Total Credit Hours 61