Cabrillo College - ECE Department – Academic Advising
Recommended sequence of courses

First semester:
Any ONE or more of the following …

- ECE 131 or ECE 31
- ECE 53 & 53 L
- ECE 59 & 159L

Also – consider at least one GE course from the recommended list (see at end)
+ Meet with a Cabrillo Counselor.

NOTE: When student is an English language learner, the student should concurrently enroll in the appropriate ESL level class until reaching ENGL 100 & 100L.

Second semester:
Any one, preferably TWO, or more, of the following, OR any pending from previous list

- ECE 51  (pre-req = ECE 31 / 131)
- ECE 54 (pre-req = ECE 31 / 131) (pre- req or concurrent: 51 and 53)
- ECE 156 (recommended prep = ECE 31 / 131 and ECE 53)
- ECE 32 or 142 (pre-req = ECE 31 / 131)

Also – consider at least one GE course from the recommended list (see at end)
+ Meet with a Cabrillo Counselor.

NOTE: When student is an English language learner, the student should concurrently enroll in the appropriate ESL level class until reaching ENGL 100 & 100L.

Third and fourth semesters:
Preferably TWO, or more, of the following, OR any pending from previous lists

- ECE 34 (pre-req = ECE 31 / 131)
- ECE 135 (pre-req = ECE 31 / 131) ~ only offered in Fall
  or ECE 163 (pre-req = ECE 31 / 131 and ECE 53) ~ only offered in Spring
- ECE 146 (pre-req = ECE 31 / 131) ~ only offered in Spring
- ECE 158 (pre-req = ECE 51 or concurrent) ~ only offered in Spring
- ECE 52 (pre-req = ECE 32 or 142) ~ only offered in Fall

PLUS -- balance of GE requirements ~ Meet with a Cabrillo Counselor.

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Regarding GE courses. In order to qualify for the Teacher Permit\(^1\) (before completing AS degree) students will need 24 units of ECE and 16 units of general education (in four prescribed areas). Consult a Cabrillo Counselor to select appropriately. Students should aim to complete these 16 GE units distributed as follows:

- ENGLISH 100 & 100L or 4 units in Communication Studies
- SOCIAL STUDIES (e.g. History, Women Studies, Psychology, Political Science)
- HUMANITIES (eg. Spanish, Art, Music)
- MATH or SCIENCE (e.g. Math 154, Anthro 1 and 1L)

Please e-mail or call us with questions any time and do refer students to meet with an ECE faculty member to review their academic plan.

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\(^1\) Per State of California Child Development Division Permit Matrix