

There is a need for an increase in qualified teachers and teaching assistants in Kentucky that will be addressed through a cooperative transfer agreement between Kentucky's public and private senior postsecondary institutions and the Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS).

The *Kentucky Postsecondary Education Improvement Act of 1997* mandates a seamless system of postsecondary education that can only be achieved by promoting ease of transfer for learners between Kentucky institutions.

In order to promote the transfer of credits between KCTCS and Kentucky's colleges and universities and thereby increase educational opportunities for students, KCTCS and participating colleges and universities establish this transfer agreement for courses in the KCTCS AAS degree in Education leading to credit in the Baccalaureate Degree in Education. The agreement includes general education certification as well as teacher preparation courses applicable to the major.

This agreement recognizes that transfer of credit across programs is possible even when there are differences in program emphasis. Accordingly, this agreement reflects these philosophical and content differences by sometimes grouping courses that are covered more broadly at senior institutions and in-depth at KCTCS. The courses in these groups are not intended as individual course and credit equivalencies.

KCTCS and participating senior institutions agree to advise each other of changes in course requirements for any course listed in the agreement in order to ensure continued compatibility between the courses offered by the faculty at each institution.

KCTCS and participating senior institutions agree to renegotiate this agreement as necessary due to changes in course requirements at either institution.

KCTCS students must apply for admission to the senior institution of their choice and have official transcripts forwarded to the admissions office directly from a KCTCS college.

KCTCS students who transfer under the provisions of this agreement will need to complete the upper division courses from the senior institution as specified in the agreement in order to meet the requirements for the Bachelor's degree.

While program admission is not guaranteed in these programs, students who have completed the KCTCS AAS in Education, Teacher Preparation option will have a minimum of 60 credit hours accepted towards their Bachelors degree.

All institutions participating in this agreement will observe SACS and other discipline specific accreditation standards as well as CPE guidelines and rules. Both institutions agree to adhere to CPE requirements for reporting transfer information.

In the event that any one of the senior institutions determines that it will no longer offer the Bachelor's degrees included in this agreement, the senior institution will provide one-year notice of the termination of the degree program. Students enrolled in the program, either at KCTCS or the senior institution will be given a reasonable amount of time to complete degree requirements.

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KCTCS

Associate in Applied Science in Education, Teacher Preparation Option

Murray State University

Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education

COURSE	HOURS	RECOMMENDED
<i>General Education Core</i>		
Writing/Assessing Information:		
ENG 101	3	
ENG 102	3	
Oral Communication		
Elective	3	COM 181
Heritage/Humanities		
American History	3	
Humanities Elective	3	
Social Interaction		
110 PY or	3	
100 PSY	(4)	
275 SWK	3	
Science		
Science Elective	3	Biological Science Elective
Science Lab Elective	1	Biological Lab Elective
Science Elective	3	Non Biological Science Elective
Science Lab Elective	1	Non Biological Lab Elective
Mathematics		
Math Elective	3	MT 107 or MA 109
Computer Literacy		
Computer Literacy Elective	3	CIS 100
Total General Education Hours	35	
<i>Specialty Courses for Transfer</i>		
201 ED	3	
202 EDP	3	
203 EDP	3	
Concentration Area	3	Academic Emphasis
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Elective*	3	Humanities Elective
Elective*	3	Humanities Elective
Elective*	3	AE 270 or ART 121
Elective*	3	MA201, MAT115, 201 or MATH 211
Total Specialty Hours	27	
TOTAL AAS**	62	

COURSE	HOURS
<i>General Education Core</i>	
Writing/Assessing Information:	
ENG 101 (minimum grade of B in 101 or 102)	3
ENG 102 (minimum grade of B in 101 or 102)	3
Oral Communication	
COM 161 (minimum grade of C)	3
Heritage/Humanities	
American History	3
Humanities Elective	3
Social Interaction	
PSY 180	3
Social Science Elective	3
Science	
Biological Science Elective	4
Non Biological Science Elective	4
Mathematics (approved general ed math)	
MAT117 or MAT140 (minimum grade of C)	3
Computer Literacy	
CSC 199	3
Total General Education Hours Transferred	35
<i>Specialty Courses for Transfer</i>	
EDU 103 (minimum grade of C)	3
EDP 260	3
SED 300	3
Concentration Area (Academic Emphasis)	3
Concentration Area (Academic Emphasis)	3
Humanities Elective	3
Humanities Elective	3
ART 343	3
MAT 115	3
Total Specialty Hours Transferred	27
Total AAS Hours Transferred	62

* General Electives or Approved Technical Electives

** This is the minimum number of required hours. Due to the flexibility of the program, students may choose courses that would exceed the minimum number of hours for Total AAS.

		Additional Courses Required to Complete Bachelors Degree:	
Courses that can be taken in KCTCS or at Murray State :			
	4	Non Biological Sci. & Lab Elective	Non Biological Science Elective 4
	2	260 MUS	MUS 200 2
	2	261 MUS	MUS 300 2
	3	MA 202, MAT 215, 202 or MATH 212	MAT 215 3
	3	KHP 230 or	HEA 191 or 3
	(4)	BIO 110 with activity	HEA 191 (4)
Possible Additional KCTCS Hours	14		Possible Additional Hours Transferred 14
Total Possible KCTCS Hours	76		
			Murray Courses:
			ELE 304 3
			ELE 305 3
			ELE 307 3
			ELE 401 3
			ELE 402 3
			ELE 404 3
			ELE 421 14
			EDU 303 3
			EDU 383 2
			EDU 403 2
			EDU 422 3
			REA 306 3
			REA 412 3
			Courses needed for academic emphasis (7-15 hrs) 15
			Total Murray Hours 63
			Program Total:
			Total Transferred from AAS 62
			Total Possible Additional Hours Transferred 14
			Total Murray Hours 63
			Waived
			TOTAL (131-139 hrs) 139

Student must complete all courses designated.

(minimum GPA of 2.5)

(ACT of 21 or equivalent on approved alternate test)

(minimum of 42 hrs at 300 level or above)

(minimum of 32 hrs completed at MSU)