

Degree Information	General Requirements
Catalog Year: 2026 - 2027	Req GPA: 2.0
Plan: Education Studies AS	Req Residential Credits: 30
Sub Plan: PreK - 12th Grade Special Education	Req Pathways Credits: 30
Required Credits: 60	Req Civic Engagement: 1
	Req Writing Intensive: 1

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Session A	Session A	Session A	Session A
COURSE	COURSE	COURSE	COURSE
CRS	CRS	CRS	CRS
ENG 1200 ¹	EDC 2500 (Major Gateway course) (NEED MIN. GRADE C)	EDC 3100* (NEED MIN. GRADE C) (Corequisite with EDC 4200)	EDC 90A4* (2.80 GPA Required)
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EDC 200 (Major Gateway course) (NEED MIN. GRADE C)	EDC 5000 (Major Gateway course) (NEED MIN. GRADE C)	EDC 4200* (NEED MIN. GRADE C) (Corequisite with EDC 3100)	EDC 2200 (Major Gateway course) (NEED MIN. GRADE C)
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MATH & QUANTITATIVE REASONING ¹	Choose 1: Flexible Core: Group A - E (Recommended: World Language II)	EDC 5100 (NEED MIN. GRADE C)	EDC 2400 (NEED MIN. GRADE C)
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Choose 1: Flexible Core A: World Cultures & Global Issues (Recommended: World Language I)	LIFE & PHYSICAL SCIENCES ²	Choose1: Flexible Core C: Creative Expression (Recommended: SPE 2100)	EDC 5200 (NEED MIN. GRADE C)
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Session B	Session B	Session B	Session B
COURSE	COURSE	COURSE	COURSE
CRS	CRS	CRS	CRS
Choose 1: Flexible Core E: Scientific World (Recommended: PSY 1100)	ENG 2400 ¹	Choose 1: Flexible Core D: Individual and Society	
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	Choose 1: Flexible Core B: U.S. Experience in its Diversity		
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NOTE: The term-by-term course sequence takes into account necessary Prerequisites, Corequisite, and Pre-/Co-requisites			
NOTE: Select ONE (1) WRITING INTENSIVE course & ONE (1) CIVIC ENGAGEMENT course. Some courses meet BOTH requirements, see CUNYfirst to determine course status			
SEMESTER CRS: 15	SEMESTER CRS: 18	SEMESTER CRS: 15	SEMESTER CRS: 12

CAREER AND TRANSFER MILESTONES

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CAREER & TRANSFER EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES	CAREER & TRANSFER EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES	CAREER & TRANSFER EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES	CAREER & TRANSFER EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES
Done	Done	Done	Done
Claim your Handshake Account (Kingsborough)	Create your LinkedIn profile	Attend a Professional/Networking Event Outside of KCC	Attend a Professional/Networking Event Outside of KCC
Join the Education Student Club, to build your network and skills.	Attend a Professional/Networking Event Outside of KCC	Explore Internship Opportunities through CUNY Career Launch or through the Career Center.	
Draft a Basic Resume with assistance from the Career Center.	Career Planning - Research and Join Professional Organization [Student Membership]	Planning for References (Job & Transfer) - Secure a EDC Faculty Mentor(s) who are aware of your interests, abilities, skills and work habits.	Re-polish resume, secure references, finalize teaching portfolio to send out to possible employers.
Research and explore desired career pathway via career coach. Including researching Baccalaureate Programs and Complete a Transfer Plan.	Draft a Basic Cover Letter with assistance from the Career Center.	Find a Mentor to Check in with Periodically: Establish a relationship with someone who can provide guidance and advice related to your career goals.	Attend museums, early childhood fairs and professional development trainings.
Meet with Education Program's Academic Career Coach on degree map and schedule planning.	Work with Education Program's Academic Career Coach to plan for fieldwork and internship interviews and opportunities.	Strengthen your digital teaching portfolio with career-related experiences, transferable skills, and educational technology tools used in teaching and student engagement.	Take advantage of events offered by campus Career and Professional Development offices to perfect your job search and sharpen your interview and employability skills. Update your LinkedIn profile and resume with new certifications, experiences, and skills.
Explore the Junior Achievement Teach for a Day Program.	Create a NYSED Teach Account/Develop a Teaching Portfolio and begin collecting samples of career-related work and skills.	Begin to share interest with school leaders and cooperating teacher if you would like to be a part of their school community.	Complete required certification workshops (DASA, School Violence Prevention, CPR)
	Engage in a career-related experience such as Junior Achievement Teach for a Day Program, to build professional skills.	Explore NYC Men Teach at KBCC.	Work closely with a lead teacher in your preferred grade to understand individual students' needs. Sharpen Soft Skills through continue fieldwork (internship).
Review proactive steps for early planning includes: NYSED Teach account and required certifications/trainings.	Get fingerprinted by the NYCDOE in preparation to ensure eligibility for fieldwork placements and professional settings.	Participate in Education Club and/or student organizations to practice Soft Skills.	Demonstrate leadership and professional engagement through continued involvement in Education Student Club or education-related activities. Check with the club during the semester for activities.
Participate in an Education Student Club activity to explore teaching careers and connect with peers. Check with the club during the semester for activities.	Complete Child Abuse Prevention & Intervention training.	Begin to share interest with school leaders and cooperating teacher if you would like to be a part of their school community.	Accept your offer to Enroll in a Baccalaureate program.
	Review and engage with the in-demand skills includes: behavioral and classroom management, data-driven instruction, culturally-responsive & sustaining pedagogy.	Start the transfer process to a Baccalaureate program.	Complete CUNY Cap and Gown Survey
	Attend Transfer Events.		

NOTE: Explore the highlighted Milestones by following the link to the Career-Infused Degree Map web page or relevant linked page

Important Notes:

*Fieldwork Course: NYCDOE fingerprinting/background clearance required

¹ Brooklyn College ECAE Department requires Kingsborough graduates to demonstrate a minimum grade of "C"

² Brooklyn College CBSE accepts EPS courses to fulfill the Life and Physical Sciences requirement.

The Education Studies, AS degree is a jointly registered dual enrollment program with Brooklyn College's B.A. in Early Childhood and Art Education (ECAE) and Childhood Bilingual and Special Education (CBSE). Brooklyn College Education Departments require Kingsborough graduates to demonstrate a minimum GPA of 2.80 for acceptance into their respective programs.