



**NORTHEASTERN STATE UNIVERSITY
 MASTER OF EDUCATION IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
 PLAN OF STUDY**

Name: _____ N Number: _____

Student has been formally admitted to the EC Program: ___ Yes ___ No. If no, needs _____

Advisor's
 Signature: _____ Date _____

Recommended Steps:

1. Admission to Graduate College
2. Meet with Early Childhood faculty advisor
3. Admission to Early Childhood Graduate Program
4. Complete coursework with 3.0 or above GPA
5. Complete final degree check
6. Apply for graduation

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION (6 Credit Hours Required)

<u>Needs</u>	<u>Completed</u>	<u>Course</u>
<u>X</u>	_____	EDUC 5103 Educational Research
_____	_____	EDUC 5483 Advanced Educational Measurements
_____	_____	EDUC 5133 Action Research

REQUIRED CURRICULUM (21 Credit Hours)

<u>X</u>	_____	ECED 5413 Adv. Development of the Young Child
<u>X</u>	_____	ECED 5613 Administration & Supervision of EC Programs
<u>X</u>	_____	ECED 5513 Adv. Organization & Implementation of EC Programs
<u>X</u>	_____	ECED 5713 Adv. Cognitive Development of the Young Child
<u>X</u>	_____	ECED 5583 Current Research & Trends in ECE
<u>X</u>	_____	ECED 5213 Infants & Toddlers
<u>X</u>	_____	ECED 5563 Diversity Issues in Early Childhood

ENRICHMENT (3 Credit Hours)

_____	_____	READ 5323 Literacy Assessment
_____	_____	READ 5113 Emergent & Early Literacy Development
_____	_____	SPED 5203 Evidence-Based Strategies & Curriculum Design for Students with ASD
_____	_____	SPED 5303 Positive Behavioral Supports for Students with ASD
_____	_____	ECED 5113 Creative Expressions for Early Childhood
_____	_____	ECED 5313 Development of Early Childhood Programs

REQUIRED CAPSTONE (3 Credit Hours)

<u>X</u>	_____	ECED 5903 Seminar in EC Education
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Total 33 Credit Hours including Capstone

The signed Statement of Understanding is a binding part of this plan of study. Any change to this plan of study requires prior written approval from the advisor and the Graduate College.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Advisor's Signature _____ Date _____

Graduate Dean's Signature _____ Date _____