



## **The Delta State University/Hinds Community College Partnership (DHP) for Child Development Program**

### **General Information**

Instruction is usually provided in a hybrid format. Though coursework is primarily online, face-to-face will be scheduled at the discretion of the professor on the Hinds Community College campus and again through Canvas, an electronic virtual classroom. Students access the virtual classroom through a personal computer equipped with a camera and microphone. These classes are usually held between 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. and 7:15 – 9:15 p.m. to accommodate working students. Occasionally, meetings are held on Saturdays.

Students must participate in field experiences in metro-area child development centers which have been approved by DSU faculty. These experiences must be completed during the school day to complete instructional requirements for specific courses.

The final semester is the student internship, and requires 400 clock hours (6 credit hours) of internship in an approved metro-area child development center. Students are limited to six other credit hours of class work that semester.

Students who seek state licensure to teach in the public schools up through kindergarten must meet the following requirements:

- An overall g.p.a. of 3.0
- An ACT composite of 21 or a Praxis/CASE passing score

### **Transfer Hours**

DSU requires completion of 62 hours of specific courses; however, you may transfer additional hours that *might* apply to elective areas. Your transcript evaluation will provide additional information.

### **Admissions Checklist for Child Development 2+2 Program**

- **MEET YOUR DIRECTOR**—Terry R. Parrish is the Director of the Delta State University/Hinds Community College Elementary Education 2+2 Program and Child Development 2+2 Program. Her office is located on the Raymond campus in Moss Hall 222. You may reach her at [tparrish@deltastate.edu](mailto:tparrish@deltastate.edu). Her phone number is 601-502-7590.

- **MEET THE DIRECTOR OF RECRUITING**—Chris Gaines, Director of Recruiting, Bradley Davis, and Suzanne Oglesby are responsible for transfer admissions. You may contact Bradley at 662-402-0861 or Suzanne at 662-846-4659. Chris can be reached at 662-846-4020 and [cgaines@deltastate.edu](mailto:cgaines@deltastate.edu).
- **APPLY FOR ADMISSION** – The application for admission will begin the process. Your recruiter can mail an application to you, or you may submit the [application online](#).
- **APPLICATION FEE** – A non-refundable application fee of \$25.00 must be submitted with the application for admission. This fee may be mailed along with a hard copy application. If completing an online application, it is required to pay the fee after the online application has been completed. If the fee is not paid after completing an online application, the application will not be processed.
- **TRANSCRIPT** – An official copy of your transcript must be submitted to Delta State University Undergraduate Admissions Office.
- **IMMUNIZATION RECORDS** – Proof of two immunization dates for measles, mumps, and rubella is required of all students, unless exempt because of (1) actual, suspected, or planned pregnancy, (2) medical contraindication, or (3) birth prior to 1957.
- **COMPLETE THE SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**—Contact Chris Gaines at 662-402-0861 or [cgaines@deltastate.edu](mailto:cgaines@deltastate.edu) for assistance.

**Tuition:** For full-time students (12 – 19 hours), the cost is currently \$2,862 for in-state students and \$7,410 for out-of-state students. For part-time students, in-state tuition is \$239 per semester hour and \$618 per semester hour for out-of-state. After July 2013, the out-of-state tuition rate will be the same as the in-state tuition rate. These amounts are subject to change. Call the Financial Aid Office for assistance 662.846.4670.

**Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship:** The award for Phi Theta Kappa is \$6,200.00 payable \$1,550.00 for four consecutive semesters. Once at Delta State, students must complete 30 semester hours with a 3.0 to continue eligibility for the last semesters.

**COURSE OF STUDY FOR BS DEGREE IN FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES  
WITH A CONCENTRATION IN CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
DSU/HCC CHILD DEVELOPMENT PARTNERSHIP**

**Freshman**

| Semester 1   | Hours |
|--|-------|
| ENG 1113 English Composition I                       | 3     |
| Any History  | 3     |
| Fine Arts: ART 1113, MUS 1113,<br>SPT 1213, DAN 1113 | 3     |
| CDT 1214 Child Development I                         | 3     |
| CSC 1123 Computer Applications I or<br>BAD 2533      | 3     |
| LLS 1312 Orientation *                               | 2     |
| Total Hours  | 17    |

\*Required for Graduation from HCC

| Semester 2                         | Hours |
|------------------------------------|-------|
| ENG 1123 English Composition II    | 3     |
| Any History                        | 3     |
| **Perspectives on Society/SOC 2113 | 3     |
| MAT 1313 College Algebra           | 3     |
| CDT 1224 Child Development II      | 3     |
| Total Hours                        | 15    |

**Sophomore**

| Semester 1  | Hours |
|---|-------|
| PSY 1513 General Psychology I                                 | 3     |
| Any Biology with Lab  | 4     |
| Any Literature  | 3     |
| CDT 1343 Child Health and Safety                              | 3     |
| SPT 1113 Public Speaking<br>(or SPT 2173 Interpersonal Comm.) | 3     |
| *SOC 2143 Marriage and Family                                 | 3     |
| Total   | 19    |

**\*Personal Development Course:**  
SOC 2143 Marriage and Family

| Semester 2                               | Hours |
|--|-------|
| **Perspectives on Society                | 3     |
| Any Literature                           | 3     |
| CDT 1513 Nutrition for Young<br>Children | 3     |
| CDT 2413 Atypical Child<br>Development   | 3     |
| Any Science with Lab                     | 4     |
| Total                                    | 16    |

**Total 67 hours Associate of Arts degree**

**\*\*Perspectives on Society Courses:**

\*\*ECO 210 Principles of Macroeconomics/ECO 2113  
 ECO 211 Principles of Microeconomics/ECO 2123  
 GEO 201 Introduction to Human  
 Geography/GEO 1113  
 PHI 201 Introduction to Philosophy/PHI 2113  
 PSC 201 American National Government/PSC 1123

The following classes may be taken at Hinds and transferred to Delta State University for credit.

|                                       |   |   |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| CDT 1214 Child Development I          | FCS 330 Infant Development              | 3 |
| CDT 1224 Child Development II         | FCS 326 Child Development               | 3 |
| CDT 1343 Child Health and Safety      | HSE 244 First Aid and CPR               | 3 |
| CDT 2413 Atypical Child Development   | CSP 340 Survey of the Exceptional Child | 3 |
| CDT 1513 Nutrition for Young Children | FCS 444 Child Nutrition                 | 3 |

\*Students are required to select a minor that best fits their interests. To select a minor please see the 2012-2013 DSU Catalog pp. 122-123. Please contact Terry Parrish ([tparrish@deltastate.edu](mailto:tparrish@deltastate.edu)) with questions.

Candidates can earn a K-12 endorsement in special education by taking 21 hours in special education from DSU in addition to completing the program of study below and passing PRAXIS II PLT 0354. Six of the special education classes are taught online, and CSP 340 is taught online or as a hybrid online class on the Hinds Community College campus.

**Junior/Senior Courses to be taken from Delta State University**

| Semester 1                          | Semester 2                                | Semester 3                    | Semester 4                             |
|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--|
| FCS 150 Family Systems I            | FCS 270 Individual and Family Development | Elective or Minor             | Elective                               |
| FCS 312 Meals                       | Elective (Minor)                          | FCS 494 Philosophy and Issues | FCS 476 Practicum in Child Development |
| Elective (Minor)                    | FCS 151 Family Systems II                 | Elective (Minor)              | FCS 488 Internship                     |
| Elective (Minor)                    | FCS 328 Education for Parenthood          | Elective (Minor)              | FCS 447 Professional Development       |
| FCS 377 Methods and Materials       | FCS 378 Principles & Procedures           | CEL 314 Basic Skills Reading  |  |
| *ENG 300 or 301 Writing Composition | Elective (Minor)                          | Elective                      |  |

\*Students must satisfy a Writing Proficiency requirement which may be achieved by any of the following:

1. A score of 3 or higher on the CAAP Writing Essay Examination
2. A passing score on the PPST (Praxis Pre-Professional Skills Test) Writing Examination. Most students needing Needing educator licensure must meet this requirement.
3. ENG 300 Writing Proficiency Exam administered at Delta State University (1 credit)
4. ENG 301 Expository Writing class from Delta State University (3 credits)

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2+2 Child Development Partnership**

Admissions Information Sheet

Please complete the following information and email the form to Terry Parrish  
(tparrish@deltastate.edu ).

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| Legal Name of Applicant:                       |
| Mailing Address:                               |
| Email Address:                                 |
| Preferred Phone Number:                        |
| Semester you plan to begin the DSU 2+2 program |
| College(s) previously attended                 |