

CHILD ADVOCACY AND POLICY MAJOR (B.A.)

120 credits of coursework is required for the baccalaureate degree with a minimum 2.0 overall GPA, and a minimum 2.0 major GPA.

Program Requirements Overview

Code	Title	Credits
	General Education Requirements	42
	World Languages and Cultures Requirements	3-9
	Major Requirements	39
	Free Electives	36-30
	Total Credits	120

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
CHAD 100	Introduction to Child Advocacy	3
CHAD 200	Ecological Systems of the Developing Child	3
CHAD 201	Literacy in Child Advocacy and Policy	3
CHAD 202	Cultural Competencies in Child Welfare	3
CHAD 210	Child Abuse and Neglect	3
CHAD 212	Children and Justice	3
CHAD 300	Forensic Interviewing of Children	3
CHAD 302	Public Child Welfare	3
CHAD 310	Child Welfare Research and Evaluation	3
CHAD 330	Problems of Childhood: Advocacy and Intervention	3
CHAD 420	Practicum in Child Advocacy	3
CHAD 470	Senior Seminar in Child Advocacy	3
Elective		
	Select one of the following:	3
CHAD 312	Fatherhood	
CHAD 320	Children and the Law	
CHAD 340	Current Social Issues in Child Advocacy	
JURI 210	Perspectives on Law	
LAWS 302	Legal Research	
POLS 205	Introduction to Public Administration	
POLS 304	State and Local Government	
POLS 310	Public Personnel Administration	
	Total Credits	39

General Education Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill General Education categories. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/undergraduate-graduate-degree-requirements/general-ed-ba-bs/>)

Code	Title	Credits
A. New Student Seminar		
	Complete a 1 credit New Student Seminar	1
C. Communication		
	1. Writing	3
	2. Literature	3

	3. Communication	3
D. Fine and Performing Arts		
	Complete a 3 credit Fine and Performing Arts course.	3
F. Humanities		
	1. Great Works and Their Influences	3
	2. Philosophical and Religious Perspectives	3
G. Computer Science		
	Complete a 3 credit Computer Science course.	3
H. Mathematics		
	Complete a 3 credit Mathematics course.	3
I. Natural Science Laboratory		
	Complete a 4 credit Natural Science Laboratory course.	4
J. Physical Education		
	Complete a 1 credit Physical Education course.	1
K. Social Science		
	1. American and European History	3
	2. Global Cultural Perspectives	3
	3. Social Science Perspectives	3
L. Interdisciplinary Studies		
	Complete a 3 credit Interdisciplinary Studies course.	3
	Total Credits	42

World Languages and Cultures Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill World Languages and Cultures categories. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/undergraduate-graduate-degree-requirements/world-languages-cultures-requirement/>)

Code	Title	Credits
World Languages		
	Based on language placement exam, complete one or two sequential courses in the same language.	3-6
World Cultures		
	Requirement may be fulfilled by course selected in General Education - Social Science: Global Cultural Perspectives.	0-3
	Total Credits	3-9

Recommended Roadmap to Degree Completion

This recommended four-year plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their degree requirements within four years. This plan is a recommendation and students should only use it in consultation with their academic advisor.

Course	Title	Credits
First Year		
Fall		
GENERAL EDUCATION: (A) New Student Seminar		
GNED 199	New Student Seminar	1
GENERAL EDUCATION: (C1) Writing		
WRIT 105	College Writing I	3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (C3) Communication		

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CMST 101	Fundamenta of Speech: Communicat Requirement	3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (D) Fine and Performing Arts		3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (K2) Social Science – Global Cultural Perspectives		3
CHAD 100	Introduction to Child Advocacy	3
Credits		16

Spring

GENERAL EDUCATION: (C2) Literature		
WRIT 106	College Writing II	3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (K1) Social Science – American and European History		3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (F1) Humanities – Great Works and Their Influences		3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (H) Mathematics		3
CHAD 201	Literacy in Child Advocacy and Policy	3
Credits		15

Second Year

Fall

GENERAL EDUCATION: (F2) Humanities – Philosophical and Religious Perspectives		3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (G) Computer Science		3
World Language I		3
CHAD 200	Ecological Systems of the Developing Child	3
CHAD 210	Child Abuse and Neglect	3
Credits		15

Spring

GENERAL EDUCATION: (I) Natural Science Laboratory		4
World Language II		3
World Cultures		3
CHAD 202	Cultural Competencies in Child Welfare	3
Free Elective		3
Credits		16

Third Year

Fall

GENERAL EDUCATION: (L) Interdisciplinary Studies		3
CHAD 212	Children and Justice	3
CHAD 300	Forensic Interviewing of Children	3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Credits		15

Spring

CHAD 302	Public Child Welfare	3
CHAD 320	Children and the Law	3
CHAD Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Credits		15

Fourth Year

Fall

CHAD 310	Child Welfare Research and Evaluation	3
CHAD 420	Practicum in Child Advocacy	3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Credits		15

Spring

GENERAL EDUCATION: (J) Physical Education		1
CHAD 470	Senior Seminar in Child Advocacy	3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Credits		13
Total		120
Credits		