



Option 2 Associate in Arts in Elementary Teacher Education for Transfer

Program code: sac.edupp.aa

The Associate in Arts in Elementary Teacher Education for Transfer (A.A.-T) prepares students to transfer into the CSU system to complete a baccalaureate degree in Liberal Studies and into a multiple subject teaching credential program. Please consult a counselor regarding specific course requirements for your transfer institution. Completion of the A.A.-T degree also provides guaranteed admission with junior status to the CSU system, along with priority admission to the local CSU, Fullerton, in the Liberal Studies major. **See page 31 for a list of additional requirements for all Associate in Arts for Transfer (A.A.-T) and Associate in Science for Transfer (A.S.-T) degrees.** Upon completion of the A.A.-T in Elementary Teacher Education, students will have a strong foundation in introductory content area subject matter requirements for teaching at the elementary school level. Students will also have the opportunity to participate in supervised fieldwork in K-12 settings.

Learning Outcome(s):

1. Students will demonstrate a knowledge base of theory specific to childhood (1st-6th grade) education.
2. Students will apply the knowledge base of theory to practice through thoughtful reflections on classroom observations.
3. Students will understand and be conversant about the main philosophical and sociological ideas and trends that have influenced education as well as be able to analyze their application and importance for teaching today.

Required Core:

Course	Units
Earth Science 115, Earth Science for Educators	4
Communication Studies 102, Public Speaking	3
English 101, Freshman Composition — OR — English 101H, Honors Freshman Composition	4
Chemistry 115, Concepts in Physical Science for Educators — OR — Physical Science 115, Concepts in Physical Science for Educators	4
Biology 115, Concepts in Biology for Educators (4) — OR — Biology 109, Fundamentals of Biology (3) — OR — Biology 109H, Honors Fundamentals of Biology (3) — AND — Biology 109L, Fundamentals of Biology Lab	3-4
Mathematics 204, Mathematical Concepts for Elementary School Teachers	4
History 101, World Civilizations to the 16th Century — OR — History 101H, Honors World Civilizations to the 16th Century	3
English 102, Literature and Composition — OR — English 102H, Honors Literature and Composition	4

Geography 100, World Regional Geography — OR — Geography 100H, Honors World Regional Geography	3
Political Science 101, Introduction to American Government — OR — Political Science 101H, Honors Introduction to American Government	3
History 120, The United States to 1865 — OR — History 120H, Honors The United States to 1865	3
Child Development 107, Child Growth and Development — OR — Psychology 157, Introduction to Child Psychology	3
List A - Select ONE of the Following: English 103, Critical Thinking and Writing (4) — OR — English 103H, Honors Critical Thinking and Writing (4) Philosophy 110, Critical Thinking (4) — OR — Philosophy 110H, Honors Critical Thinking (4)	4
List B - Select ONE of the Following: Art 100, Introduction to Art Concepts (3) — OR — Art 100H, Introduction to Art Concepts (3) Dance 100, Dance History and Appreciation (3) — OR — Dance 100H, Dance History and Appreciation (3) Dance 102, Introduction to Dance Forms (3) Music 101, Music Appreciation (3) — OR — Music 101H, Music Appreciation (3) Theater Arts 100, Introduction to Theater (3)	3
List C - Up to 12 units including any course(s) not 12 selected above: English 104, Language and Culture (3) — OR — English 104H, Honors Language and Culture (3) — OR — Anthropology 104, Language and Culture (3) — OR — Anthropology 104H, Honors Language and Culture(3) English 270, Children's Literature (3) English 231, Survey of English Literature (3) English 232, Survey of English Literature (3) English 241, Survey of American Literature 1600-1865 (3) English 242, Survey of American Literature 1865-Present (3) English 271, Survey of World Literature (3) English 272, Survey of World Literature (3) Ethnic Studies 101, Introduction to Ethnic Studies (3) — OR — Ethnic Studies 101H, Honors Introduction to Ethnic Studies (3) Mathematics 105, Math for Liberal Arts Students (3) Philosophy 106, Introduction to Philosophy (3)	12

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Philosophy 106H, Honors Introduction to Philosophy (3)

Philosophy 108, Ethics (3)

Philosophy 112, World Religions (3)

Child Development 205/Edu 203, Introduction to Children with Special Needs (3)

Education 204, Personal Proficiency in Educational Technology for Secondary Teachers (3)

Education 205, Personal Proficiency in Educational Technology for Elementary Teachers (3)

Geography 102, Cultural Geography (3)

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Geography 102H, Honors Cultural Geography (3)

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