

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN TEACHING
TO A
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SECONDARY EDUCATION



UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI – ST. LOUIS &
ST. LOUIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE
TRANSFER GUIDE



This Guide is intended for the use of students who plan on transferring from St. Louis Community College (STLCC) with a completed Associate of Arts in Teaching to the University of Missouri – St. Louis (UMSL) to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Education: Secondary Education (9-12).

For more information on UMSL's Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education, please visit our online Course Catalog.

The following are the requirements of the STLCC Associate of Arts in Teaching degree program as they are recommended for students intending to continue on into UMSL's Bachelor of Science in Education: Secondary Education (9-12). Completing these requirements as they are recommended here will maximize the transferability of a student's coursework toward their UMSL Bachelor's degree. Further details of this Associates degree program, as well as comprehensive lists of courses that satisfy each General Education component, may be found within the STLCC course catalog or may be obtained through a STLCC advisor.

Due to course requirements for professional licensing, CORE 42 is not the suggested route for transfer for those seeking a Bachelor of Science in Education: Secondary Education (9-12) degree from UMSL. Students may opt for CORE 42, but additional general education courses may be needed due to DESE requirements.

All Secondary Education majors at UMSL must choose an emphasis area. Options include: Biology, Chemistry, English, Foreign Language, Math, Physics, and Social Studies. Each area requires additional hours in the concentration. These content hours vary by concentration. It is possible that some content courses will fulfill general education requirements. Please consult an UMSL advisor for more information.

General Education

- ENG 101 College Composition I (MOTR ENGL 100) (3)
- ENG 102 College Composition II (MOTR ENGL 200) (3)
- Complete 1 of the following courses:
 - COM 101 Oral Communication I (MOTR COMM 100) (3)
 - COM 107 Public Speaking (MOTR COMM 110) (3)
- MTH 160 Precalculus Algebra (MOTR MATH 130) **or** MTH 161 Quantitative Reasoning (MOTR MATH 120). Students seeking certification in STEM areas of concentration should take MTH 185 Precalculus (MOTR MATH 150) (5)
- PSC 101 Intro to American Politics (MOTR POSC 101) (3)
- HST 101 US History to 1865 (MOTR HIST 101) (3) **or** HST 102 US History 1865-Present (MOTR HIST 102)(3)
- PSY 200 General Psychology (MOTR PSYC 100) (3)
- EDU 228 Multicultural Education
- Complete 2 additional Humanities and Fine Arts courses (see MOTR list for options)

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Secondary Education Pathway

- Natural Science Core 42 course (3) (Students interested in STEM areas of concentration should take additional lab)
- Natural Science Core 42 course with laboratory (4-5)
- Core 42 elective, per concentration area

Program Requirements

- EDU 210 Teaching Profession/with Field Experience (3)
- EDU 211 Foundations of Education in a Diverse Society (3)
- EDU 218 Educational Technology (3)
- EDU 227 Educational Psychology (3)
- EDU 205 Human Growth and Development (3)

Education Electives

- EDU 219 Education of Exceptional Learners (3)
- Concentration area elective (3)

Teacher Education Requirements

All Teacher Education students must meet the following requirements to be fully accepted into the Teacher Education Program and take junior level course work.

- A Cumulative College GPA of 2.75 or higher
- An Education GPA of 3.0 or higher
- A Content Area (Middle School and Secondary) GPA of 3.0 or higher
- A score of 220 or higher on all four sections of the MoGEA assessment exam
- Family Care Safety Registry* background check and a TB Test
- Completion of all Level I course requirements

Students that plan to transfer to UMSL to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Education but do not wish to complete an Associate's degree at STLCC should contact an UMSL advisor.