



The Early College Inclusive Early Childhood Education Pathway facilitates the development of knowledge and skills related to working with young children who have special needs. Coursework emphasizes the theoretical and practical exploration of typical and atypical child development, as well as methods for supporting children and families through the stages of child development. Strategies for professional communication with coworkers and families are also a focus.

This pathway may lead to programs in a variety of majors at UMaine Machias, including:

- B.S. in Education with concentrations in:
 - Elementary Education
 - Secondary Education
 - Special Education
 - Inclusive Early Childhood Education
- Minors in:
 - Coaching
 - Secondary Education

Completion of these programs allows students to pursue careers in the following fields:

- Activity/recreation director
- Case/care manager
- Educator in primary and secondary schools
- Family resource coordinator
- Family support professional/advocate
- Government official
- Negotiator/mediator
- Non-profit organization director
- Preschool teacher
- Sports administrator
- Youth counselor

Delivery: Hybrid or 100% online
Credits: 15

Pathway Requirements:

- PSY 110: Introduction to Psychology
- EDU 341: Infant Toddler Development*
- PSY 201: Developmental Psychology
- EDU 345: Special Education in Early Childhood*
- SED 202: Communication and Collaboration in Special Education

**Courses marked with an asterisk are offered online through UMPI.*



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