



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



**Black River Technical College<sup>1</sup>**  
**Associate of Arts<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	1003	Freshman English I	WRID 1310		3	
ENG	1013	Freshman English II	WRID 1320		3	
SCOM	1203	Oral Communications	COMM 1300		3	

<b>Mathematics (3 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
MATH	1023	College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	

<b>Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
BIOL	1004	Biological Science and Lab	BIOL 1400		4	
GSP	1004	Physical Science & Lab	PHYS 1400		4	

<b>Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
FAV	2503	<b>Choose one:</b> Fine Arts Visual	ART 2300		3	
FAM	2503	Fine Arts Musical	MUS 2300			
FAT	2203	Fine Arts Theatre	THEA 2300			
ENG	2003	<b>Choose one:</b> Introduction to World Literature I	ENGL 2305		3	
ENG	2013	Introduction to World Literature II	ENGL 2306			

<b>Social Sciences (9 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
HIST	2763	The United States to 1876	HIST 2301		3	
POSC	2103	United States Government	PSCI 1330		3	
HIST	1013	World Civilization to 1660	HIST 1310		3	

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

			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
CHEM	1004	General Chemistry I and Lab	CHEM 1450		4	
ECH	2173	Child Development	MSIT 3310		3	
EDU	2013	Introduction to Education	EDUC 1300		3	
GSP	1024	Earth Science & Lab	GEOG 1400		4	
HIST	1023	World Civilization since 1660	HIST 1320		3	
HIST	2083	Arkansas History	HIST 3310		3	
HIST	2773	The United States since 1876	HIST 2302		3	
		<i>AA Approved Elective</i>			2	

**Total Hours: 60<sup>6</sup>**

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

<b>Teacher Education Program PRE-ADMISSION Courses (25 Credit Hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
ECON	2320	Principles of Macroeconomics		3	
SCI	3320	Advanced Science Concepts: Earth/Physical Science		3	
SCI	4314	Applications of Middle-Level Science		3	
SCI	3425	Advanced Science Concepts: Biological Sciences		4	
GEOG	1305	Principles of Geography		3	
HIST	2320	Introduction to Historical Research		3	
MSIT	3320	Introduction to Teaching at the Middle Level		3	
MSIT	4325	Disciplinary Literacy (UD UCA Core: C)		3	

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<b>Teacher Education Program POST-ADMISSION Courses (32 Credit Hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
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	4T90	Internship II (UD UCA Core: Z)		12	

<b>General Electives (3 credit hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
		General Elective		3	

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

<sup>1</sup> See your BRTC advisor for degree and graduation information.

<sup>2</sup> Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at BRTC, 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). NFS department will allow.

<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 Associate of Arts degree requirements, 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 [admissions.uca.edu/apply/](http://admissions.uca.edu/apply/). 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 BRTC and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).