Course work:
The 16 courses including 6 professional education courses totally online and 6 methods classes that are hybrid, which means it includes 3 face-to-face sessions that may be connected virtually. A total of 4 semesters including student teaching, 3 Saturdays (8:30 am – 3:30 pm) a semester for each of the 3 semesters will be designated as face-to-face class days meeting physically in the Broadway Building in Rochester with virtual extended classrooms around the state.

Early Childhood Education
Online Major (ECEO)/ 60 S.H.

Complete GEP goals (15 credits)
This may differ in credits based on the Minnesota State College TP

License Requirement: (6 S.H.)
ECEO 321: Children's Literature (2 S.H.)
ECEO 405: Topics in Early Childhood Education – Hybrid (2 S.H.)
ECEO 320: Foundations of Literacy – Hybrid (2 S.H.)

Professional Education Sequence (12 S.H.)
Note: Teacher education majors must complete all Professional Education Sequence courses in addition to content area courses. Refer to Teacher Education Licensure Programs for more information.
EDFD 400: Human Development and Learning (2 S.H.)
EDFD 420: Classroom Management (1 S.H.)
EDFD 440: Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment (3 S.H.)
EDFD 459: The Professional Educator (3 S.H.)
EDFD 460: Multicultural Youth, Children and Families Pt. 1 (2 S.H.)
EDFD 462: Multicultural Youth, Children and Families Pt. 2 (1 S.H.)

Student Teaching (12 S.H.)
ECST 467: Student Teaching (12 S.H.)

Methods (15 S.H.)
These courses require formal admission to the Teacher Education Licensure Programs.
ECEO 428: Reading & Language Arts Methods – Hybrid (3 S.H.)
ECEO 413: Infant Toddler Curriculum & Methods – Hybrid (3 S.H.)
ECEO 436: Early Numeracy Methods – Hybrid (2 S.H.)
ECEO 425: Primary Methods 1: Physical education and the fine arts – Hybrid (2 S.H.)
ECEO 435: Primary Methods 2: Integrated Content – Hybrid (2 S.H.)
ECEO 416: Preschool and Kindergarten Curriculum and Methods (3 S.H.)

More than just an education, earn your MN Early Childhood License!

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Are You:
» Ready for your Early Childhood license?
» Working in Early Childhood?

Do You:
» Have an Associate Degree in Early Childhood?

If so...
1. Check out the Early Childhood Education web page for Winona State University.
2. Take the MN NES AES Basic Skills tests in Reading, Math, & Writing.
3. Apply to Winona State University.
4. Apply to College of Education.

Start WSU’s Early Childhood Online program
» Fall 2018
» Online & hybrid courses
» Meet in-person or extended classroom (on-line) 3 times a semester
» Field placements near you!

Minnesota Early Childhood License *(Birth to grade 3)*

» Only 60 credits
» Includes student teaching placement in both primary classroom (grades 1-3) and Early Childhood classroom (infant - preschool)

Celebrating...
» Developmentally Appropriate Practice
» Early Literacy
» Early Numeracy
» Early Childhood pedagogy and best practice instruction

Field experiences with all ages:
» 40 hours in Primary classroom
» 30 hours in Kindergarten classroom
» 25 hours in Preschool classroom
» 15 hours in Toddler classroom
» 15 hours in Infant classroom
» Additional 15 hours in any Early Childhood classroom