

Allen County Community College Transfer Program to the University of Kansas Elementary (K-6) Education Program

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Students are admitted to the Teacher Education Program once a year for the spring semester. Complete an online application at <http://soe.ku.edu/admission/> by mid-September for the next spring semester. A complete application also includes essays, letters of reference, and passing Praxis I scores. Students are notified of decisions in writing by mid-October. Kansas Board of Regents policy determines some admission requirements. Typically, students apply during the fall of their sophomore year to begin at KU in the spring of their sophomore year. After admission, five semesters are required to complete the degree. This includes two semesters of student teaching.

- Admissions for all School of Education programs are competitive.
- The minimum grade point average (GPA) to be admitted is 2.75. A competitive GPA is 3.2 or higher.
- Sign up for PPST no later than the end of May the semester before your application is due.
- Courses listed in the “Admissions Requirements” box must be completed before admission to the Teacher Education program is possible. Courses listed here can be in progress during the semester you are applying.
- For admissions purposes only, an approved science with lab can be substituted for geography with lab.

Make sure to meet with a School of Education advisor before you decide to come to KU. Given your proximity to KU, it may be easier to contact an advisor via the phone, email or video chat (i.e. Skype), which is perfectly acceptable.

Because enrollment in competitive programs is limited to prescribed numbers, *students who meet minimum admission standards may not be accepted*. Prospective teacher education students should consult an advisor early in the first year to ensure fulfillment of admission requirements and to plan efficient programs of study.

- The following courses, or the KU equivalents for transfer students, must be completed (or currently enrolled) prior to applying into the Education program:

a. ENGL 101 Composition and ENGL 102 Composition and Literature	6
b. COMS 130 Public Speaking	3
c. PSYC 104 General Psychology	3
d. C & T 100 Intro Education Profession	3
e. ANTH 160 or SOC 130 Varieties of Human Exper/Comparative Societies	3
f. MATH 101 College Algebra or MATH 104 Precalculus	3
g. GEOG 104 & 105 Physical Geography with a lab (BIOL 100 & 102 can be substituted for admission purposes)	5
h. Higher Math course, either MATH S365 or MATH 115	3
i. HIST 128 History of US through Civil War	3

KU Course Requirements

Allen County Equivalents

ENGLISH (3 courses)			
ENGL 101 COMPOSITION	3	COL 101 ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
ENGL 102 CRITICAL READING & WRITING	3	COL 102 ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3
Plus a third English course	3	Select ONE course from the following list:	
		COL 130 INTRO TO LITERATURE	3
		COL 132 POETRY	3
		COL 135 FICTION	3
		COL 211 EARLY AMERICAN LITERATURE	3
		COL 222 MODERN AMERICAN LITERATURE	3
		COL 230 EARLY BRITISH LITERATURE	3
		COL 231 MODERN BRITISH LITERATURE	3

ARGUMENT REASON (1 course from the list below)

(Exemption is granted through the Communication Studies department for one year of high school speech or debate with a grade of “B” or better or for passing both the written oral parts of the oral communication exemption examination.)

COMS 130 SPKR-AUDI COMMUNICATION	3	COM 101 PUBLIC SPEAKING	3
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MATHEMATICS (2 courses)			
MATH 101 COLLEGE ALGEBRA	3	MAT 105 COLLEGE ALGEBRA	3
OR			
MATH 104 PRECALCULUS MATHEMATICS	5	MAT 120 PRE-CALCULUS OR	3
		MAT 105 College Algebra AND	3
		MAT 106 Trig	2
-- -- One of the following 2nd level courses:			
MATH 105 INTRO TO TOPICS IN MATH	3	NO EQUIVALENT	
MATH 111 MATRIX ALG. PROB & STAT	3	NO EQUIVALENT	
MATH 115 CALCULUS I	3	MAT 123 Calc w/ Analytic Geometry	5
MATH 121 CALCULUS I	5	MAT 125 Calc w/ Analytic Geometry 2	5
MATH 365 ELEMENTARY STATISTICS	3	*MAT 115 STATISTICS	3

*Course will not count as junior/senior hours.

HUMANITIES (2 courses)			
HIST 128 US History through Civil War		HIS 108 AMERICAN HISTORY to 1865	3
HIST 308 Themes Modern Global History OR		No Equivalent	3
HIST 348 History of the Peoples of Kansas		No Equivalent	3

NATURAL SCIENCES			
Each is required.			
PHSX 114 Physics OR	5	PSC 151 PHYSICAL SCIENCE	3
CHEM 125 Principles of Chemistry	5	CHE 105 GENERAL CHEMISTRY	5
BIOL 100 & 102 Principals of Biology	5	BIO 102 PRINCIPLES OF BIOLOGY	5
GEOG 104+lab Physical Geography	3	No Equivalent	5

SOCIAL SCIENCES (4 courses)			
ANTH 160 Varieties Human Experience OR	3	No Equivalent	3
SOC 130 Comparative Societies	3	No Equivalent	3
LING 106 Intro to Linguistics OR	3	No Equivalent	3
LING 110 Language and Mind	3	No Equivalent	3
POLS 110 Intro to US Politics	3	POL 111 AMERICAN GOVERNMENT	3
PSYC 104 General Psychology	3	PSY 101 GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY	3

Other elective courses offered at Allen CC			
HSES 260 Personal/Community Health	3	HPE 105 Pers Hyg/Comm Health	3
C&T 100 Intro to Education Profession	3	EDU 201 and 202	3

Education/Professional Courses (50+ hours)			
	3	No Equivalent	

NOTE: Courses may not be used to satisfy more than one area requirement.

The requirements listed above are subject to annual change.