

COMMUNITY AND FAMILY SERVICE

Associate of Applied Science

Make a difference in the lives of children and families living in our area. As a Community & Family Service graduate, you will work with expectant parents and parents of young children in their homes, helping families to understand their child's development and support parental/child attachment. Parents are a child's first and best teachers, and a graduate with this degree supports parental development by building on the family's strengths. Workers in this field will have specific and intentional roles in the following four activities/strategies areas:

- Promote and enhance the parent-child relationship
- Engage parents in discussions about their child's growth and development and provide parents information and opportunities to learn about concrete things they can do to promote their child's learning
- Encourage parents' involvement in the education of their child
- Facilitate the delivery of services to children and families through collaboration with community partners

JOB OPPORTUNITIES FOR 2-YEAR GRADUATES

Graduates will find employment with Early Head Start and Head Start or similar community agencies as a family advocate, home visitor, family service worker or family educator.

SALARY

Median income is currently slightly more than \$30,000.

JOB OUTLOOK

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, jobs in this field will grow by 11 percent by 2024.

STUDENT ADVISEMENT

Students who are pursuing degrees or certificates leading to application for professional licensure or certification, and/ or who will be participating in field experiences, internships, or practica through their program, should be aware that their host facility may require a criminal background check, finger printing, or drug screening. Although the College will make reasonable efforts to place admitted students in field experiences and internships, it will be up to the host facility to determine whether a student will be allowed to work at that facility.

LOCATION

Findlay-area Campus Toledo-area Campus

For more information, visit www.owens.edu or call:

Program Curriculum

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1ST SEMESTER

ENG 111	Composition I *	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
or		
ENG 111P	Composition Plus *	Credits: 4(Lec: 4)
PSY 101	General Psychology *	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
BIO 125	The Science of Nutrition	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
ECE 100	Intro Early Childhood Educ	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
EDU 101	Early Child Development	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)

2ND SEMESTER

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ENG 112	Composition II *	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
or		
HON 201	Interpretations Seminar *	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
ECE 106	Assessment & Observation in Ed	d Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
SWK 201	Intro to Social Work	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
ECE 201	Teaching Infants and Toddlers	Credits: 3(Lec: 2 Lab: 3)
SPA 111	Beginning Spanish I	Credits: 4(Lec: 4)
or		
ASL 111	Beginning American Sign Lang I	Credits: 4(Lec: 4)

3RD SEMESTER				
ECE 203	Guiding Children's Behavior	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)		
EDU 210	Individuals w/Exceptionalities	Credits: 0 to 3		
		(Lec: 0 to 2 Lab: 0 to 3)		
EDU 215	Family, Communities & Schools	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)		
SWK 220	Social Welfare Institutions	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)		
SPA 112	Beginning Spanish II	Credits: 4(Lec: 4)		
or				
ASL 112	Beginning American Sign LangII	Credits: 4(Lec: 4)		

4TH SEMESTER

SOC 220	Multicultural Diversity in US *	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
SWK 250	Social Work Assessment	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)
ECE 298	Practicum and Seminar	Credits: 5(Lec: 3 Lab: 2)
MTH 133	Quantitative Reasoning	Credits: 3(Lec: 3)

^{*}Ohio Transfer Module Course

More information about the Ohio Transfer Module Course can be found at www.ohiohighered.org/transfer/transfermodule

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