



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



Northwest Arkansas Community College¹
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences²

| Possible Prerequisites | | | | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|------------------------|------|------------------------|--|----------|-------|-------|
| ENGA | 0093 | Reading Writing Studio | | | 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) | | | | UCA ⁴ | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|--------------------------------------|------|----------------|--|------------------|----------|-------|-------|
| ENGL | 1013 | Composition I | | WRID 1310 | | 3 | |
| ENGL | 1023 | Composition II | | WRID 1320 | | 3 | |

| Mathematics (3 credit hours) | | | | UCA | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|------------------------------|------|------------------------|--|-----------|----------|-------|-------|
| MATH | 1313 | Quantitative Reasoning | | MATH 1360 | | 3 | |

| Lab Sciences (8 credit hours) | | | | UCA | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|-------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|--|-----------|----------|-------|-------|
| BIOL | 1544 | Principles of Biology I | | BIOL 1440 | | 4 | |
| PHSC | 2004 | Introduction to Physical Science | | PHYS 1400 | | 4 | |

| Fine Arts/Humanities (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 History/Government (3 credit hours) | | | | UCA | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|--|------|------------------------------|--|-----------|----------|-------|-------|
| PLSC | 2003 | American National Government | | PSCI 1330 | | 3 | |

| Social Sciences (9 Credit Hours) | | | | UCA | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|----------------------------------|------|--|--|-----------|----------|-------|-------|
| HIST | 1033 | World Civilization to 1500 | | HIST 1310 | | 3 | |
| HIST | 2003 | History of American People to 1877 | | HIST 2301 | | 3 | |
| Choose one: | | | | | | | |
| ANTH | 1023 | Introduction to Cultural Anthropology | | ANTH 2300 | | 3 | |
| GEOG | 1123 | Human Geography | | GEOG 1320 | | | |
| PSYC | 2003 | General Psychology | | PSYC 1300 | | | |
| SOCI | 2013 | General Sociology (or other ASLAS Social Science) | | SOC 1300 | | | |

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) | | | | UCA | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|--|------|--|--|-----------|----------|-------|-------|
| ENGL | 2323 | Survey of American Literature from the Civil War | | ENGL 2313 | | 3 | |
| HIST | 1043 | World Civilization from 1500 | | HIST 1320 | | 3 | |
| HIST | 2013 | History of American People from 1877 to Present | | HIST 2302 | | 3 | |
| HIST | 2053 | History of Arkansas | | HIST 3310 | | 3 | |
| | | ASLAS Approved Elective | | | | 3 | |
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Total Hours: 60⁶

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University of Central Arkansas
Bachelor of Science in Education (Middle Level Education - Language Arts + Social Studies)
UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁷

| Teacher Education Program PRE-ADMISSION Courses (27 Credit Hours) | | | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|--|------|---|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| ECON | 2320 | Principles of Macroeconomics | | 3 | |
| 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 | |
| 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 | |
| WRID | 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 | 4T90 | Internship II (UD UCA Core: Z) | | 12 | |

| General Electives (1 credit hour) | | | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|--|--|------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| | | General Elective | | 1 | |

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 admissions.uca.edu/apply/. 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).