

Directory of Early Childhood Programs in 4 Year Colleges and Universities in Michigan

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Name of Institution: Baker College
<p>What degree options exist at this institution? Check all that apply and complete pages applicable to each type of degree.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A. Non–Licensure Degree(s) Offered</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> B. Degree (s) with <i>Optional</i> Licensure Offered</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C. Degree(s) with <i>Requiring</i> Licensure Offered</p>

A. Non–Licensure Degree(s) Offered

Contact Information

Name of Institution: Baker College	
Mailing Address: Baker College of Owosso 1020 South Washington St. Owosso MI 48867	
Phone Number of Early Childhood Department: Owosso Campus Main number: 989-729-3350	Fax:
Phone Number of Financial Aid Office: 833-691-7867 onestop@baker.edu	Institution Website: www.baker.edu Program Website: Please refer to specific campus websites identified on the Baker College homepage.
Early Childhood Degree Program Accreditation: Yes—AAS ECE No—BS ECE	Accrediting Body: NAEYC
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Program Description (include information about all programs that provide early childhood courses; for example, College of Human Sciences may offer courses as well as the College of Education)

Description of Degree Offered	Name of College or School Issuing Credential	Early Childhood Credit Hours	Total Credit Hours
BS Early Childhood Education	Baker College- College of Education & Early Childhood Education	90	120
AAS Early Childhood Education	Baker College- College of Education	45	60

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Program Information

<p>Requirements for admission to early childhood (EC) degree program. Include admission requirements</p>	<p>Background check, central registry clearance and attend orientation.</p> <p>Baker admission:</p> <p>Admission Policy Statement--</p> <p>Baker College is committed to providing accessible higher education, which means the following: 1. All students who have earned a high school diploma or its equivalent, such as a General Education Development (GED) certificate, along with minimum assessment verification from one or more of the following: high school transcripts, ACT, SAT, ASSET, COMPASS, FASTRACK or waiver tests, are accepted. High school certificates of completion are not equivalent to a high school diploma. 2. Baker College admits students without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, veteran status, marital status, genetic information, sexual orientation, gender identity, pregnancy, or other protected characteristics. 3. Baker College provides students with support systems to allow them opportunities for access. Disability services is one of many programs provided through the academic advising department to support people with disabilities. Students must provide the College with documentation in order to participate in disability services. 4. Baker College does not require either the ACT or SAT as a condition of admission; however, if a student chooses to take either or both tests, we encourage him/her to request that the test results be sent to the Baker College campus of his/her choice. NOTE: ACT and SAT test scores are valid for two years. 5. Students whose native language is not English are strongly encouraged to demonstrate competency in the English language by submitting official documentation</p>
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	<p>such as the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) score. 6. Baker College reserves the right to deny admission to any potential student who may be disruptive to the educational environment of the College. 7. Any student found to have falsified information on an admissions document will be denied admission to the College or expelled if already in attendance. (<i>Baker College Student Handbook: Policies & Procedures Guide, 2017-2018</i>)</p> <p>How to Apply for Admission--</p> <p>1. Enrollment applications may be obtained/submitted through the following means:: a. Online – baker.edu/apply b. On campus – Students are encouraged to make an appointment to speak with a Baker College admissions advisor who will assist in the enrollment process. c. High school counseling department – Baker College works closely with high school counselors by supplying them with catalogs and applications. It is highly recommended that students take advantage of their high school counselor’s expertise and assistance in completing the forms for admission, financial aid, and scholarships. 2. Prospective students must fill out the enrollment application as completely as possible and submit the application along with the \$30 application fee to the Baker College campus the student wishes to attend. Prospective students will be contacted by the admissions office as soon as the application is received. 3. Whenever possible, a copy of the prospective student’s final high school transcript, ACT or SAT scores, or GED should accompany the application. 4. All supporting documents, including transcripts, should be sent to the Baker College Enrollment Center, 1116 W. Bristol Rd., Flint, MI 48507 (<i>Baker College Student Handbook: Policies & Procedures Guide, 2017-2018</i>)</p>
Requirements to enroll in EC classes. List any special prerequisites	Must fill out student elected class form.
Number of courses focused on birth-to-three intervention?	2
Number of courses focused on early childhood special	1

education?	
Average # of EC courses offered each term	4-7
Average # of EC courses offered online each term	Varies each term
Average # of EC courses offered in summer term	3
Average # of courses offered in Spanish each term	0
Average # of EC courses offered per Term (not summer) at night	4-7
Average # of EC courses offered per term (not summer) on Saturday	0
Average # of EC students per advisor.	Varies per campus
# total T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® BA Scholarships in Fiscal Year (FY) 2019-20	40
Campuses with EC courses (number and location)	Cadillac, Muskegon, Owosso
Tuition cost per credit hour offered for on-campus, seated courses in FY 2020-21	\$415
Fees for on-campus, seated courses in FY 2020-21	None
Tuition cost per credit hour offered for online/distance learning courses in FY 2020-21	N/A
Fees for online/distance learning courses offered in FY 2020-21	N/A
List all 2-year schools with whom EC articulation agreements are in place	None
Provide link or text which describes student degree transfer policy (from 2-year institutions to this university)	<p>Transfer of Credit Policies--</p> <p>Baker College welcomes transfer students into many degree programs at either the associate or bachelor level. Students with associate degrees will be given every consideration to transfer their full associate degrees (two years of credits) into one of Baker College's programs. However, transfer students are responsible for the prerequisite knowledge necessary for subsequent courses. With our many bachelor and accelerated bachelor programs, students can enter bachelor degree programs with the same majors as their associate degree or begin different majors and have transfer credits apply to their programs. A transfer student could receive freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior status, although more than one or two academic years may be necessary to complete all requirements of the degree. Courses with a grade of C (2.0) or higher will be eligible for transfer credit except for specific program standards. Refer to</p>

	<p>individual program requirements. Courses with a D- (0.7) grade will be considered if the D-grade falls in a course sequence in which the last grade in the sequence was a grade of a C or better. Transfer students need to be aware that length of time since the course was taken may be a factor in transferability. Credits will be accepted from regionally accredited institutions, degreegranting nationally accredited institutions, and the United States Armed Forces. For a previously earned undergraduate degree from a regionally accredited institution, the general education course requirements for either the associate or the bachelor degree — depending on the transferred degree level — are considered satisfied. Specific program requirements and/or program accreditation standards may impose limitations or additional requirements. To transfer a course, the course must equate in content and semester hours to a Baker College course. Credits for armed forces or workforce training must be equated to Baker College courses and documented by the American Council on Education (ACE). Transfer credits accepted must be at the college level. Baker College adheres to the Michigan Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers' (MACRAO) official transcript policy. The MACRAO policy is one in which all Michigan colleges agree not to issue an official transcripts directly to students. Official transcripts must be sent directly to the intended institutions either through the U.S. Postal Service or an approved electronic format. To obtain transfer credits, official transcripts from previous colleges must be submitted to our campuses' admissions offices. Transcripts will be considered official only when received directly from the institutions through the U.S. Postal Service or electronically from the institutions or third-party vendors. In some circumstances, students will be responsible for producing documentation, including, but not limited to, catalogs, course descriptions, and syllabi. (<i>Baker College Student Handbook: Policies & Procedures Guide, 2017-2018</i>)</p>
Average # of EC courses offered per Term in accelerated	None

format (courses offered in 6 to 8 weeks)	
Provide # of degrees awarded by type in FY 2018-2019	45% AAS ECE 45%BS/BEC ECE
Immigration status verified for admission	Yes

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Name of Key Contact in Department: Varies by campus	Email Address for Key Contact: Please refer to specific campus websites identified on the Baker College homepage.

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Immigration status verified for admission	Yes

