



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist

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



Pulaski Technical College Associate of Science in Education¹

Possible Prerequisites			Semester	Hours	Grade
DEVE	0314	Reading Improvement		N/C	
DEVE	0316	College Reading		N/C	
DEVE	0322	English Skills		N/C	
DEVE	0324	English Composition Fundamentals		N/C	
DEVE	0334	Pre-Algebra Skills		N/C	
DEVE	0336	Elementary Algebra		N/C	
DEVE	0338	Intermediate Algebra		N/C	

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)²

English/Communication (9 credit hours)			UCA ³	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	1311	English Composition I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENGL	1312	English Composition II	WRTG 1320		3	
SPCH	1300	Speech Communication	COMM 1300		3	

Mathematics (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1302	College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1400	Biology for General Education	BIOL 1400		4	
PHYS	1401	Physical Science	PHYS 1400		4	

Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ARTS	2300	Introduction to Visual Arts or Introduction to Music or Introduction to Theatre	ART 2300		3	
MUSC	2300		MUS 2300			
THEA	2300		THEA 2300			
ENGL	2337	World Literature from the Beginning to 1650 or	ENGL 2305		3	
ENGL	2338	World Literature from 1650 to the Present	ENGL 2306			

Social Sciences (9 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2311	U.S. History to 1877 or	HIST 2301		3	
HIST	2312	U.S. History since 1877	HIST 2302			
POLS	1310	American National Government	PSCI 1330		3	
HIST	1311	History of Civilization I or	HIST 1310		3	
HIST	1312	History of Civilization II	HIST 1320			

Education Core (26 credit hours)

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
CHEM	1405	General Chemistry I	CHEM 1450		4	
EDUC	1301	Introduction to K-12 Educational Technology	EDUC 1240		3	
EDUC	2300	Introduction to Education	EDUC 1300		3	
EDUC	2301	Development and Learning Theories	MSIT 3310		3	
ENGL	2335	American Literature from the Beginning to 1865	ENGL 2312		3	
ENGL	2336	American Literature 1865 to the Present	ENGL 2313		3	
HIST	2355	History of Arkansas	HIST 4355		3	
PHYS	1400	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 PTC advisor for degree and graduation information.

² PLEASE NOTE: In order to be eligible for admission to the UCA Teacher Education program, PTC 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 PTC. 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.