Graduation

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Student Success Map

B.A. in Child Development

Department of Child Development

Essentials for Every Semester

• Mandatory major advising is required prior to registration each semester.
• For general course selection, consult Advisors in SSC 220.
• Meet deadlines to register, pay fees, and apply for financial aid.
• Check your DPR. Are you on-track to meet requirements?
• Complete a sufficient number of units each term (15-16 units) to graduate in four years. Some programs require more.
• Check your Student Center prior to registration for registration holds and updating your personal info.
• Check your Student Center after each semester for your grades and academic standing; if your GPA drops below a 2.0, consult an Advisor.

FRESHMAN

Get Good Advice

Learn where to find and how to use campus resources such as the Student Learning Center, Health Center, Academic Advising, Wellness Center and your faculty advisor.

Take the Right Classes

Visit each of your instructors during their office hours. Make a point to get to know your professors.

Applying What You Learn

Discover the Rainbow Room, our student computer lab, located in Modoc 245.

Connect with Peers

Learn to use the Degree Progress Report (DPR) in your Student Center. Go to Academic Advising for help.

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Obtain your Major Academic Plan (MAP). It will enable you and your advisor to plan for each semester.

Prepare for Life After Graduation

If you need preparatory math and/or English courses, complete them in your first year.

Consider the Associated Students Child Development Lab as an option.

Visit the Student Activities Office and get involved with a club or organization - or start your own. Check out the Freshman Leadership Opportunity (FLO).

Read the Book in Common (BIC) and participate in BIC activities.

Meet others interested in children and families by joining the Child Development Student Association.

Select courses in GE that meet the diversity requirements (US Diversity and Global Cultures).

Consider working abroad with Camp Adventure.

Consider a time management workshop in the Student Learning Center.

Use the Career Center to assess your interests, skills, and work values.

Get an Early Childhood Education

• Infant Care
• Intervention Services
• Autism

Teaching

• Elementary/Secondary
• Tutoring Services
• Private Schools

Families

• Family Education
• Family Support
• Family Intervention

Youth

• Before/After School Care
• Intervention Services
• Supplemental Programs

Government

• Children’s Services
• Adoption Worker
• Foster Care

Other Careers

• Child Life Specialist
• International Worker
• Non-Profit

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