

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CHILD DEVELOPMENT PRE-K TO 3RD GRADE – CHILD AND ADOLESCENT DEVELOPMENT 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 Child and Adolescent Development. Three units in the major (CAD 210) and 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 Child and Adolescent Development 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 (Child Development Pre-K to 3rd Grade): 42 units

CAD 210 met in transfer.

- Core (24 units): Includes GWAR and Capstone.
- Area Requirements (18 units).
- A minimum grade of C or better required for all courses in the major.

University Electives: 3 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
First Semester		
Select One (Major Core):		3
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
CAD 330	Curriculum and Development in Early Childhood (Major Core)	3
MATH 165	Concepts of the Number System (Major Core)	3

Units 15

Second Semester

CAD 326	Developing Language and Literacy Skills in Young Children (Major Core)	3
CAD 410GW	Applied Developmental Science: Prenatal Through Early Childhood - GWAR (Major Core)	3

Assessment - Select One: 3

CAD 420	Assessment and Observation with Children	
E ED 610	Classroom Assessment and Evaluation for Young Children	

Science Course (<http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/colleges/health-social-sciences/child-adolescent-development/ba-child-development-prek-to-3rd-grade/#programrequirements>) 3

Inclusive Education Course (<http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/colleges/health-social-sciences/child-adolescent-development/ba-child-development-prek-to-3rd-grade/#programrequirements>) 3

Units 15

Third Semester

Fieldwork Course - Select One: 3		
CAD 280	Early Childhood Internship	
E ED 645	Directed Experiences with Children	

Physical Education Course (<http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/colleges/health-social-sciences/child-adolescent-development/ba-child-development-prek-to-3rd-grade/#programrequirements>) 3

Art Course (<http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/colleges/health-social-sciences/child-adolescent-development/ba-child-development-prek-to-3rd-grade/#programrequirements>) 3

US History (<http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-education/american-institutions/#USHaGR>) 3

or University Elective if met in transfer

U.S. and California Government (http://bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-education/american-institutions/#usg)	3
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	Units	15
Fourth Semester		
CAD 660	Applied Advanced Developmental Science in Child and Adolescent Development (Major Core)	3
GE Area UD-B: Upper-Division Physical and/or Life Sciences ¹		3
GE Area UD-C: Upper-Division Arts and/or Humanities ¹		3
GE Area UD-D: Upper-Division Social Sciences ¹		3
University Elective		3
	Units	15
	Total Units	60

¹ It is highly recommended that students attempt to fulfill upper-division GE requirements (UD-B, UD-C, and UD-D) through courses in the major.