



**ARTICULATION AGREEMENT  
for transfer of credits from**

**Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS)  
Early Childhood Education (ECE)  
Associate of Applied Science Degree**

to

**The University of Wisconsin-Superior (UW-S)  
Elementary Education Bachelor's Degree**

Effective Dates: June 2016 -- June 2021 Review Date: December 2020

***Introduction and Rationale:***

The University of Wisconsin-Superior maintains an educational partnership with The Wisconsin Technical Colleges to provide opportunities for students to enter bachelor's degree completion programs. In the interest of fostering cooperation between our institutions, and to better serve the transfer of students from Wisconsin Technical Colleges to the University of Wisconsin-Superior, the faculty and administration of our institutions have established this articulation agreement.

This Agreement specifies the transfer of credit from the WTCS Associate of Applied Science Degree named above to the UW-S Bachelor's Degree named above in recognition that the WTCS program prepares students for admission to this Bachelor's Degree program. The underlying assumption for such agreement is that the technical college provides a foundation of coursework and the university provides the upper-level courses required within the Bachelor's Degree program.

WTCS students who successfully complete the Associate of Applied Science Degree named above and wishing to transfer to the University of Wisconsin-Superior Elementary Education Program with their minor in Early Childhood Education will be awarded the following credits toward a B.S. Degree in Elementary Education with an Early Childhood Minor.

WTCS Program			UW-Superior Program			
course #	course title	cr.	course #	course title	granted. cr.	needed cr.
<b>General Studies/University Studies Courses</b>						
10-801-195 10-801-136	Written Communication or English Composition 1	3	WRIT 102	College Writing II	3	
			WRIT 209	Professional Writing		3
10-801-198	Speech	3	COMM 110	Intro to Communication	3	
			HHP 102	Health and Wellness		3
10-804-189 10-804-134	Introductory Statistics or Mathematical Reasoning	3	Math 130 Math 112	Elementary Statistics or Intro to Contemporary Mathematics	3	
				History Course		3
				Literature Course		3
				World Language, Culture or Philosophy area		3

10-809-196	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOCI 101	Introduction to Sociology (Social Science)	3	
10-809-122	Introduction to American Government	3	POLS 150	American National Government (Social Science)	3	
10-806-112	Principles of Sustainability	3	BIOL 100 BIOL 189	Environmental Science And an elective science credit	2 1	
			Phys 160 or Chem 102	Lab Science: Physical Science or Chemistry of Everyday Phenomena		4
10-809-172	Introduction to Diversity Studies	3	SOCI 273	Race and Ethnicity	3	
				Art History/Criticism/Aporeciation		3
			MUSI 170	Aesthetic Experience		3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>21</b>		<b>Total General Education</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Electives from WTCS</b>						
10-307-151	ECE: Infant & Toddler Development	3	EC 189	Early Childhood elective	3	
10-307-167	ECE: Health, Safety & Nutrition	3	TED 289	Teacher Education elective	3	
10-307-179	ECE: Child Development	3	TED 189	Teacher Education elective	3	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>		<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	
<b>Major Courses in ELED</b>						
			TED 200	Introduction to Education		3
10-809-188	Developmental Psychology	3	TED 253	Human Development	3	
			TED 270	Multicultural Education		3
			TED 300	Theories of Student Learning		3
			TED 494	Principles and Practices of Inclusive Teaching		3
			EngEd 275	Developing Literacy		3
			EngEd 370	Reading and Language Arts Methods		3
			EngEd 465	Content Area Literacy		3
			MthEd 250	Essential Math for Teachers		3
			MthEd 322	Using Math in Content Areas		3
			MthEd 323	Teaching Elem/Middle School Math		3
			NSED 321	Teaching Elem/Middle School Science		3
			SSED 331	Teaching Elem/Middle School Social Studies		3
			ARTEd 335	Teaching Art in Elementary Grades		3
			MUSEd 383	Teaching Elem/Middle School Music		3
			HHPEd 343	Physical Education Methods and Curriculum		3
			HHPEd 344	Health Methods Curriculum		3
				Student Teaching (course # varies)		12
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>63</b>
<b>Additional Program Requirement</b>						
			GEOL 110 or 170	Physical Science (4) or Earth Science (3)		4 or 3
				Nonwestern (should be covered by specific Art, History or Literature.)		
				<b>Total</b>		<b>3/4</b>
<b>Minor Courses</b>						
10-307-148	ECE: Foundations of Early Childhood Education and	3	EC 252	Foundation of Early Childhood Education	3	
10-307-174	ECE: Practicum 1	3				
10-307-184	ECE: Children with Differing Abilities and	3	EC 353	Exceptional Needs of Young Children	3	
10-307-188	ECE: Guiding Children's Behavior	3				
10-307-178	ECE: Art, Music & Language Arts and	3	EC 355	Child Guidance	3	
10-307-199	ECE: Practicum 4	3				

10-307-194	ECE: Math, Science & Social Studies and ECE: Practicum 2	3	ECED 357	Early Childhood Methods	3	
10-307-195	ECE: Family & Community Relationships and ECE: Practicum 3	3	EC 479	Family and Culture	3	
10-307-198	ECE: Administering an Early Childhood Program	3	EC 486	Administration of Child Development Programs	3	
10-307-166	ECE: Curriculum Planning	3	EC 481	Seminars In Early Childhood	3	
			EngEd 463	Developing Literacy PreK-3		3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>		<b>Total ECED Minor</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>
				<b>Total credit transfer from WTCS</b>	<b>54</b>	
	<b>Total taken at WTCS (66-69)</b>	<b>66</b>		<b>Grand total at UW-Superior</b>		<b>91/92</b>

This articulation does not list all the courses that WTCS students might take as part of their WTCS Associate of Applied Science Degree that could transfer to UW-Superior and reduce the number of credits required at UW-Superior. It focuses on those specific to the ECE Program. Consult the Transfer Information System web site at <http://www.uwsa.edu/tis/>.

### Requirements:

**Admission to UW-Superior:** Students from WTCS must have completed the above-named program with a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0/4.0 for consideration for transfer to UW-Superior under the terms of this document. Admission to Elementary Education requires a 3.0/4.0

**Admissions to Teacher Education:** Admissions to UW-Superior does not guarantee admissions to the Teacher Education Program/Elementary Education Major (ELED). Students must pass a Criminal Background Check and provide a recent documentation of a negative tuberculosis test. Students must demonstrate competence in the basic skills of reading, writing, and mathematics by passing at specified levels of performance on one of the standardized test(s) (typically Praxis series or ACT) approved by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. Students must also achieve a grade point average (GPA) of 3.00 on at least 40 semester credits of collegiate-level course work including transfer credit in their required General Education courses and their major and minor content requirements. (For more information see the most up-to-date UW-Superior Catalog: Admissions to Teacher Education.)

**General Education/University Studies:** WTCS General Education/breadth courses in social sciences, communications, mathematics, and natural science may transfer in to fulfill some of UW-Superior's 42 General Education requirements. All General Education requirements not met by transfer credits must be completed for graduation. Some General Education requirements must be completed before Admissions to ELED. (The name 'General Education' will change in 2017 to University Studies but the same categories and most of the courses will remain the same.)

**Program Credits:** 63-64 credits are required to complete the Elementary Education Major. Three credits from the WTCS program named above may be transferred in and used toward the Elementary Education major, as listed above.

**Minor:** A Minor of at least 21 credits must be completed with this Major. The Early Childhood Education Program at WTCS (36 credits) transfers in as 21 credits and requires 3 more credits specifically from EngEd to complete the UW-S ECED Minor.

**Electives:** Elective WTCS courses not listed above will be reviewed with the UW System Transfer Information System or by the UW-Superior faculty on a case by case basis.

**Program Completion:** Students are required to complete a final project (in the case of Elementary Education this is 12 credits of appropriate student teaching full time for 18 weeks in the schools) to be eligible for the ELED degree. Students must have a GPA of 3.0/4.0 to move into Student Teaching. Wisconsin DPI requires that students pass the Praxis II in their area of licensure and the WI Foundation of

Reading Test before Student Teaching. While in Student Teaching students must take and pass the edTPA to apply for a WI Teaching License.

**General Degree Requirements:** In order to be awarded a degree from UW-Superior, students are required to earn:

- 120 total credits to complete the bachelor's degree named above,
- at least 30 credits at UW-Superior,
- at least 36 credits in upper-division courses (300-400 level), and
- their final 12 credits through UW-Superior .

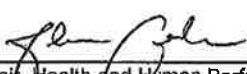
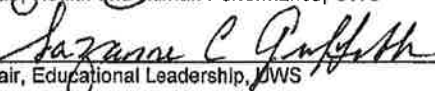
**Conditions:**

The terms of this articulation agreement apply only for the purposes of entry to the Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary Education at the University of Wisconsin-Superior. WTCS students seeking admission to other degree programs offered at UW-Superior may transfer to the University only those credits recognized under the current UW System-Transfer Guidelines as documented on the Transfer Information System web site at <http://www.uwsa.edu/tis/>.

This Agreement is limited to UW-Superior's requirements for completion of a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education only and reflects current catalog and Wisconsin licensure requirements. The state licensure requirements can change due to state or federal legislation at any time. Students seeking certification for licensure in Elementary Education must complete any additional requirements for such certification and those requirements supersede the requirements in this articulation.

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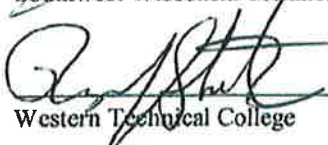
  
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