Early Childhood Education Online Workforce Program

Fall 2022 Cohort

Class Sections: 091, 092

Synchronous Class Meetings: Tuesday, 5:30 – 7:00 pm

Plan of Study

Enter as juniors having met all prerequisites (Associates Degree and Gateway 4 credential)
63 total credit hours (9 credit hours for TCH 271, 278, and 292 given based on Gateway 4 credential and work experience)

Fall 2022		Spring 2023		Summer 2023
Fall Cohort Block 1 8/22/22 - 10/15/22	Fall Cohort Block 2 10/17/22 - 12/10/22	Fall Cohort Block 3 1/17/23 - 3/11/23	Fall Cohort Block 4 3/20/23 - 5/6/23	Fall Cohort Block 5 5/22/23 – 7/14/23
TCH 268: Math Methods I TCH 273: Literacy I	TCH 267: Language Arts Methods TCH 275: Math Methods II	TCH 314: Planning & Assessment	SED 374: PreK Special Education Assessment SED 386: Special Education Curriculum	EAF 228: Foundations of Education TCH 248/318: ESL Strategies
		TCH 293: Clinical (asynchronous online) - 16 weeks		
Fall 2023		Spring 2024 (graduation)		
Fall Cohort Block 6 8/21/23 – 10/14/23	Fall Cohort Block 7 10/16/23 – 12/9/23	Fall Cohort Block 8 1/16/24 – 3/9/24	Fall Cohort Block 9 3/18/24 – 5/4/24	
TCH 274: Literacy II	TCH 276: Science Methods TCH 277: Social Science Methods	STT 399.54: Student Teaching (completed at work site or in PreK setting)	STT 399.54: Student Teaching (completed in K-2 classroom)	
TCH 294: Clinical (flexible online tutoring) - 16 weeks				

Program Highlights:

All courses are 100% online, except for student teaching experiences
Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education from Illinois State University
Professional Educator's License (PEL) from Illinois State Board of Education

- Early Childhood Education endorsement (Birth Grade 2)
- Early Childhood Special Education Letter of Approval

Gateways to Opportunity Credential Level-5

Available for Eligible Candidates:

Early Childhood Access Consortium for Equity (ECACE) Scholarship