

12-1 System-wide Articulation Agreement Cover Page

Instructions: The originating college (OC) must complete this cover page and attach to the system-wide articulation agreement packet before submitting to the WTCS System Office.

It is the responsibility of the originating college to review and update the agreement by the listed renewal date and submit any changes to the WTCS office. Any changes must be reviewed by the colleges who signed the original agreement.

Please submit to programs@wtcsystem.edu when complete; the System Office is responsible for collecting ISA signatures.

Title of Program: Early Childhood Education

Program Number: 10-307-1

Postsecondary Partner College: UW-Superior

Originating College: Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College

Effective Date: June 2021

Renewal Date: June 2026

Date of Instructional Services Meeting: 6.3.2021



**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 (UWS)
Elementary Education Bachelor's Degree**

Effective Dates: June 2021-June 2026

Review Date: December 2026

Introduction and Rationale:

The University of Wisconsin-Superior maintains an educational partnership with the Colleges of the Wisconsin Technical System (WTCS 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 WTCS 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 UWS 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 minors in Instruction and Early Childhood Education will be awarded the following credits toward a B.S. Degree in Elementary Education with Instruction and Early Childhood Minors.

WTCS Program			UW-Superior Program			
Course #	Course Title	Cr.	Course #	Course Title	Granted Cr.	Needed Cr.
University Studies Courses						
10-801-136	English Composition 1	3	WRIT 102	Introduction to Academic Writing	3	

			WRIT 209	Introduction to Professional Writing		3
10-801-198	Speech	3	COMM 110	Introduction to Communication	3	
			HHP 102	Health & Wellness		3
10-804-118 or 10-804-134 or 10-804-135 or 10-804-189	Intermediate Algebra w/Applications or Mathematical Reasoning or Quantitative Reasoning or Introductory Statistics	3 or 4 credits	MATH 113/189 or MATH 112 or MATH 112 or MATH 130	Algebra w/ Applications Intro to Contemporary Math Intro to Contemporary Math Elementary Statistics	3 or 4 credits	
				History course		3
				Literature course		3
				World Language, Culture, & Philosophy category		3
10-809-198	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology (Social Science course #1)	3	
10-809-172	Introduction to Diversity Studies	3	SOCI 273	Race and Ethnicity (Social Science course #2)	3	
				Art History, Criticism, & Appreciation category		3
				Aesthetic Experience category		3
	Total:	15		Total University Studies:	15	21

Electives from WTCS

10-307-167	ECE: Health, Safety, & Nutrition	3	ECED 189	Early Childhood Education Elective	3	
	Total:	3		Total Electives:	3	

Elementary Education K-9 Major

			ENGED 275	Developing Literacy		3
			ENGED 370	Reading & Language Arts Methods		3
			ENGED 406	Children's Literature		3

			MTHED 250	Essential Math for Teachers		3
			MTHED 322	Teaching Elementary/Middle School Math I		3
			MTHED 323	Teaching Elementary/Middle School Math II		3
			NSED 321	Teaching Elementary/Middle School Science		3
			SSED 331	Teaching Elementary/Middle School Social Studies		3
				Pick 6 credits from:		
			ARTED 335	Teaching Art in the Elementary Grades		3
			HPED 343	Physical Education Methods/Curriculum		3
			HPED 344	Health Education Methods/Curriculum		3
			MUSED 383	Teaching Elementary School Music		3
			TED 470	Student Teaching Residency		12
				Total Elementary Education major:		42

Instruction Minor Courses						
			TED 100	Orientation to Teacher Education		1
			TED 200	Introduction to Education		3
			TED 270	Multicultural Education		3
			TED 300	Theories of Student Learning		3
			TED 339	Instructional & Assessment Strategies		3
			TED 394	Principles & Practices of Inclusive Teaching		3
			TED 407	The Middle School & Its Students		3
			ENGED 465	Content Area Literacy		3
				Total Instruction minor:		22

Early Childhood Education Minor Courses

10-307-148	ECE: Foundations of Early Childhood Education	3				
10-307-151	ECE: Infant & Toddler Development	3	ECED 252	Foundations of Early Childhood	3	
10-307-179	ECE: Child Development	3				
10-307-187	ECE: Children with Differing Abilities	3	ECED 353	Exceptional Needs of Young Children	3	
10-307-175	ECE: Preschool Practicum	3				
10-307-188	ECE: Guiding Children's Behavior	3	ECED 355	Child Guidance	3	
10-307-174	ECE: Introductory Practicum	3				
10-307-110	ECE: Social Science, Art, & Music	3	ECED 357	Early Childhood Methods	3	
10-307-112	ECE: STEM	3				
10-307-199	ECE: Advanced Practicum	3				
10-307-195	ECE: Family & Community Relationships	3	ECED 479	Family & Culture	3	
			ECED 486	Administration of Child Development Programs		3
10-307-108	ECE: Early Language & Literacy	3	ENGED 463	Developing Literacy PreK-3 rd Grade	3	
10-307-177	ECE: Intermediate Practicum	3				
	Total:	39		Total ECED minor:	18	3
				Total credit transfer from WTCS	43	
	Total taken at WTCS	57		Grand total at UW-Superior		88

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 Transferology website <https://www.transferology.com/index.htm>.

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 for consideration for transfer to UW-Superior under the terms of this document. Admission to the Teacher Education program requires a 2.75/4.0.

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 also achieve an honors grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 in all of their collegiate coursework. For more information see the most up-to-date UW-Superior Catalog: Admissions to Teacher Education.

University Studies: WTCS General Education/breadth courses in social sciences, communications, mathematics, writing, and natural science may transfer in to fulfill some of UW-Superior's 42 University Studies requirements. All University Studies requirements not met by transfer credits must be completed for graduation.

Major Credits: 42 credits are required to complete the Elementary Education Major.

Minor Credits: An Instruction Minor of at least 22 credits must be completed with this Major. An additional Minor in Early Childhood Education is available. The Early Childhood Education Program at WTCS (39 credits) transfers in as 18 credits and requires 3 more credits specifically from ECED to complete the UWS 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.

Advising: The UW-Superior and the WTCS colleges will provide academic advising to WTCS college learners inquiring about UW-Superior's programs. Learners will be connected with a UW-Superior advisor prior to transfer. UW-Superior and WTCS colleges will share materials, catalogs, and other information to facilitate the understanding of requirements and programs. WTCS colleges will assist UW-Superior in arranging recruitment events on its campuses.

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 2.75/4.0 to move into Student Teaching. The Wisconsin DPI requires that students pass appropriate Praxis content knowledge exams and the WI Foundation of Reading Test before Student Teaching.

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.

Marketing: Any marketing of this agreement will be subject to the prior approval of UW-Superior and the WTCS colleges and will adhere to each institutions standards for the use of its name and logo. Each

institution will assume responsibility for appropriate marketing to reach its student population. Each institution may provide a link to this agreement and/or the other institution(s) on its website, with notice to the other party.

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 Transferology website <https://www.transferology.com/index.htm>.

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 and Early Childhood Education must complete any additional requirements for such certification and those requirements supersede the requirements in this articulation.

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Agreement with: UW Superior

College Partner

for the Early Childhood Education

Primary State Program Title

and 10-307-1

Primary Number

Date: 06/10/2021

Calendar Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

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