



*University of Arkansas at Monticello
College of Technology - McGehee
Technical Certificate Program of Study*

Early Childhood Education

Technical Certificate

Dept	Course Number	Course Title	Credit Hours	Semester Taken	Grade
Fall Semester					
ECED	1053	Environments in Early Childhood *	3		
ECED	1063	Foundations of Early Childhood Education*	3		
HOEC	1113	Tech Curriculum Development for Infants & Toddlers	3		
CFA	1103	Tech Computer Fundamentals or higher-level computer course	3		
COM	1203	Tech Communication or higher-level composition course	3		
			15		

Spring Semester					
HOEC	2073	Tech Child Guidance	3		
ECED	1082	Practicum I *	2		
ECED	1071	Introduction to Practicum *	1		
ECED	1043	Development and Curriculum in Early Childhood *	3		
HOEC	2013	Tech Literacy/Language Arts ECE	3		
HOEC	2023	Tech Math/Science for ECE	3		
			15		

*** Denotes optional EXIT: Certificate of Proficiency in Child Development Associate: 12**

SUMMER SEMESTER					
HOEC	2143	Tech Childcare Program Planning	3		
HOEC	2173	Tech Children with Special Needs	3		

Fall Semester					
MAT	1203	Tech Mathematics or higher-level mathematics course	3		
HOEC	2033	Tech Child Care Practicum II	3		
HOEC	2153	Tech Child Development	3		

Total Hours for Technical Certificate: 45

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Student Learning Outcomes

Successful completers of this program will be able to:

- plan a safe, healthy learning environment.
- advance children's physical and intellectual development.
- implement positive strategies to support children's social and emotional development.
- establish productive relationships with families.
- implement strategies to manage an effective program operation.
- maintain a commitment to professionalism.
- be familiar with a variety of observing and recording techniques to document children's development.
- understand and apply principles of child growth and development.

To be eligible for a Technical Certificate from the University of Arkansas at Monticello College of Technology-McGehee, a student should complete a Program of Study approved by his/her advisor upon entering the University. The Program of Study indicates the minimum semester hours of unduplicated credit at the technical certificate level and is for informational purposes only; it is the responsibility of the student to meet all requirements to be eligible for a technical certificate. The University reserves the right to substitute courses. Some courses require pre-requisite and/or co-requisite classes. Some courses may be offered only during specific semesters. This Program of Study requires Related Instruction to be completed during any semester/term of enrollment. Contact your advisor or Assistant Vice Chancellor for specific information.

Students who score below the required minimal level on the entrance exam may be required to take additional credit hours as part of this University's developmental education program. See current academic catalog for more information. The technical certificate may serve as a terminal credential or as an intermediate credential for students who wish to pursue an associate or baccalaureate degree program.

For more information about this certificate, contact your program advisor by calling 870-222-5360. Students may also visit www.uamont.edu.

Specific Graduation Requirements

In addition to completing all coursework, the University of Arkansas at Monticello College of Technology – McGehee, requires all students who are eligible for this technical certificate to meet the following criteria:

1. Degree Audit
2. At least 2.00 cumulative GPA

My signature below indicates that I (student) agree that it is my responsibility to meet all UAM requirements to be eligible for a technical certificate. This document serves only as a guide to help me fulfill specific program requirements. This University reserves the right to substitute other courses.

Student's Printed Name

Student's Date of Birth

Student's Signature

Date

Advisor's Signature

Date