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OZARKS TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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OTC Associate of Arts in Teaching to MSU Bachelor of Science in Education - Special Education

The following is a guide to graduation with completion of OTC's Associate of Arts in Teaching and MSU's Bachelor of Science in Education degree.

The B.S. in Education may be completed on campus only.

The Education degree is a comprehensive major meaning it does not require completion of a minor.

OTC Year 1 Semester 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	OTC COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Social/Behavioral Sciences 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	HST 120	U.S. History I: to 1865	3	HST 121	✓	✓
Social/Behavioral Sciences 9 credit hours	PSY 110	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 121	✓	✓
Oral Communications 3 credit hours	COM 105	Public Speaking	3	COM 115	✓	✓
Natural Sciences 8 credit hours required for the A.A.T. (Must fulfill 2 disciplines including one course with a lab component)	BIO 100	Life Science	4	BIO 101 and 111	✓	✓
Mathematical Sciences 3 credit hours	Choose one:		3-5	MTH 130	✓	✓
	MTH 128	Contemporary Math				
	MTH 128S	Contemporary Math with Support				
Semester 1 Total			16-18			

OTC Year 1 Semester 2

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	OTC COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Program Specific Course	EDU 150	Introduction to Teacher Education	1	EDC 000		
Program Specific Course	EDU 222	Foundations of Education in a Diverse Society	3	PEU 016 (substitutes for EDC 345)		✓
Program Specific Course	EDU 225	Technology in Education	3	PEU 003 (substitutes for EDT 365)		✓
Social/Behavioral Sciences 9 credit hours	PLS 101	American Government and Politics	3	PLS 101	✓	✓
Written Communications 6 credit hours	ENG 101	Composition I	3	ENG 110	✓	✓
Humanities and Fine Arts 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	Choose one:		3	Varies	✓	
	ART 100	ASL 101 ENG 240 ENG 270 GRM 101 MUS 106 PHL 105 SPN 101				
	ART 101	ASL 102 ENG 241 ENG 271 GRM 102 MUS 110 REL 100 SPN 102				
	ART 105	CHN 101 ENG 260 FRN 101 MUS 101 MUS 235*▲ REL 101 THR 101				
ART 120▲	ENG 180 ENG 265 FRN 102 MUS 105 PHL 101 REL 102					
Semester 2 Total			16			

OTC Year 2 Semester 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	OTC COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Natural Sciences 8 credit hours required for the A.A.T. (Must fulfill 2 disciplines including one course with a lab component)	PHY 105	Introduction to Physics	4	PHY 100	✓	✓
Humanities and Fine Arts 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	Choose one:		3	Varies	✓	
	ART 100	ASL 101 ENG 240 ENG 270 GRM 101 MUS 106 PHL 105 SPN 101				
	ART 101	ASL 102 ENG 241 ENG 271 GRM 102 MUS 110 REL 100 SPN 102				
	ART 105	CHN 101 ENG 260 FRN 101 MUS 101 MUS 235*▲ REL 101 THR 101				
ART 120▲	ENG 180 ENG 265 FRN 102 MUS 105 PHL 101 REL 102					
Institutional Elective 14 hours required for A.A.T. degree	Choose any course numbered 100 or above.		2	Varies		
Program Specific Course	EDU 270	Teaching Prof/Field Experience	3	PEU 015	✓	
Institutional Elective 14 hours required for A.A.T. degree	Choose any course numbered 100 or above.		3	Varies	✓	
Institutional Elective 14 hours required for A.A.T. degree	PSY 130	Life Span Development Psychology	3	CFD 155	✓	
Semester 3 Total			18			

OTC Year 2 Semester 2

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	OTC COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Written Communications 6 credit hours	ENG 102	Composition II	3	ENG 210	✓	✓
Institutional Elective 14 hours required for A.A.T. degree	ENG 250	Children's Literature	3	ENG 334		✓
Program Specific Course	EDU 250	Educational Psychology	3	PSY 130+EDU 250 = PEU 006 (substitutes for PSY 360)		✓
Humanities and Fine Arts 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	Choose one:		3	Varies	✓	
	ART 100	ASL 101 ENG 240 ENG 270 GRM 101 MUS 106 PHL 105 SPN 101				
	ART 101	ASL 102 ENG 241 ENG 271 GRM 102 MUS 110 REL 100 SPN 102				
	ART 105	CHN 101 ENG 260 FRN 101 MUS 101 MUS 235*▲ REL 101 THR 101				
ART 120▲	ENG 180 ENG 265 FRN 102 MUS 105 PHL 101 REL 102					
Institutional Elective 14 hours required for A.A.T. degree	Choose any course numbered 100 or above.		3	Varies		✓
OTC Semester 4 Total			15			
Total Hours at OTC			65-67	<i>Total Hours Applied Toward MSU Major Requirements:</i>		44

* One credit hour course

▲ May choose only one, falls under MOTR code 'PERF'

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after OTC Associate of Arts in Teaching

MSU Year 2 Summer

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	SPE 310	Introduction to Special Education	3
MSU Semester Total			3

MSU Year 2 Semester 2

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	SPE 345	Educational Evaluation of Exceptional Students	4
Major Requirement	SPE 346	Educational Evaluation of Exceptional Students - Lab	2
Major Requirement	SPE 320	Introduction to Teaching Cross Categorical Special Education	3
Major Requirement	SPE 322	Introduction to Teaching Cross Categorical Special Education - Practicum	1
Major Requirement	RDG 318	Foundations of Literacy Instruction	3
Major Requirement	MTH 320	Foundations of Math for Teachers	3
MSU Semester Total			16

MSU Year 3 Semester 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	SPE 515	Foundations of Applied Behavior Analysis	3
Major Requirement	SPE 521/621	Methods II: Functional Living Skills and Health Issues	3
Major Requirement	SPE 517	Direct Instruction Reading and Language Arts	3
Major Requirement	SPE 525/625	Introduction to Teaching and Assessing Students with Autism	3
Major Requirement	RDG 420	Direct Instruction Reading and Language Arts	3
Major Requirement	RDG 421	Practicum - Methods of Assessing and Personalizing Reading	2
MSU Semester Total			17

MSU Year 3 Summer

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	SPE 519/619	Methods I: Cognitive and Behavioral Teaching Approaches	3
Major Requirement	SPE 450	Methods of Teaching Math to Exceptional Individuals	3
Major Requirement	SPE 584/684	Language Development of Exceptional Students	2
MSU Semester Total			8

MSU Year 4 Semester 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	SPE 516/618	Application of Applied Behavior Analysis	3
Major Requirement	SPE 497	Practicum: K-12 Cross-Categorical Special Education	4
Major Requirement	SPE 550	Career/Vocational Education and Transition	3
Major Requirement	SPE 560	Working with Families of Exceptional Individuals	3
Major Requirement	SPE 579/679	Application of Technology in Special Education	3
MSU Semester Total			16

MSU Year 4 Semester 2

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	SPE 495	Supervised Teaching	9
Major Requirement	SPE 496	Supervised Teaching	3
MSU Semester Total			12
Total Hours at MSU			72
Total Hours Overall			137-139

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This information is provided as a guide only.

- OTC students are strongly encouraged to meet with their major specific MSU transfer advisor early in their OTC education to discuss the most appropriate OTC coursework for their intended MSU major, MSU degree requirements, etc.
- Students are required to fulfill MSU graduation and GPA requirements to receive a degree and should consult with their MSU advisor and the MSU undergraduate catalog for details, as there may exist pre-requisite requirements as well as periodicity limitations that could affect scheduling sequences.
- Please note that transfer students from Missouri public colleges and universities may follow the general education and general baccalaureate degree requirements in effect at Missouri State when they first enrolled (or re-enrolled after an absence of one calendar year or more) as degree-seeking students at the institutions from which they transferred (e.g., OTC).