

CHILD DEVELOPMENT

CERTIFICATE

Guided Pathway/Map

NOTE: The Guided Pathway below contain all the coursework required for degree/certificate completion. However, courses may be offered or taken in other semesters as long as prerequisites are met. Courses may be available days, nights, hybrid, and online.

	Course #	Course Name	Sem. Hours
Semester 1	ORI 101/ ORI105/ ORT 100	College Orientation OR Orientation and Student Success OR Orientation for Career Success	1 - 3
	ENG101	English Composition I	3
	CHD100	Introduction to Early Care and Education of Children	3
	CHD201	Child Growth and Development Principles	3
	CHD204	Methods and Materials for Teaching Your Children	3
		Eligible for CDA Certification	Semester Total:13-15
Semester 2	MTH116	Mathematical Applications OR Higher Math	3
	CHD202	Children's Creative Experience	3
	CHD203	Children's Literature and Language Development	3
	CHD209	Infant and Toddler Education Programs	3
			Semester Total: 12
Semester 3	SPH106 OR SPH107	Fundamentals of Oral Communication OR Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
	CHD206	Children's Health and Nutrition	3
	CHD210	Educating Exception Children	3
	CHD213	Child Development Trends Seminar	3
		Eligible for State of Alabama Child Abuse Mandated Reporter Training Certification	Semester Total: 12

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	Course #	Course Name	Sem. Hours
Semester 4	CIS146	Microcomputer Applications	3
	CHD214	Families and Communities in Early Care and Education Programs	3
	CHD215	Supervised Practical Experience in Child Development CPR Certification Exam	3
	CHD217	Math and Science for Young Children	3
	CHD222	Social Studies and Children	3
		Eligible for CHD Certificate	Semester Total: 15 Total: 52-54