

Directory of Early Childhood Programs in Arkansas Community Colleges

Name of College: Southeast Arkansas College		
Mailing Address of College: 1900 S. Hazel, Pine Bluff, AR 71603		
Phone # of Early Childhood Department:	Fax # of Early Childhood Department:	
(870)543-5989	(870)373-5147	
Phone # of Financial Aid Office:	College Website:	
(870)543-5909	www.seark.edu	
Early Childhood Associate Degree Accreditation? Yes No		
Name and Email of Key Contact in Early Childhood Department:		
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Certificates, Diplomas and/or Degrees Offered

Description of Certificate, Diploma and/or Degree Offered	Early Childhood Credit Hours	Total Credit Hours
CP Early Childhood Paraprofessional Technology	12 hours	12 hours
A.A.S. Early Childhood Paraprofessional Technology	39 hours	62 hours

Early Childhood Program Information

List requirements for admission to Early	Students must complete the general admissions procedures of SEARK College to enroll in the Early Childood Degree Program. Once enrolled, Child
Childhood Degree program:	Maltreatment, Criminal Background, and FBI Checks are required before students can participate in field and/or practicum experiences.
Any requirements to enroll in ECE classes	☐ Yes ☑ No If so, list:
outside of degree program?	
Earmarked Courses for CDA credential?	☑ Yes □ No
Articulation Credit for CDA credential?	☑ Yes ☐ No If yes, how many credits? 6 hours
Average # of ECE courses offered per term?	Three to four ECE courses are offered per term. This number does not include General Education course requirements that are offered each term.
Average # of ECE courses offered ONLINE per term?	At this time all early childhood courses are taught face to face. However, several general education course requirements are offered online.
Average # of ECE courses offered in summer?	On average two to three courses are offered during the summer. Currently, these course offerings are limited to the beginning course prerequisites only.
Average # of ECE courses offered in evenings?	these course offerings are limited to the beginning course prerequisites only. Currently, 11 courses (the majority of all early childhood content courses) are taught in the evenings.
Average # of ECE students per advisor?	Currently approximatley 15 to 20 students are assigned per advisor.
# of T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood Scholarships in 2019-2020?	N/A
Any satellite campuses with ECE courses?	☐ Yes ☑ No
Tuition cost per credit hour	The current tutition is \$100.00 per credit hour; Out-of-State Tuition: \$200.00 per credit hour.
Any 4-Year Schools with whom articulation	☑ Yes □ No If so, list:
agreements are in place?	University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff
Immigration Status Verified for Admission?	☐ Yes ☑ No
Total Enrollment in ECE Program?	Sixteen students are currently enrolled for the Fall 2022 term.
# of Graduates for last three years:	14 Students Awarded Certificate of Proficiency
	14 Students Awarded A.A.S Early Childhood Degree