



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



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	1123	College Algebra	MATH 1390		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		3	
MUS	1213	Music Appreciation <i>(or other ASE Fine Arts)</i>	MUS 2300			
ENG	2273	Choose one: World Literature I	ENGL 2305		3	
ENG	2283	World Literature II <i>(or other ASE Humanities)</i>	ENGL 2306			

Social Sciences (9 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2223	Choose one: United States History to 1865	HIST 2301		3	
HIST	2233	United States History Since 1865	HIST 2302			
POLS	1113	American National Government	PSCI 1330			
HIST	2253	Choose one: World Civilization to 1500	HIST 1310		3	
HIST	2263	World Civilization since 1500	HIST 1320			
PSYC	1103	Choose one: General Psychology	PSYC 1300		3	
SOC	1103	Introduction to Sociology <i>(or other ASE Social Science)</i>	SOC 1300			

Education Core (25 credit hours)⁵

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
CHEM	1204	Chemistry I for Majors	CHEM 1450		4	
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	
ESCI	1104	Earth Science	GEOG 1400		4	
HIST	1143	Arkansas History	HIST 3310		3	
		<i>ASE Approved Elective</i>			2	

Total Hours: 60⁶

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**University of Central Arkansas
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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	3425	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	4T90	Internship II (UD UCA Core: Z)		12	

Total Hours: 120⁸

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

⁶ 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.

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 NPC and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).