

## EARLY CHILDHOOD CERTIFICATE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

	Summer	Fall	Spring
<b>Year I</b>	<p><b>EDU 630</b> An Introduction to Waldorf Human Development: Birth to 21 –2 credits</p> <p><b>EDU 645</b> Essentials of a Waldorf Kindergarten– 2 credits</p> <p><b>EDU 632</b> The Basics: Artistic Work in the Waldorf Schools I – 2 credits</p> <p><b>Practical Arts Saturdays</b> Process over Product: Wool; Will-Based, Work-Based Education: Farm/Garden</p>	<p><b>EDU 700</b> Diversity Among Learners: The Development of Human Consciousness</p> <p>EARLY CHILDHOOD Fall Retreat: Learning in Early Childhood &amp; How We Shape Children and their Futures - 3 credits</p> <p><b>GLWI Field Work I:</b> 15 hours of classroom observation in a variety of grades, schools and classes (Early Childhood - High School) - 1 unit</p>	<p><b>GLWI Foundations:</b> Contemplative Practice: Beginning a Path of Transformation – 3 units</p>
<b>Year II</b>	<p><b>EDU 633</b> The Inner Life of the Waldorf Teacher and Biography – 2 credits</p> <p><b>EDU 646</b> How Waldorf Education Meets the Needs of the Young Child - 2 credits</p> <p><b>EDU 640</b> Bringing Form: Artistic Work in the Waldorf School II – 2 credits</p> <p><b>Practical Arts Saturdays</b> Spoon Carving</p>	<p><b>EDU 740</b> Curriculum Design</p> <p>EARLY CHILDHOOD Fall Retreat: Waldorf Early Childhood Program Design - Rhythm in the Day, Week and Seasons - 3 credits</p> <p><b>GLWI Field Work II:</b> 30 hours classroom observation and practice teaching - 2 units</p>	<p><b>GLWI Foundations:</b> Transformational Thinking: A New Look at “Looking”—3 units</p>
<b>Year III</b>	<p><b>EDU 641</b> Child Development and Child Study – 2 credits</p> <p><b>EDU 647</b> Deepening Our Work &amp; Preparing Children for First Grade – 2 credits</p> <p><b>EDU 643</b> Representing Life: Artistic Work in the Waldorf School III – 2 credits</p> <p><b>Practical Arts Saturdays</b> Nutrition and Food Preparation; Doll Making</p>	<p><b>EDU 742</b> Instructional Strategies</p> <p>EARLY CHILDHOOD Fall Retreat: Body Geography - Creating the Inner Map for Self-directed Movement – 3 credits</p> <p><b>GLWI Teaching Practicum &amp; Capstone Project:</b> Two 4-week Blocks - 4 units</p>	<p><b>GLWI Foundations:</b> Social Artistry: Building the Vessel of Relationship -3 units</p>

Students may obtain a [Master of Arts Degree in Education](#) with 9 additional credits from Mount Mary University, including a Master’s Action Research paper.