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This agreement is a culmination of many collaborative meetings to improve the quality of child care and early education programs in South Carolina by cultivating a well-trained and educated workforce. The purpose of this agreement is to provide an opportunity for graduates who have received their Associate Degree in Early Care and Education from Piedmont Technical College to transfer to Clemson University to pursue their Bachelor Degree in Early Childhood Education.

The following listings set forth courses that satisfy Clemson University Early Childhood Education, College of Education, and General Education requirements and the equivalencies at Piedmont Technical College. The institutions reserve the right to modify requirements in accordance with the Curriculum on Higher Education guidelines, the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) standards, NAEYC standards, and Clemson University Early Childhood Education program changes.

Piedmont Technical College		Clemson University Equivalent *
ECD 101	Intro. To Early Childhood Development	 <p>EDEC 220 EDEC 336 EDEL 458 EDF 334 CTE 310 Elective (3 Hrs)</p>
ECD 102	Growth and Development I	
ECD 105	Guidance and Classroom Management	
ECD 107	Exceptional Child	
ECD 108	Family & Community Relations	
ECD 109	Administration/Supervision	
ECD 131	Language Arts	
ECD 132	Creative Experiences	
ECD 133	Science and Math Concepts	
ECD 135	Health, Safety and Nutrition	
ECD 200*	Curriculum Issues in Infant & Toddler Development	
ECD 201	Principles of Ethics and Leadership	
ECD 203	Growth and Development II	
ECD 205*	Socialization & Group Care of Infant/Toddler Environment	
ECD 207*	Infants & Toddler with Special Needs	
ECD 237	Methods and Materials	
ECD 243	Supervised Field Experience I	
ECD 244	Supervised Field Experience II	
ECD 246*	Creating Quality Infant & Toddler Env	
* Additional Core Courses for Infant Toddler Concentration		

General Education for Associate Degree in Early Care and Education

Piedmont Technical College		Clemson University Equivalent	
ENG 101	English Composition I	ENGL 101	English Composition
MAT 120	Probability and Statistics	MTHSC 203	Elementary Statistical Inference
PSY 201	General Psychology	PSYCH 201	Intro to Psychology
ART 101 or MUS 105	Intro to Art History or Music Appreciation	AAH 210 or MUSIC 210	Intro to Art and Architecture or Music Appreciation
SPC 205	Public Speaking	COMM 250	Public Speaking
CPT 101	Introduction to Computers	CP SC 120	Intro to Information Technology

Other General Education Requirements for Clemson University which can be taken at Piedmont Technical College or Clemson University (The following is a guide – consultation with a Clemson University advisor is required for confirmation).

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HIS 102	Western Civ Post 1689	HIST 173	The West & The World II
SPA 101 102 201 202	Spanish	SPAN 101 102 201 202	Spanish
BIO 101 102	Biological Science	BIO 103, 105 104, 106	Biological Science
PHS 101 102	Physical Science	PH SC 108 107	Physical Science
ENG 102	English Composition II	ENGL 103	Accelerated Composition
GEO 102	World Geography	GEOG 103	World Regional Geo
ENG 201, 202, 203 205, 206 208, 209	Literature	ENGL 214 213 212	Arts & Humanities (Lit)
ART 101 or MUS 105	Intro to Art History or Music Appreciation	AAH 210 or MUSIC 210	Intro to Art and Architecture or Music Appreciation

In order to receive transfer credit, students must do the following:

1. Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.
2. Complete the ECD courses at Piedmont Technical College listed in the articulation agreement, with a grade of C or better in each course.
3. Pass all three portions of the PRAXIS I (reading, writing and math) or obtain a total score of 24 on the ACT, 1100 on the two part SAT, or 1650 on the three part SAT.
4. Meet with Clemson advisor prior to admission to initiate transfer.
5. Complete additional general education courses with a “C” or better, either before or immediately after transferring. These courses may be completed at either Clemson University or Piedmont Technical College. All transfer credit evaluations are done on a course-by-course basis, from official transcripts.
6. Credit is not granted by transfer for vocational, remedial, or developmental courses.

Students entering into the Early Childhood Education program will be subject to the requirements specified in the catalog that is current at the time of their matriculation into the program. Individual analysis of student transcripts will be made for credits accumulated under the semester system from Piedmont Technical College. Authorized representatives from the institutions agree to provide students who wish to transfer with relevant, current, and sound academic advice so that neither legitimate credit hours nor time will be lost in a student's attempt to secure the pursued Degree.

Authorization

Signature

Date

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