

# CHILD DEVELOPMENT, B.A.

## Program Prerequisites

Incoming students are required to have completed the following courses with a grade of C or better prior to acceptance into this program:

- College Composition - 3 units (WRI 1010 or WRI 1015 or WRI 1016 at PLNU)
- Nutrition - transferrable level (NUT 1000 at PLNU)

First semester students must pass CDV 3023 and WRT 3001 as the first courses - with a grade of a C or better in order to take any other CDV course or move forward in the program.

| Code                                          | Title                                                                   | Units        |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <b>Required Courses</b>                       |                                                                         |              |
| BST 3004 (B,C,J,L, Biblical Perspectives (GE) |                                                                         | 4            |
| CDV 3003                                      | Early Childhood Curriculum and Learning Theory                          | 3            |
| CDV 3023                                      | Development of Children and Adolescents                                 | 3            |
| CDV 3033                                      | Adolescent Development in the Family Context                            | 3            |
| CDV 3043                                      | Child and Adolescent Nutrition and Health                               | 3            |
| CDV 3053                                      | Development of Children with Exceptionalities                           | 3            |
| CDV 3063                                      | Parent Education and Family Development                                 | 3            |
| CDV 4013                                      | Development of Infants and Toddlers                                     | 3            |
| CDV 4063                                      | Administration and Supervision in Early Childhood Education             | 3            |
| CDV 4073                                      | Internship in Child Development                                         | 1-4          |
| CDV 4083                                      | Child Development, Family Systems, and Social Change                    | 3            |
| CDV 4091                                      | Developmental Curriculum, Experiences, and Practices for Young Children | 3            |
| CDV 4093                                      | Capstone Professional Development                                       | 2            |
| WRT 3001                                      | Writing for Child Development Professionals <sup>1</sup>                | 1            |
| <b>Total Units</b>                            |                                                                         | <b>38-41</b> |

<sup>1</sup> WRT 3001 can be waived if a student takes WRT 1000 at PLNU.  
External courses are not eligible to waive WRT 3001.

**Note(s):** Students must earn a C or better in courses needed for permits or license. If the minimum grade is not met, courses may be repeated prior to the last semester or as a non-degree seeking student after the last semester. Military-benefit students should inquire with Military Services for further information.