ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN TEACHING TO A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

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

It is highly recommended that prospective University of Missouri – St. Louis (UMSL) students attending St. Charles Community College (SCC) who plan to pursue a Teacher Education degree and Certification to teach in the state of Missouri complete the Associate of Arts in Teaching at SCC before transferring. For recommendations on specific courses to take within the Associate of Arts in Teaching program, please contact the UMSL @ SCC advisors at 636.936.8675.

The Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education requires an additional certification in Early Childhood Special Education.

This guide is intended for use under advisement of a SCC Academic Advisor or UMSL Transfer Specialist and is not considered to be substitution of such advisement.

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 completed Missouri Educator Profile (MEP)
- 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

GENERAL EDUCATION
Communications 9 Hours
- ENG 101 English Composition I (3)
- ENG 102 English Composition II (3)
- SPE 101 Oral Communication or SPE 102 Public Speaking (3)

SOCIAL SCIENCES 9 Hours
- PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology (3)
- HIS 102 US History Since 1877 (3)
- POL 101 American Government (3)

Please note: PSY 201 Child Psychology or PSY 210 Human Growth and Development must be completed to enter UMSL's Teacher Education Program.

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HUMANITIES 6 Hours
Choose one of the following courses:
- LIT 210 American Literature from 1620-1865 (3)
- LIT 220 American Lit from 1865-present (3)
- 271 Literature in Contemporary Cultures (3)
Choose one of the following courses:

MULTICULTURAL One course required
- ECO 100 Survey of Economics

MATHEMATICS One course required
- MAT 156 College Algebra-Educators

NATURAL SCIENCE Choose one option
Option 1:
- BIO 105 Essentials of Biology
- CHM 115 General Chemistry I
- PHY 111 Intro to Physical Science
Option 2: (PREFERRED OPTION FOR UMSL)
Must take two lab courses
- BIO 105/106 Essentials of Biology w/lab
- CHM 101/103 Intro to Chemistry w/lab
- PHY 111/113 Intro to Physical Science w/lab
(TOTAL GENERAL EDUCATION BLOCK 42 Hours)

MAJOR FIELD REQUIREMENTS- 13 Hours
All EDU courses must be completed with a “C” or higher and a cumulative gpa of 3.0
- EDU 212 Foundations of Education in a Diverse Society
- EDU 222 Educational Technology
- EDU 240 Education Psychology
- EDU 285 Teaching Profession with Field Experience
- EDU 290 Portfolio Assessment in Education*
*All sections of MOGEA must be passed prior to enrolling in EDU 290

EDUCATION ELECTIVES 9 Hours
- EDU 242 Art for Children
- EDU 246 Music for Children
- EDU 250 Education of the Exceptional Learner (recommended course)
- EDU 201 Cognitive Activities and STEM for Young Children
- EDU 204 Principles of Early Childhood Curriculm
- EDU 205 Children, Families, and Communities

Total Degree Hours 64 Hours

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