



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist

Associate of Science in Education Bachelor of Science in Middle Level Education (LA+SC)



Arkansas State University – Beebe Associate of Science in Education¹

Possible Prerequisites			Semester	Hours	Grade
UNIV	1003	Principles of Academic Success (required if registering for a remedial course)		(3)	
ENG	0013	Precollege Literacy		N/C	
ENG	0023	College Literacy (taken with ENG 1003 – Freshman English I)		N/C	
MATH	0013	Foundations of Algebra I		N/C	
MATH	0112	Review for College Algebra (taken with MATH 1023 – College Algebra)		N/C	

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)²

English/Communication (9 credit hours)			UCA ³	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENG	1003	Freshman English I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENG	1013	Freshman English II	WRTG 1320		3	
SPCH	1203	Oral Communications	COMM 1300		3	

Mathematics (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1023	College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1004	Biology for General Education	BIOL 1400		4	
PHSC	1204	Physical Science for General Education	PHYS 1400		4	

Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ART	2503	Fine Arts – Visual or	ART 2300 MUS 2300 THEA 2300		3	
MUS	2503	Fine Arts – Musical or				
THEA	2503	Fine Arts – Theatre or				
THEA	2513	Fine Arts – Film or				
HUM	2003	Introduction to Humanities I or	ENGL 2305 ENGL 2306		3	
HUM	2013	Introduction to Humanities II				
ENG	2003	World Literature I or				
ENG	2013	World Literature II				

Social Sciences (9 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2763	The United States to 1876 or	HIST 2301 HIST 2302		3	
HIST	2773	The United States Since 1876				
POSC	2103	Introduction to United States Government	PSCI 1330		3	
HIST	1013	World Civilization to 1660 or	HIST 1310 HIST 1320		3	
HIST	1023	World Civilization since 1660				

Education Core (26 credit hours)

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
CHEM	1014	General Chemistry I	CHEM 1450		4	
EDU	1103	Child Growth	MSIT 3310		3	
EDU	2013	Educational Technology	EDUC 1240		3	
EDU	2023	Introduction to Teaching	EDUC 1300		3	
ENG	2303	American Literature I	ENGL 2312		3	
ENG	2313	American Literature II	ENGL 2313		3	
HIST	2083	History of Arkansas	HIST 4355		3	
PHSC	1304	Earth Science	SCI 3410		4	

Total Hours: 61⁴



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UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁵

			Semester	Hours	Grade
EDUC	3322	Diverse Learners in Inclusive Settings		3	
EDUC	4210	Integration of Technology into Teaching and Learning		2	
ENGL	3320	Literature for the Middle Grades		3	
ENGL	3335	Language and Grammar Studies		3	
ENGL	4361	Literature for Adolescents		3	
MSIT	3320	Introduction to Teaching at the Middle Level		3	
MSIT	4305	Classroom Management		3	
MSIT	4311	Internship I		3	
MSIT	4312	Strategies for Reading and Writing Assessment and Instruction		3	
MSIT	4321	Classroom Assessment		3	
MSIT	4325	Disciplinary Literacy		3	
MSIT	4328	Advanced Strategies for Teaching and Learning in Middle Level Content Specific Classrooms		3	
MSIT	4612	Internship II		6	
MSIT	4613	Internship II		6	
SCI	3320	Advanced Science Concepts I		3	
SCI	4314	Applications of Middle Level Science		3	
SCI	4420	Advanced Science Concepts II		4	
WRTG	3340	Writing Acquisition: Theory and Practice		3	

Total Hours: 121⁶

¹ See your ASU-Beebe advisor for degree and graduation information.

² PLEASE NOTE: In order to be eligible for admission to the UCA Teacher Education program, ASU-Beebe students must earn a “C” or higher in all of general education courses within the “English/Communication” and “Mathematics” categories, as well as in any of the professional education and content track courses taken at ASU-Beebe. A passing score on the Praxis I exam (or satisfactory scores on the ACT or SAT as per Arkansas Department of Education guidelines), is also required. Please see your advisor if you have questions about these requirements.

³ UCA transfer course designations are either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or have been approved as a substitution by UCA. Unless otherwise noted, courses for which no UCA equivalent course is listed would transfer in as elective credit.

⁴ Students completing the AS in Education degree requirements, as shown above, with a minimum 2.7 cumulative GPA, will have satisfied the UCA Lower-Division Core requirements and will be admitted to the BSE in Middle Level Education (Language Arts + Science) degree program as a junior.

⁵ For more specific information about degree requirements within the junior and senior years at UCA, please review the UCA Undergraduate Bulletin (<http://uca.edu/ubulletin>) and consult your UCA academic advisor.

⁶ This degree program requires a total of 121 semester credit hours, including at least 40 upper-division credit hours completed at UCA.