

2+2 Degree Plan Checklist Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences BS in Education (Middle Level Education - LA+SC)



Northwest Arkansas Community College¹

Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences²

Possible Prerequisites		Semester	Hours	Grade	
ENGA	0033	College Reading		N/C	
ENGA	0063	Intermediate Writing		N/C	
MATH	0053	Beginning Algebra		N/C	
MATH	0103	Intermediate Algebra		N/C	

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)³

English Composition (6 credit hours)		UCA⁴	Semester	Hours	Grade	
ENGL	1013	Composition I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENGL	1023	Composition II	WRTG 1320		3	
Mathen	natics (3 c	redit hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1203	College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	
		(MATH 1204 may also be used to fulfill this requirement)			5	
Lab Scie	ences (8 cr	redit hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1544	Principles of Biology I	BIOL 1440		4	
PHSC	2004	Introduction to Physical Science	PHYS 1400		4	
Fine Art	s/Human	ities (6 credit hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
COMM	1303	Public Speaking	COMM 1300		3	
		Choose one:				
ENGL	2213	Survey of World Literature to 1650	ENGL 2305		3	
ENGL	2223	Survey of World Literature from 1650	ENGL 2306			
US Histo	US History/Government (3 credit hours)		UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
		Choose one:				
HIST	2003	History of American People to 1877	HIST 2301		3	
HIST	2013	History of American People from 1877 to Present	HIST 2302		5	
PLSC	2003	American National Government	PSCI 1330			
Social S	ciences (9	Credit Hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
		Choose three:				
ANTH	1023	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	ANTH 2300			
GEOG	1123	Human Geography	GEOG 1320			
HIST	1033	World Civilization to 1500	HIST 1310		9	
HIST	1043	World Civilization from 1500	HIST 1320		5	
PSYC	2003	General Psychology	PSYC 1300			
SOCI	2013	General Sociology	SOC 1300			
		(or other ASLAS Social Science)				

Education Core (25 credit hours)⁵

Non-STEM Directed Electives (9 credit hours)		UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade	
CHED	2033	Child Growth and Development	MSIT 3310		3	
CIED	1053	Introduction to Education	EDUC 1300		3	
ENGL	2313	Survey of American Literature to the Civil War	ENGL 2312		3	

General Directed Electives (16 credit hours)

CHEM	1104	College Chemistry I	CHEM 1450	4	
ENGL	2323	Survey of American Literature from the Civil War	ENGL 2313	3	
GEOG	1003/01	Physical Geography and Lab	GEOG 1400	4	
HIST	2053	History of Arkansas	HIST 3310	3	
		ASLAS Approved Elective		2	

Total Hours: 60⁶

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Bachelor of Science in Education (Middle Level Education - Language Arts + Science)

UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁷

Teacher Education Program PRE-ADMISSION Courses (28 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	3320	Literature for the Middle Grades (UD UCA Core: D)		3	
ENGL	3335	English Language Studies (UD UCA Core: C)		3	
ENGL	4361	Literature for Adolescents (UD UCA Core: D)		3	
SCI	3320	Advanced Science Concepts I		3	
SCI	4314	Applications of Middle-Level Science		3	
SCI	4420	Advanced Science Concepts II		4	
MSIT	3320	Introduction to Teaching at the Middle Level		3	
MSIT	4325	Disciplinary Literacy (UD UCA Core: C)		3	
WRTG	3340	Writing Acquisition: Theory & Practice		3	

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Teacher Education Program POST-ADMISSION Courses (32 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
EDUC	3322	Diverse Learners in Inclusive Settings		3	
EDUC	4210	Integration of Technology into Teaching & Learning		2	
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	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	
				9	

Total Hours: 120⁸

¹ Please see your NWACC advisor for degree and graduation information.

² Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at NWACC, 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.

³ For complete information regarding admission to the UCA Teacher Education program, please visit uca.edu/ocs/2plus2-for-teachers.

⁴ UCA course is either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or by UCA Department Chair approval (if blank, elective credit will be awarded).

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

⁶ Students completing the AS in Liberal Arts and Sciences 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) students will be eligible for admission to the UCA College of Education.

⁷ In order to receive important communications about transferring to UCA, students are encouraged to create a UCA student account at gopurple.uca.edu. For more information about the 2+2 program, students may also send email inquiries to ucatransfer@uca.edu.

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

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