



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist
Associate of Science in Education
BS in Education (Elementary Education K-6)



National Park College¹
Associate of Science in Education²

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)³

English/Communication (9 credit hours)			UCA⁴	Semester	Hours	Grade
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	

Mathematics (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1213	Math Reasoning <i>(or higher level math)</i>	MATH 1360		3	

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1024	Biology for Non-Majors <i>(or other ASLAS Life Science with Lab)</i>	BIOL 1400		4	
PHYS	1114	Physical Science	PHYS 1400		4	

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

Social Sciences (9 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2223	Choose one: United States History to 1865	HIST 2301 HIST 2302		3	
HIST	2233	United States History since 1865				
POLS	1113	American National Government	PSCI 1330		3	
HIST	2253	Choose one: World Civilization to 1500	HIST 1310 HIST 1320		3	
HIST	2263	World Civilization since 1500				

Education Core (25 credit hours)

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
EDUC	2023	Child Growth and Development	ELSE 3301		3	
EDUC	2243	Introduction to Education	EDUC 1300		3	
EDUC	2283	Foundations of Diverse Learners	ELSE 3308		3	
ESCI	1104	Earth Science	GEOG 1400		4	
HIST	1143	Arkansas History	HIST 3310		3	
MATH	2233	Number Sense	MATH 3351		3	
MATH	2243	Geometry & Measure	MATH 4310		3	
		ASE Approved Elective			3	

Total Hours: 60⁵

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UCA Courses (63 credit hours)⁶**

Teacher Education Program PRE-ADMISSION Courses (16 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
ELSE	2304	Instructional Strategies for K-6 Social Studies		3	
ELSE	3305	Integrated Approaches to Child & Young Adult Literature		3	
ELSE	3390	Integrated Curriculum & Assessment Planning		3	
MATH	3352	Number Systems: Reals		3	
SCI	4410	Concepts of Science		4	

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Teacher Education Program POST-ADMISSION Courses (47 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
EDUC	4210	Integration of Technology into Teaching & Learning		2	
ELSE	4305	Literacy Assessment & Intervention		3	
ELSE	4307	Instructional Programming for Diverse Learners (UD UCA Core: D, R)		3	
ELSE	4309	Positive Classroom Environment		3	
ELSE	4310	Junior Block Practicum		3	
ELSE	4311	Foundations of Reading		3	
ELSE	4315	Workshop Approach to Teaching Writing in the K-12 Classroom (UD UCA Core: C)		3	
ELSE	4316	Instructional Strategies for Math & Science K-6		3	
ELSE	4318	K-6 Internship I		3	
ELSE	4319	Guidance & Management of Children		3	
ELSE	4320	Elementary Reading Methods		3	
ELSE	4331	Data-Driven Instructional Planning (UD UCA Core: I)		3	
ELSE	4603	Internship I (UD UCA Core: Z)		6	
ELSE	4604	Internship II (UD UCA Core: Z)		6	

Total Hours: 123⁷

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

² 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.

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 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) students will be eligible for admission to the UCA College of Education.

⁶ 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.

⁷ This agreement requires 123 credit hours as follows: maximum 60 at NPC and remaining 63 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).