

# BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CHILD & ADOLESCENT DEVELOPMENT: CONCENTRATION IN EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION – PSY ASSOCIATE DEGREE FOR TRANSFER (ADT) ROADMAP

This is a sample pathway for students who transfer to San Francisco State University in the current bulletin year with an AA-T in Psychology. All lower-division GE requirements have been satisfied. Check with a major advisor about the most appropriate course sequence. **Degree completion guaranteed in 60 units; see the Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) section for more information (<http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-admissions/transfer-students/>).**

## To Do at SF State:

Enough total units to reach 120 minimum for graduation; 30 units minimum at the upper-division level; to include the following:

### University-Wide Requirements: 9-15 units

- American Institutions (0-6 units): US History, US Government, California State and Local Government requirements if not taken before transfer
- Upper-Division GE, Areas B, C, and D (9 units): Courses required for the major may double-count if approved for UD GE.
- Students entering this major with the AA-T in Psychology are not required to fulfill SF State Studies requirements.
- Complementary Studies is satisfied by taking the required minimum of 12 units in disciplines other than CAD.

### CAD Major (Concentration in Early Care and Education): 45 units

- Major Core (24 units): Includes GWAR.
- Concentration (21 units)
- A minimum grade of C or better required for all courses in the major.

### University Electives: 0 or More units

Depends on course choices made at the community college, how transferred units are applied to the requirements above, and course choices at SF State. Some courses may meet more than one requirement, e.g., both in UD GE and the major.

Course	Title	Units
<b>First Semester</b>		
CAD 210	Introduction to Applied Child and Adolescent Development (Major Core, D1)	3
Early Childhood Foundations and Programs - Select One (Major Concentration):		
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CAD 215	Foundations in Early Childhood	
CAD 230	Principles and Practices in Early Childhood Programs	
CAD 260	Children, Families, and Community: An Ecological Perspective (Major Core, D1, AERM, GP)	3
CAD 300	Professional Roles and Careers in Child and Adolescent Development (Major Core)	3
U.S. and California Government ( <a href="http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-education/american-institutions/#usg">http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-education/american-institutions/#usg</a> )		
	or University Elective if met in transfer	3

	Units	15
<b>Second Semester</b>		
CAD 410GW	Applied Developmental Science: Prenatal Through Early Childhood - GWAR (Major Core)	3
CAD 411	Applied Developmental Science: Middle Childhood through Emerging Adulthood (Major Core)	3
CAD 625	Children, Youth, and Public Policy (Major Core)	3
Curriculum and Methods - Select One (Major Concentration):		
CAD 330	Curriculum and Development in Early Childhood	3
E ED 602	Innovative Early Childhood Education Curriculum (UD-D, AERM, SJ)	
Observation and Assessment - Select One (Major Concentration):		
CAD 420	Assessment and Observation with Children	3
E ED 610	Classroom Assessment and Evaluation for Young Children	
	<b>Units</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Third Semester</b>		
CAD 500	Research Methods in Child and Adolescent Development (Major Core)	3
Concentration Elective – Select Three <sup>1</sup>		
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US History ( <a href="http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-education/american-institutions/#USHaGR">http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-education/american-institutions/#USHaGR</a> ) or University Elective if met in transfer		3
<b>Units</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Fourth Semester</b>		
CAD 660	Applied Advanced Developmental Science in Child and Adolescent Development (Major Core)	3
Concentration Elective (Major Concentration) <sup>1</sup>		3
GE Area UD-B: Upper-Division Physical and/or Life Sciences <sup>2</sup>		3
GE Area UD-D: Upper-Division Social Sciences <sup>2</sup>		3
GE Area UD-C: Upper-Division Arts and/or Humanities <sup>2</sup>		3
<b>Units</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>60</b>

<sup>1</sup> **Concentration Electives (12 units)**

A full list of the concentration elective options can be found in the degree requirements (<http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/colleges/health-social-sciences/child-adolescent-development/ba-child-adolescent-development-concentration-early-care-education/#degreerequirementstext>).

<sup>2</sup> It is highly recommended that students attempt to fulfill upper-division GE requirements (UD-B, UD-C, and UD-D) through Concentration courses. Courses that fulfill those requirements have been marked in the respective lists.