

**TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT**  
**University of Wisconsin-River Falls**  
**Wisconsin Technical College System**

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**A.A.S. Early Childhood Education**  
**B.S. Early Childhood Education**

WTCS students who successfully complete an A.A.S. degree after August 1, 2006 in Early Childhood Education (WTCS statewide curriculum) wishing to transfer to the University of Wisconsin-River Falls and who meet the conditions outlined below will be awarded the following credits towards a B.S. degree in Early Childhood Education through completion of the Early Childhood Transition to Degree Program, an Early Childhood comprehensive major. This agreement may be amended as necessary to reflect changes in program and general education courses at either institution. Students will be made aware of the current requirements at the time of their enrollment.

A WTCS transfer student could anticipate completing 19 general education credits, 31 Early Childhood major credits, and 10 elective credits at UWRF to fulfill the requirements of the Comprehensive Early Childhood Major earning a minimum of 120 credits.

**Table 1: General Education and Prerequisite Transfer Credits**

WTCS Courses			UWRF Courses		
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Course Number	Course Title/General Education Goals	Credits
<b>General Education Credits</b>			<b>General Education Credits</b>		
			<b>Goal 1: Communicate Effectively</b>		
			<i>CW: Communication-Reading and Writing</i>		
10 801 195	Written Communication	3	ENGL 100	Academic Reading and Writing	3
			<i>CS: Communication - Speaking and Listening</i>		
10 801 198	Speech	3	COMS 101	Fundamentals of Oral Communication	3
	<i>Choose two</i>		<b>Goal 2: Demonstrate Knowledge of Past and Present Human Endeavor</b>		
			<i>SB: Social and Behavioral Science -choose two</i>		
10 809 198	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
10 809 196	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOCI 100	Introduction to Sociology	3
10 809 122	Introduction to American Government	3	POLS 114	American Government and Politics	3
10 809 195	Economics	3	ECON 100	Modern Economics	3
			<b>University Requirements: American Cultural Diversity</b>		
10 809 172	Introduction to Diversity Studies	3	PSYC 385	Prejudice and Racism	3
<b>Total General Education Credits</b>		<b>15</b>	<b>Total General Education Credits</b>		<b>15</b>

**Table 2: Early Childhood Courses**

WTCS Early Childhood Courses			BS, Early Childhood Education Credits		
10 307 188 and 10 307 148 and 10 307 174 and 10 307 192	Guiding Children's Behavior Foundations of Early Childhood Education Practicum 1 Practicum 2	3 1 .5 .5	TED 211	Educational Psychology	5
10 307 179	Child Development	3	TED 225	Developmental Learning Experiences of Young Children	3
10 307 151 and 10 307 197 and 10 307 167	Infant & Toddler Development Practicum 3 Health, Safety, & Nutrition	2 .5 .5	TED 330	Infant and Toddler Programs	3
10 307 166 and 10 307 194 and 10 307 167 and 10 307 178 and 10 307 199	Curriculum Planning Math, Science, & Social Studies Health, Safety, & Nutrition Art, Music, & Language Arts Practicum 4	1 .5 .5 .5 .5	TED 332	Preschool Curriculum	3
10 307 195	Family & Community Relationships	3	TED 345	Parent Education and Family Development	3
10 307 198	Administering an Early Childhood Education Program	2	TED 400	Supervision and Management of Early Childhood Programs	2
10 307 187	Children with Differing Abilities	3	TED 405	Early Childhood Special Needs	3
10 307 178 and 10 307 166	Art, Music, & Language Arts Curriculum Planning	2.5 .5	TED 410	Early Childhood Language Arts	3
<b>Total Early Childhood Education Major Credits</b>		<b>25</b>	<b>Total Early Childhood Education Major Credits</b>		<b>25</b>

**\*NOTE: When equivalent course credits differ, transfer credits awarded by UWRF will equal the number taken at WTCS**

Elective Credits			Elective Credits		
10 307 148	Foundations of Early Childhood Education	2		TED Elective	2
10 307 151	Infant & Toddler Development	1		TED Elective	1
10 307 166	Curriculum Planning	1.5		TED Elective	1.5
10 307 167	Health, Safety, & Nutrition	2		TED Elective	2
10 307 174	Practicum 1	2.5		TED Elective	2.5
10 307 192	Practicum 2	2.5		TED Elective	2.5
10 307 194	Math, Science, & Social Studies	2.5		TED Elective	2.5
10 307 197	Practicum 3	2.5		TED Elective	2.5
10 307 198	Administering an Early Childhood Education Program	1		TED Elective	1
10 307 199	Practicum 4	2.5		TED Elective	2.5
<b>Total Elective Credits</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>Total Elective Credits</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		<b>60</b>		<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>60</b>

**Additional Requirements for Admission to the Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education:**

- Minimum grade point average of 2.50 overall, including grades from all institutions attended

**Requirements for Graduation with a Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education:**

- Minimum of 120 credits
- Minimum of 30 credits taken at UW-River Falls
- Minimum of 48 credits earned at a 4-year institution
- Final 15 credits taken at UW-River Falls
- Completion of UWRF general education and university requirements
- Minimum combined grade point average of 2.0 and a grade point of 2.50 in all major courses
- This agreement may be amended as necessary to reflect changes in program and general education courses. Students will be made aware of the current requirements at the time of their enrollment.

## Early Childhood Education Major Courses

**Table 2: Early Childhood Education major courses to be taken at UWRF (31 credits total)**

Course Number	Course Title	Credits
TED 255	Children's Literature for Elementary Education	3
TED 325	Diversity in Early Childhood Settings	3
TED 326	Place-based Environmental Science for Early Childhood Educators	3
TED 329	Exploring Nature through Inquiry Learning	3
TED 335	Kindergarten Curriculum and Materials	3
TED 409	English Language Learners in Early Childhood	2
TED 411	Leadership & Advocacy for Young Children	3
TED 451	Integrating Alternative Methodologies for Early Childhood	2
MUS 275	Music and Art for Early Learners	3
P ED 246	Health and Movement Activities for Children	3
COMD 160	Introduction to Communicative Disorders	3

## University and General Education Requirements

Courses that meet general education requirements may change. Please consult the UWRF web site at: <http://www.uwrf.edu/Catalog/GenEdRequirements.cfm> for a list of General Education courses and <http://www.uwrf.edu/Catalog/UniversityRequirements.cfm> for courses that meet University Requirements. For details about course transfer, please use Transferology (<https://www.transferology.com/>) to find additional courses that will fulfill general education requirements other than listed below.

(AD) American Diversity

TED 325 Diversity in Early Childhood Settings (3) (major course/double counts)

(GP) Global Perspectives

TED 327 Australia: An Integrated Cultural Study (3)

**I. GOAL ONE: COMMUNICATE EFFECTIVELY 3-9 credits**

CW (Communication – Reading and Writing) – select one course

ENGL 100-Academic Reading and Writing (3) (transferred)

CS (Communication – Speaking and Listening) – select one course

COMS 101-Fundamentals of Oral Communication (3) (transferred)

CA (Advanced Communication) – select one course

ENGL 200-Investigating Ideas: Reading, Writing, & the Disciplines (3)

ENG 102 composition II (3) (UW Colleges on line)

2. **GOAL TWO: DEMONSTRATE KNOWLEDGE OF PAST AND PRESENT HUMAN ENDEAVOR**  
**SB (Social and Behavioral Sciences)** 6 credits required for this program Note: Transferring student may receive credit for two of the following:

10-809-198	Introduction to Psychology	3
10-809-122	Intro to American Government	3
10-809-196	Introduction to Sociology	3
10-809-195	Economics	3

**HF (Humanities and Fine Arts)** 6 credits required for this program

3. **GOAL THREE: APPLY SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLES TO THE NATURAL WORLD**

**M (Mathematics)** TED 323 Math Early Elementary I (3) (Major course that double counts as a General Education course)

**SI (Scientific Inquiry)**

Select two course. The courses must be from different disciplines 6-8 credits

- BIOL 101 Concepts in Biology (3)
- BIOL 103 Fundamentals of Biological Evolution
- BIOL 150 General Biology
- CHEM 100 – Modern Alchemy (3)
- CHEM 101-Elementary Principles of Chemistry (3)
- CHEM 115 Concepts in General Chemistry
- CHEM 121 General Chemistry I (5)
- CHEM 124 Applied Chemistry and Society (4) (UW Colleges on line)
- CHEM 130 Introduction to Organic Chemistry
- GEOG 110 Physical Environment: Patterns and Systems
- GEOL 101-Introduction to Geology (3)
- PHYS 114-Basic Physics (3)
- PHYS 117-Astronomy (3)
- PHYS 121 Algebra Based Physics I (5)
- PHYS 131 Calculus Based Physics I (5)
- PHYS 151 General Physics I (4)
- PHYS 161 General Physics I (4)

5. **GOAL FIVE: EVALUATE INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY TO SELF, SOCIETY, AND THE WORLD**

**HW (Personal Health and Wellness)** – select one course

PED 108-Health and Fitness for Life (required) (1) (UWRF both face to face and on line)

**EC (Ethical Citizenship)** – select one course

TED 326 Place-based Environmental Science for Early Childhood Educators (3) (major course/double counts)

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Fernando Delgado, Provost  
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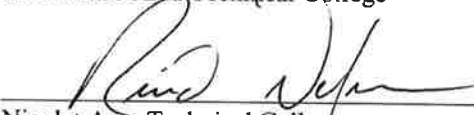
  
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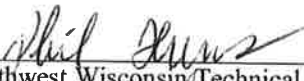
  
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