



Associate of Arts in Teaching (AAT) Program Plan for
SPECIAL EDUCATION
With
EAST CENTRAL COLLEGE

In order to ensure a smooth transition to Missouri State, students must include courses listed below while completing your Associate of Arts in Teaching degree. **Failure to complete the AAT in its entirety will result in additional coursework and will likely delay graduation.** In addition to admission into Missouri State, you'll also need to be admitted into the Teacher Education Program. Admission to Teacher Education occurs upon completion of the following:

• Community College equivalent to COM 115 and SPE310 with a grade of C or better.	
• EDC 150 with a grade of C or better	• 2.50 Combined Cumulative GPA
• Highway Patrol Background Check	• ACT score (if required by DESE)
• Portfolio Checkpoint #1 at Missouri State	
• Score of 265 or higher on all areas of the C-Base Exam (note: Higher than 235 required by the State of Missouri)	

Transfer students should see an advisor at Missouri State prior to admission for assistance with this process. If you have further questions about this program, please refer to the Professional Education Advisement Center website at:

http://education.missouristate.edu/services/Advise/default.htm	Phone: 417-836-5429
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Information on all Major and Minors programs can be found at: <http://www.missouristate.edu/majors>

General Education Coursework Required in the AAT

Community College Equivalent		Missouri State University Requirement	
Basic Required Courses (11-12)	Hours		Hours
EN1223	3	ENG110	3
EN1333	3	GEP5 (sub for writing II)	3
CT1103	3	COM115*	3
PE1081	1	PED100	2
Social/Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)	Hours		Hours
HI1103 or HI1203	3	HST121 or HST122	3
PS1203	3	PLS101	3
PY2403	3	PEU5 (sub or PSY385)***	(3)
Humanities (9 hours)	Hours		Hours
EN2033	3	ENG334	3
Two Additional Humanities	6	Two Additional Humanities	6
Mathematics/Info MGT (6 hours)	Hours		Hours
MT1323	3	MTH130	3
ED2003 Technology for Teachers	3	PEU3 (sub for IMT365)*	3
Biological/Physical Science (8 hours)	Hours		Hours
BIO1303 and BIO1312	(3/2)	BIO102	5
Choose Any (not BIO)	3	Science Course	3

TOTAL HOURS	42	TOTAL HOURS	42
Additional Requirement for AAT Degree			
PY1103 (prereq for PY2403)	3	PSY121	3
TOTAL HOURS	3	TOTAL HOURS	3
Program Specific Courses (12 hours)			
ED2033 Foundations in Education	3	PEU10 (sub for EDC350)*	3
ED2211 or ED2451	1	EDU000***	(1)
ED2123 Teaching Professions with Field Experience**	3	PEU15 (sub for Beginning Teaching Methods with Field Experience)***	(3)
ED2413 Educational Psychology	3	PEU6 (sub for PSY360)	3
TOTAL HOURS	10	TOTAL HOURS	10
Additional Electives (8 hours)			
Choose 3 of the following (all required at Missouri State):			
EC2103	3	ECO155	3
GE1003	3	GRY100	3
MT1313	3	PEU8 (sub for MTH320)	3
TOTAL HOURS	9	TOTAL HOURS	9
Total Hours for AAT	64	Total Hours	65

Total Hours Applied Toward Degree Program: 58

* Grade of C or Higher Required in this course
**It is recommended that students take the C-BASE exam while enrolled in this course. If all components are not passed with a score of 265 or higher, students will need to retake failed components in order to continue beyond Missouri State's ELE 302. All components of the C-BASE must be passed within a two-year time limit if any score is below a 235.
***Because Missouri State does not utilize this course as part of it's program, this course will be counted as elective credit, and will not be applied toward a degree program requirement.

Potential transfer students should apply for Admission early in the semester prior to transfer in order to allow for early registration. For more information on the application process, please contact the Admissions Office at:

<http://www.missouristate.edu/futurestudents.htm>

For specific questions regarding admission of transfer students, contact Michael Hines at:

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