Johnson County Community College
Transfer Program to Missouri Western State University
Early Childhood Education (B.S.E.)
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MWSU Early Childhood Admission Requirements

- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50 or greater maintained through graduation and 3.0 GPA in Content Area and Teacher Education.
- Completed or course equivalency to EDU 202 - Introduction to Education (EDUC 121 at JCCC) and EDU 203 Participation in Teaching I (EDUC 260 at JCCC).
- Pre-major and/or major declaration form and concentration form on file.

Students must complete General Studies courses in addition to the major requirements. Please refer to the General Studies guide for requirements and JCCC equivalents.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION MAJOR REQUIREMENTS			
Missouri Western State University Requirements	**Hrs**	**JCCC Equivalents**	**Hrs**
EDU 202 Introduction to Education	3	EDUC 121 Introduction to Teaching*	3
EDU 300 Introduction to Early Childhood Education	3	EDUC 130 Foundations of Early Childhood Education*	3
EDU 348 Language Development for Educators	3	EDUC 131 Early Childhood Curriculum I*	3
EDU 332 Teaching in the Integrated Areas	3	EDUC 210 Creative Experiences for Young Children*	3
EDU 315 Psychology and Education of the Exceptional Child	3	EDUC 220 Survey of the Exceptional Child*	3
EDU 333 Science & Mathematics for Young Children	3	EDUC 231 Early Childhood Curriculum II*	3
EDU 344 Early Childhood Assessment	3	EDUC 260 Observing and Interacting with Young Children*	3
Additional required courses will be taken at MWSU.			

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

It is the STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer guide is provided as a service and is updated as needed. Degree requirements at the four-year colleges are subject to change by those institutions. To ensure you have the most accurate up to date information about the program, it is imperative you meet with an advisor at the transfer institution.