



**Kennebec Valley Community College
&
University of Maine at Augusta**



TRANSFER AGREEMENT FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREE

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate student academic transfer and provide a smooth transition from Kennebec Valley Community College (K.V.C.C.) to University of Maine at Augusta (U.M.A.). It is recognized that this agreement shall describe the required program of study at K.V.C.C. for admission eligibility to U.M.A. and the degree program indicated.

Terms & Conditions of Academic Credit Transfer

To: Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education, Early Childhood Teacher (081)

From: Associate in Applied Science, Early Childhood Education

The evaluation and transfer of earned college credits shall be in compliance with state and federal education policies and institutional and academic program accreditation standards pertaining to undergraduate academic transfer. Current students and graduates who have earned degrees from Kennebec Valley Community College shall be eligible for credit evaluation under the terms of this agreement.

Transfer students will be accorded the same standards and criteria for admission to a major degree sequence as U.M.A. students. All applicants accepted to U.M.A.'s Baccalaureate programs must fulfill the graduation requirements of the granting institution as identified in Appendices A, B, & C.

Appendix A Contains Admission Requirements of the Receiving Institution

Appendix B Contains side-by-side course equivalency tables for the academic program listed above

Appendix C Contains a list of remaining courses to be taken at U.M.A.

APPENDIX A

Admission & Graduation Requirements of the Receiving Institution

This agreement includes specific requirements for admission into a program, outlines requirements, and indicates which degree or diploma can be used to meet program prerequisites as well as general education, major or program, and graduation requirements.

Admissions Requirements:

Successful completion of the K.V.C.C. Associate in Applied Science, Early Childhood Education program, submission of a completed admission application, transcripts and other supporting materials.

Requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education (081): *(See Appendix C)*

Remaining required coursework is listed in Appendix C.

Residency Requirement:

Baccalaureate degree candidates must have achieved a minimum GPA of 2.00, fulfilled all program requirements, and have completed 30 credit hours in U.M.A. courses, to include 9 upper-level credits in the major. The cumulative grade point average computation includes all course work taken at U.M.A.. Any exception to this rule will be reviewed by the college faculty and approved by the Dean of the College.

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APPENDIX B

K.V.C.C. Program Requirements and Their U.M.A. Equivalencies

Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
COM104, or COM105	Introduction to Communication, or Interpersonal Communication	3	COM 101, or COM 102	Public Speaking, or Interpersonal Communication	3
ENG101	College Composition	3	ENG 101	College Writing	3
MAT112	Foundations of Math for Teachers	3	MAT 130	Math for Elementary Teachers I	3
PHI110	Intro to Contemporary Ethics (Humanities electives accepted)	3	PHI 250	Ethics	3
PSY101	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 100	Introduction to Psychology	3
EDU217	Child and Adolescent Development	3	EDU 345W	Child Development	3
SOC101	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
BIO110	Scientific Inquiry (4 credit lab science accepted)	4	Refer to:	Transfer Guide	4
ECE131	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	3	EDU 1XX	Education Elective	3
ECE132	Early Language and Literacy Development	3	EDU 362	Language and Literacy in Early Childhood	3
ECE136	Program Foundations in ECE	1	EDU 1XX	Education Elective	1
ECE138	Early Learning Environments	3	EDU 261	Early Childhood Curriculum: Early Learning Environments	3
ECE140	Fostering Growth and Development: Infants and Toddlers	3	EDU 195	Infant and Toddler Development	3
ECE152	Children's Literature	3	EDU 366W	Children and Young Adult Literature	3
ECE156	Field Experience I - The Use of Observation in the Field	4	EDU 326	Observations and Assessment of Young Children	4
ECE158	Introduction to Exceptionalities in Early Childhood	3	EDU 363	Young Children with Special Needs	3
ECE200	Field Experience II - Partnerships in Early Childhood	4	EDU 217	Field Experience III	4
ECE210	Classroom Management	3	EDU 375	Managing K-12 Classrooms with Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS)	3
ECE250	Field Experience III - A Focus on Families and Professional Development	6	EDU 2XX	Education Elective	6
EDU202	Diversity and Cultural Responsiveness in Education	3	EDU 200W	Diversity, Poverty, and Cultural Competence	3

Total Credits: 64

APPENDIX C

Remaining U.M.A. Degree Requirements - Early Childhood Teacher (081)

Pre-Candidacy Phase:

Course	Title	Credits
EDU 100	Introduction to Teacher Education	3
EDU 210W	Dimensions of Literacy	3
EDU 250	The Teaching Profession	3
EDU 251	The Teaching Process	3
ANT 122, or ANT 308	Native American Cultures II, or Introduction to Wabanaki Studies	3

Early Childhood Teacher (081) Candidacy Phase:

Course	Title	Credits
EDU 325	Social Studies and the Project Approach for the Young Children	3
EDU 327	Mathematics for Young Children	3
Choose one:	EDU 328 Creative Development and Art for Young Children EDU 352 Intervention for Families with Children EDU 263 Play: The Roots of Learning	3
EDU 329	Science and the Project Approach for the Young Child	3
EDU 387	Teaching the Exceptional Child in the Regular Classroom (prerequisite to SED 365)	3
SED 365	Differentiated Instructional Strategies	3

Residency Year

Course	Title	Credits
EDU 395	Field Experience Seminar	3
EDU 396	Field Experience Practicum	3
EDU 399	Student Teaching Seminar	3
EDU 490	Student Teaching	9

Other Program Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
CIS 101, or CIS 103	Introduction to Computer Science, or Introduction to Computer Literacy	3
ENG 102W, or ENG 317W	Introduction to Literature, or Professional Writing	3
MAT 131	Math for Elementary Teachers II	3
Open	Fine Arts Course	3
Open	Complete a History Sequence	6

Total U.M.A. Credits: 69

Total K.V.C.C. and U.M.A. Credits: 133