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**MSU West Plains Associate of Arts in Teaching to
MSU Bachelor of Science in Special Education**

Catalog Year: 2022-2023

The following is a guide to graduation with completion of West Plains Associate of Arts and
MSU's Bachelor of Science in Education degree.
The B.S.in Education may be completed on campus only.

MSU-WP Year 1 Semester 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-WP COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
First-Year Seminar	IDS 110	Student Success	2	GEP 101		
Oral Communication	COM 115	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	COM 115	✓	✓
Natural World <i>Life Science</i>	Choose one:		4	BIO 100 BIO 101 and 111	✓	✓
	BIO 100 BIO 101 and 111	Biological Sciences for Educators Biological Concepts with Lab				
Mathematical Sciences	MTH 130	Contemporary Mathematics	3	MTH 130	✓	✓
Written Communications	ENG 110	Writing 1	3	ENG 110	✓	✓
Semester 1 Total			15			

MSU-WP Year 1 Semester 2

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-WP COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Public Affairs Requirement <i>American History</i>	Choose one:		3	HST 121 HST 122	✓	✓
	HST 121 HST 122	Survey of US History to 1877 Survey of US History Since 1877				
Natural World <i>Physical Science</i>	PHY 101	Physics by Inquiry for Educators	4	PHY 101	✓	✓
Human Culture Requirements <i>Social & Behavioral Sciences</i>	Choose one:		3	Varies	✓	
	SOC 150* CFD 155*	AGR 100 AGR 144				
Public Affairs Requirement <i>Cultural Competence</i>	EDU 250	Foundations of American Education	3	PEU 010 (EDC 350)		
Human Culture Requirements <i>Humanities</i>	ENG 234	Literature for Children and Young Adults	3	ENG 334		✓
Institutional Requirement	EDU 150	Introduction to Teaching	1	EDU 150		
Semester 2 Total			17			

MSU-WP Year 2 Semester 3

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-WP COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Written Communications	ENG 210	Composition II	3	ENG 210	✓	✓
Teacher Education Core	EDU 202	Teaching Profession with Field Experience	3	PEU 015 (substitutes for ELE 302)		✓
Public Affairs Requirement <i>Cultural Competence</i>	Choose one:		3	Varies	✓	
	ENG 289	GRY 100				
Human Culture Requirements <i>The Arts</i>	Choose one:		3	Varies	✓	
	ART 200 ENG 203	ENG 205 ENG 215				
Human Culture Requirements <i>Social & Behavioral Sciences</i>	PSY 121	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 121	✓	✓
<< Pass all sections of the MoGEA or obtain a composite score of 20 on the ACT >>						
Semester 3 Total			15			

MSU-WP Year 2 Semester 4

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-WP COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Teacher Education Core	EDU 260	Educational Psychology	3	PEU 006 (PSY 360)		✓
Teacher Education Core	EDU 265	Educational Application of Technology and Media ^	3	PEU 003 (EDT 365)		✓
Teacher Education Core	MTH 220	Foundations of Mathematics for Teachers	3	MTH 320	✓	✓
Institutional Requirement <i>Capstone Course</i>	EDU 297	Rural Education in a Global Society ^	3	GEC 116		
Public Affairs Requirement <i>US & MO Constitutions</i>	PLS 101	American Democracy and Citizenship	3	PLS 101	✓	✓
Semester 4 Total			15			
Total Hours Required at West Plains			60	<i>Total Hours Applied Toward MSU Major Requirements:</i>		43

^ May take two of the four during a summer term

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**MSU Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
after MSU-WP Associate of Arts in Teaching**

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MSU Year 3, Summer 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	RDG 318	Foundations of Literacy Instruction	3
Major Requirement	SPE 310	Introduction to Special Education	3
Bridging Term Total with Institution			6

MSU Year 3 Semester 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	SPE 345	Educational Evaluation of Exceptional Students	3
Major Requirement	SPE 346	Educational Evaluation of Exceptional students - Lab	4
Major Requirement	SPE 320	Introduction to Teaching Cross-Categorical Special Education	2
Major Requirement	SPE 322	Introduction to Teaching Cross-Categorical Special Education - Practicum	3
Major Requirement	EDC 345	Introduction to Multicultural Education and Diversity	3
Semester 2 Total			15

MSU Year 3 Semester 2

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 & Language Arts	3
Major Requirement	SPE 525	Introduction to Teaching and Assessing Students with Autism	3
Major Requirement	RDG 420	Methods of Assessing and Personalizing Reading	3
Major Requirement	RDG 421	Practicum - Methods of Assessing and Personalizing Reading	2
Semester 2 Total			17

MSU Year 4, Summer 2

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 (SU/FA Only)	Language Development of Exceptional Students (SU/FA Only)	2
Semester 2 Total			8

MSU Year 4 Semester 3

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
Semester 3 Total			16

MSU Year 4 Semester 4

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID	TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	SPE 495	Supervised Teaching	9
Major Requirement	SPE 496	Supervised Teaching	3
Semester 4 Total			12
Total Hours at MSU			74
Total Hours Overall			139

** Electives provide the opportunity to customize your degree program. Some elective credits may or may not be needed to bring total credit hours to a minimum of 120 credit hours and upper division hours (300+) to 40.

✦ MSU-WP course taken during the MSU-Springfield semesters. Students will need to obtain and turn in a Consortium Agreement for Financial Aid or centralize their billing.

This information is provided as a guide only.

- MSU-WP students are strongly encouraged to meet with their major specific MSU transfer advisor early in their MSU-WP education to discuss the most appropriate MSU-WP 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., MSU-LWB).

Important notes about this MSU Major: 125 total credit hours for both the AAT and the BSED degrees. You must start at MSU in the final term of your Associates Degree. The course work is blended between the two institutions. You do not need to finish your AAT before beginning MSU-Springfield, but to complete your General Education Requirements you must complete your Associates Degree.