

**THREE RIVERS COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**PLAN OF STUDY FORM- 2014/2015**  
**EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION -KA46**  
 ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

First

Last

STUDENT ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) of transfer college(s) \_\_\_\_\_

CREDITS REQUIRED — 64

Advanced Credits:

Transfer Credits \_\_\_\_\_

#CLEP/DSST \_\_\_\_\_

#Credit by Exam \_\_\_\_\_

#APL Credits \_\_\_\_\_

#Military Credits \_\_\_\_\_

# A combined max of 30 credits may be used to satisfy degree requirements

<i>Course ID</i>	<i>Title of Course</i>	<i>Credits</i>	<i>Semester Completed</i>	<i>To Be Completed</i>
<b>Early Childhood Education:</b>				
ECE* K101°	Introduction to Childhood Education	3	_____	_____
ECE* K182°	Child Development		_____	_____
or	or	3	_____	_____
PSY* K200°	Child Psychology		_____	_____
ECE* K210°	Observation Participation & Seminar	3	_____	_____
ECE* K215°	The Exceptional Learner	3	_____	_____
ECE* K222°	Methods & Techniques in Childhood Programs	3	_____	_____
ECE* K231°	Early Language & Literacy Development	3	_____	_____
ECE* K295°	Student Teaching Practicum	6	_____	_____
<b>ECE Electives (6 Credits)</b> Please choose from any course in ECE*, EDU*, PSY* K204 or PSY* K220.				
ECE* _____	_____	3	_____	_____
ECE* _____	_____	3	_____	_____
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>		
<b>Arts and Humanities:</b>				
ENG* K101°	Composition	3	_____	_____
IDS K105	First Year Experience	3	_____	_____
_____	Fine Arts Elective (as identified in Liberal Arts and Sciences)	3	_____	_____
<b>Science</b>				
HLT* K155°	Personal Health	3	_____	_____
_____	Science elective with Lab	4	_____	_____
<b>Mathematics:</b>				
MAT* K123°	Elementary Statistics or higher (MAT* K137 or higher is recommended for transfer).	3	_____	_____
<b>Technology:</b>				
BBG* K115°	Business Software Applications	3	_____	_____
or				
CSA* K105	Introduction to Software Applications		_____	_____
<b>Social Sciences:</b>				
PSY* K111°	General Psychology I	3	_____	_____
SOC* K101°	Principles of Sociology	3	_____	_____
_____	Any 200-level course in Sociology, Psychology or Ethics	3	_____	_____
<b>Open Elective (3 Credits)</b> The following courses are best for transfer: MAT* K146, HIS* K201° or HIS* K202°, ENG* K102°, PSY* K201°; and/or any of the following: PSY* K200°, SOC* K220°, COM*173°, PHL* K111°, LIB* K121, SSC* K210°.				
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>34</b>		
	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>64</b>		

° Course has a prerequisite. Students should check the course description.

**PLAN OF STUDY REVIEWED BY:**

Advisor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Preliminary Graduation Audit Completed by:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## **PLAN OF STUDY GUIDELINES**

The College reserves the right to modify this Plan of Study in subsequent academic years. Each student has the responsibility to insure that he/she completes all courses required for graduation, completes prerequisites for required courses, and completes all other requirements of the College as explained in the College Catalog.

### **ACADEMIC ADVISEMENT PROCESS**

Students are required to meet with their assigned advisor early in their first semester of enrollment. After advisement, the assigned advisor will remove the registration hold allowing the student to register. It is the student's responsibility to seek out information concerning program requirements. This may be done with the help of their advisor, the Department Chairperson, the Program Coordinator, the Counseling staff, or individual faculty members. While each student is assigned to an Academic Advisor, ultimate responsibility for meeting program requirements lies with the individual student. Students are encouraged to initiate and maintain close contact with their Academic Advisor throughout their program enrollment.

### **PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

The plan of study used to determine graduation eligibility will be that under which the candidate first enrolled, except as noted in the following:

1. If the candidate was readmitted to the College, after an absence of two years or more, the Plan of Study at the time of being readmitted will be the plan of study the candidate will follow.
2. If the candidate changed his/her program one or more times during attendance, the Plan of Study used shall be that which was in effect at the time of the last change of program.
3. If the courses required within a program have been significantly changes since the time of enrolled readmission or change of program, or if other unusual circumstances exist as determined by the Registrar, the catalog in effect at the time of graduation may be used. If the candidate disagrees with the selection of catalog, he/she may seek written permission from the program coordinator and/or department chair to be evaluated under another catalog.
4. In no case will a student be permitted to use requirements from more than one catalog, or from a combination of catalogs, to meet graduation requirements.

### **COURSE PREREQUISITES**

All prerequisites to courses listed in the College catalog must be met by students prior to registration in those courses. If, however, students consider that they have the equivalent of a prerequisite listed for a given course, they may present evidence to the instructor, and may register for the course if written consent is filed by the instructor in the Registrar's Office.

### **COURSE SUBSTITUTION**

Any substitution of a course or courses for those listed as requirements for a degree or certificate must be approved by either the Department Chairperson or Academic Program Coordinator and the Academic Dean. Contact your advisor or the Director of Counseling for additional information.

### **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

All students should schedule a graduation review with their Academic Advisor before registering for their final semester in a degree or certificate program. Eligible students must fill out a graduation application form by the date published in the academic calendar.

To be eligible for graduation with an Associate in Science, Arts or Applied Science degree or a Certificate from the College, the student must:

1. Fulfill all of the program course requirements in an approved program and have achieved at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average.  
*In addition, Associate Degree candidates must complete a minimum of sixty credits in college level courses in an approved Plan of Study with no more than twelve credits carrying a "P" grade.*
2. Successfully complete at least 50% of courses attempted. At least 25% of credits earned must have been completed at Three Rivers CC.
3. Fulfill all financial obligations to the institution.
4. Fulfill other requirements consistent with policies of the Board of Regents which may apply.