



Johnson County Community College
Academic Program Map for Transfer to
Kansas State University
College of Education
Elementary Education, B.S. (K-6)
ONLINE or ON CAMPUS
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The B.S. degree in Elementary Education requires a minimum of 120 hours and is offered either on-campus or online. ***Only half the hours for a K-State degree can be taken at a two-year college.***

The program consists of coursework in General Education, an Area of Concentration and Teacher Education. The General Education component is shown below. Additional courses may be available at Johnson County Community College to satisfy some Concentration courses.

This program is also offered online in a cohort format through K-State's Global Campus. Students may do their student teaching in the Kansas City metro area. For more information about the online degree, go to <https://online.k-state.edu/programs/elementary-education-bachelors/>.

Admission Requirements for Teacher Education:

- Elementary Education requires 42 hours completed, including all transfer and K-State credits.
- Grades of "C" or better in Expository Writing I and II, Public Speaking, College Algebra or a higher level of mathematics and Statistics.
- A 2.75 GPA is required in coursework applied to the elementary education degree. To calculate GPA, the College of Education uses all attempted credits and grades.
- A composite ACT score of 22 or higher is required for admission to preprofessional studies in Teacher Education. All applicants, including transfer students, are required to submit ACT scores, including the composite score as well as scores in reading and mathematics. Applicants with an ACT score below 22 can be admitted to preprofessional studies in Teacher Education provisionally on the basis of evidence of potential success in the program and as a K-12 teacher. Provisional admission can be lifted upon completion of all other requirements for full admission to Teacher Education. Applicants who have never taken the ACT can be admitted provisionally for one semester pending submission of an ACT score.
- Early Field Experience is completed in EDCI 230. (K-State requires at least 40 documented hours of classroom observation).

Area of Concentration

The bachelor's degree in Elementary Education requires the completion of an area of concentration of 15 hours in addition to hours completed in the general education component of the degree. An area of concentration is a group of courses with related content, which will enhance teaching in the elementary classroom. The area of concentration consists of a minimum of 15 semester hours.

Admission to the Professional component of the Teacher Education program is required. Transfer students who have completed the following admission requirements should apply at the time of initial enrollment. Refer to the College of Education website <https://coe.ksu.edu/student-success/undergraduate/admission-teacher-education.html> for requirements. Classes in the Professional Program cannot be taken at a community college.

KSU Courses	Hrs	JCCC Courses	Hrs	Online
Communications (8-9 hours)				
ENGL 100 Expository Writing I	3	ENGL 121 Composition I*	3	X
ENGL 200 Expository Writing II	3	ENGL 122 Composition II*	3	X
COMM 105 Public Speaking IA OR COMM 106 Public Speaking I	2 3	COMS 121 Public Speaking	3	
Humanities (9 hours)				
ENGL 355 Literature for Children	3	ENGL 232 Children`s Literature*	3	
EDEL 270 Arts for Elementary Schools	3	No Equivalent	N/A	
MUSIC 405 Music for Elementary Teachers	3	MUS 124 Basic Music for the Elementary Classroom	2	
Social Science (12 hours)				
HDFS 110 Introduction to Human Development	3	PSYC 218 Human Development*	3	
Choose 3 of the 4 subjects below:				
HIST 151 History of the U.S. to 1877 OR HIST 152 History of the U.S. Since 1877	3 3	HIST 140 U.S. History to 1877 OR HIST 141 U.S. History Since 1877	3 3	X X
GEOG 100 World Geography & Globalization	3	GEOS 145 World Regional Geography	3	X
GEOG 200 Human Geography	3	GEOS 155 Human Geography	3	
Political Science course – POLSC 115 U.S. Politics (<i>recommended</i>)	3	POLS 124 American National Government	3	X
Economics course	3	ECON 230 Principles of Macroeconomics OR ECON 231 Principles Microeconomics OR ECON 132 Survey of Economics	3 3 3	X X X
Natural Science (11 hours) <i>A course from each area is required and two areas require a lab.</i>				
(Biological Science)				
BIOL 101 Concepts of Biology OR BIOL 198 Principles of Biology	4 4	BIOL 121 Intro Biology for Non-Majors OR BIOL 135 Principles of Cell & Molecular Biology	4 4	
(Physical Science)				
CHM 110/111 General Chemistry/ Lab OR PHYS 101/103 The Physical World/Lab	3/1 3/1	CHEM 120 Chemistry in Society* OR CHEM 122 Principles of Chemistry* OR PSCI 120 Physical Science	4 5 4	
(Earth Science)				
GEOL 100 Earth in Action AND GEOL 103 Geology Lab	3 1	GEOS 130 General Geology	5	
Quantitative Sciences (9 hours)				
MATH 100 College Algebra (<i>grade of "C" or better required</i>)	3	MATH 171 College Algebra*	3	X
STAT 325 Introduction to Statistics (<i>grade of "C" or better required</i>)	3	MATH 285 Statistics for Business* OR MATH 181 Statistics*	4 3	
MATH 320 Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I	3	MATH 210 Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I*	3	

KSU Courses	Hrs	JCCC Courses	Hrs	Online
Teacher Education Courses (56 hours) – A grade of “C” or higher is required in all teacher education courses and practica. A 3.0 or higher GPA in teacher education courses and practica is needed before the Professional Semester.				
Pre-Professional Component (10 hours)				
EDCI 200 Teaching as a Career	1	No equivalent	N/A	
EDCI 230 Early Field Experience	1	No equivalent unless 40 hours can be documented with EDUC 121*	N/A	
EDEL 250 Health & Movement Education in Elementary Classrooms	2	EDUC 210 Creative Experience for Young Children* AND EDUC 250 Child Health, Safety and Nutrition* **EDEL 250 Health and movement is a 2 cr. hour class at K-State. If a student chooses to take EDUC 210 AND EDUC 250 at JCCC, the College of Ed will accept the 2 classes for EDEL 250.	3	
EDCI 110 Foundations of Education	3	EDUC 121 Introduction to Teaching*	3	X
EDCI 400 New Literacies in Contemporary Classrooms	3	No equivalent	N/A	
Required courses for Block A, Block B, Block C and Professional Semester will be taken at K-State.	46	No equivalent		

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

It is the STUDENT’S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer guide is provided as a service and is updated as needed. Degree requirements at the four-year colleges are subject to change by those institutions. To ensure you have the most accurate up to date information about the program, it is imperative you meet with an advisor at the transfer institution.