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See [http://www.uaf.edu/ualgov/faculty/cd](http://www.uaf.edu/ualgov/faculty/cd) for a complete description of the rules governing curriculum & course changes.

PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION:

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<th>Degree Program</th>
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A. CHANGE IN DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:  (Brief statement of program/degree changes and objectives)

The ECE 245 course is no longer current and is being dropped. It has been replaced with 6 credits on development.

The ECE program changes have previously been approved to use the newer courses, and are in the current catalog on pages 112, but the general AAS requirements have not been updated.

The ECE students are covered by the last statement, but we would like others to be able to use the newer courses too, if they want to choose them.

B. CURRENT REQUIREMENTS AS IT APPEARS IN THE CATALOG:

Human Relations (3 credits)

Complete one of the following:

- ANTH F100X/SOC F100X--Individual, Society and Culture (3)
- ABUS F154--Human Relations (3)
- ANL F287--Teaching Methods for Alaska Native Languages (3)
- ECE F245--Child Development (3)
- ED/PSY F245--Childhood Development (3)
- HUMS F120--Cultural Diversity in Human Services (3)
- RHS F110--Cross-Cultural Bridging Skills (1) AND RHS F115--Issues of Personal Development (2)
- HLTH F106--Human Behavior in Health Care (3)
- other program-approved discipline-based human relations course or discipline-based courses with embedded human relations content. (3)

C. PROPOSED REQUIREMENTS AS IT WILL APPEAR IN THE CATALOG WITH THESE CHANGES:  
(Underline new wording strike-through-old-wording and use complete catalog format)
Human Relations (3 credits)

Complete one of the following:

- ANTH F100X/SOC F100X--Individual, Society and Culture (3)
- ABUS F154--Human Relations (3)
- ANL F287--Teaching Methods for Alaska Native Languages (3)
- ECE F245--Child Development (3)
- ECE 104 Child Development: Prenatal, Infants & Toddlers (s) (3)
- ECE F107 Child Development II: The Preschool and Primary Years (s) (3)
- ED/PSY F245--Childhood Development (3)
- HUMS F120--Cultural Diversity in Human Services (3)
- RHS F110--Cross-Cultural Bridging Skills (1) AND RHS F115--Issues of Personal Development (2)
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D. ESTIMATED IMPACT

WHAT IMPACT, IF ANY, WILL THIS HAVE ON BUDGET, FACILITIES/SPACE, FACULTY, ETC.

No impact

E. IMPACTS ON PROGRAMS/DEPTS:

What programs/departments will be affected by this proposed action? Include information on the Programs/Departments contacted (e.g., email, memo)

Broadens the choices for students. Keeps students from being frustrated waiting for a course that is no longer offered.

The Early Childhood Education and Child Development and Family Studies faculty unanimously agreed with this change.
F. IF MAJOR CHANGE - ASSESSMENT OF THE PROGRAM:

Description of the student learning outcomes assessment process.)

Since this is not a course or ECE program change, we do not have an answer for this.

JUSTIFICATION FOR ACTION REQUESTED

The purpose of the department and campus-wide curriculum committees is to scrutinize program/degree change applications to make sure that the quality of UAF education is not lowered as a result of the proposed change. Please address this in your response. This section needs to be self-explanatory. If you drop a course, is it because the material is covered elsewhere? Use as much space as needed to fully justify the proposed change and explain what has been done to ensure that the quality of the program is not compromised as a result.

We have come across a few students who want to apply the Ed or Psych 245 course instead of the ECE 104 and 107 courses. By changing this wording, it will eliminate potential advising and planning problems.

APPROVALS:

[Signatures and dates]

Signature, Chair, Program/Department of: [Signature, Date]

Signature, Chair, College/School Curriculum Council for: [Signature, Date]

Signature, Dean, College/School of: [Signature, Date]

ALL SIGNATURES MUST BE OBTAINED PRIOR TO SUBMISSION TO THE GOVERNANCE OFFICE

[Signature, Date]

Signature, Chair, UAF Faculty Senate Curriculum Review Committee