



**2+2 Degree Plan Checklist**  
**Associate of Science in Education**  
**BS in Education (Middle Level Education - LA+SS)**



**National Park College<sup>1</sup>**  
**Associate of Science in Education<sup>2</sup>**

**General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)<sup>3</sup>**

<b>English/Communication (9 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
ENG	1113	English Composition I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENG	1123	English Composition II	WRTG 1320		3	
SPCH	1103	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	COMM 1300		3	

<b>Mathematics (3 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
MATH	1123	<b>Choose one:</b> College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	
MATH	1213	Quantitative Literacy	MATH 1360			

<b>Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
BIOL	1114	General Biology	BIOL 1440		4	
PHYS	1114	Physical Science	PHYS 1400		4	

<b>Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
ART	1593	<b>Choose one:</b> Art Appreciation	ART 2300		3	
MUS	1213	Music Appreciation (or other ASE Fine Arts)	MUS 2300			
ENG	2273	<b>Choose one:</b> World Literature I	ENGL 2305		3	
ENG	2283	World Literature II (or other ASE Humanities)	ENGL 2306			

<b>Social Sciences (9 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
HIST	2223	United States History to 1865	HIST 2301		3	
POLS	1113	American National Government	PSCI 1330		3	
HIST	2253	World Civilization to 1500	HIST 1310		3	

**Education Core (25 credit hours)<sup>5</sup>**

			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
EDUC	2023	Child Growth and Development	MSIT 3310		3	
EDUC	2243	Introduction to Education	EDUC 1300		3	
ENG	2223	American Literature I	ENGL 2312		3	
ENG	2233	American Literature II	ENGL 2313		3	
HIST	2263	World Civilization since 1500	HIST 1320		3	
HIST	2233	United States History since 1865	HIST 2302		3	
HIST	1143	Arkansas History	HIST 3310		3	
		ASE Approved Elective			3	
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**Total Hours: 60<sup>6</sup>**

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Bachelor of Science in Education (Middle Level Education - Language Arts + Social Studies)  
UCA Courses (60 credit hours)<sup>7</sup>**

			Semester	Hours	Grade
		General Elective		1	
ECON	2320	Principles of Macroeconomics		3	
EDUC	3322	Diverse Learners in Inclusive Settings		3	
EDUC	4210	Integration of Technology into Teaching & Learning		2	
WRGT	3340	Writing Acquisition: Theory & Practice		3	
ENGL	3320	Literature for the Middle Grades (UD UCA Core: D)		3	
ENGL	3335	Language & Grammar Studies (UD UCA Core: C)		3	
ENGL	4361	Literature for Adolescents (UD UCA Core: D)		3	
GEOG	1305	Principles of Geography		3	
HIST	2320	Introduction to Historical Research		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 & Writing Assessment & Instruction		3	
MSIT	4321	Classroom Assessment (UD UCA Core: I)		3	
MSIT	4325	Disciplinary Literacy (UD UCA Core: C)		3	
MSIT	4328	Advanced Strategies for Teaching & Learning in Middle Level		3	
MSIT	4612	Internship II (UD UCA Core: Z)		6	
MSIT	4613	Internship II (UD UCA Core: Z)		6	

**Total Hours: 120<sup>8</sup>**

<sup>1</sup> Please see your NPC advisor for degree and graduation information.

<sup>2</sup> Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at NPC, not to precede the academic year during which the agreement first took effect. A period of non-enrollment of 12 months or more requires that the student adhere to the agreement revision corresponding with the academic year of re-enrollment.

<sup>3</sup> For complete information regarding admission to the UCA Teacher Education program, please visit [uca.edu/ocs/2plus2-for-teachers](http://uca.edu/ocs/2plus2-for-teachers).

<sup>4</sup> UCA course is either guaranteed by ACTS ([acts.adhe.edu](http://acts.adhe.edu)) or by UCA Department Chair approval (if blank, elective credit will be awarded).

<sup>5</sup> Students earning equivalent credit to MSIT 3310 will have fulfilled UCA Upper-Division Core requirements D and R.

<sup>6</sup> Students completing the AS in Education degree, as shown above, will have satisfied the UCA Lower-Division Core. Upon successful completion of the admission process ([uca.edu/ocs/2plus2-for-teachers](http://uca.edu/ocs/2plus2-for-teachers)) students will be eligible for admission to the UCA College of Education.

<sup>7</sup> In order to receive important communications about transferring to UCA, students are encouraged to create a UCA student account at [gopurple.uca.edu](http://gopurple.uca.edu). For more information about the 2+2 program, students may also send email inquiries to [ucatransfer@uca.edu](mailto:ucatransfer@uca.edu).

<sup>8</sup> This agreement requires 120 credit hours as follows: maximum 60 at NPC and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).