

Associate in Arts - Teacher Preparation

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ABOUT THIS FIELD

Few professions impact more lives over time than teachers. If you've been inspired to make a difference in others' lives, SCC is the perfect place to start your journey. This pathway allows you to get at least 60 hours of college transfer courses that will be accepted by public universities throughout the state.



WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

Before teaching others, you'll become proficient in reading, writing, oral communication, fundamental mathematic skills and basic computer use.



WHAT YOU CAN DO

Upon completing this degree at Southwestern, you can transfer to a four-year institution and pursue a bachelor's degree in teaching in a non-STEM major.

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PROGRAM START DATES:

Fall, Spring or Summer Semesters

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CLASSES YOU'LL NEED TO TAKE

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS IN TEACHER PREPARATION (AA) A1010T

Total Semester Hour Credits: 60

ENGLISH/COMPOSITION - 6 credit hours required

Prefix	Number	Title	Class	Lab	Clinical	Credit
ENG	111	Writing & Inquiry	3	0	0	3
ENG	112	Writing & Research Disciplines	3	0	0	3

HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS - Select 9 credit hours from the following. One course must be a communication course.

ART	111	Art Appreciation	3	0	0	3
ART	114	Art History Survey I	3	0	0	3
ART	115	Art History Survey II	3	0	0	3
COM	120	Intro to Interpersonal Comm.	3	0	0	3
COM	231	Public Speaking	3	0	0	3
ENG	231	American Literature I	3	0	0	3
ENG	232	American Literature II	3	0	0	3
ENG	241	British Literature I	3	0	0	3
ENG	242	British Literature II	3	0	0	3
MUS	110	Music Appreciation	3	0	0	3
MUS	112	Introduction to Jazz	3	0	0	3
PHI	215	Philosophical Issues	3	0	0	3
PHI	240	Introduction to Ethics	3	0	0	3

SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE - Select 6 credit hours from two different disciplines:

ECO	251	Principles of Microeconomics	3	0	0	3
ECO	252	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	0	0	3
HIS	111	World Civilizations I	3	0	0	3
HIS	112	World Civilizations II	3	0	0	3
HIS	131	American History I	3	0	0	3
HIS	132	American History II	3	0	0	3
POL	120	American Government	3	0	0	3
PSY	150	General Psychology	3	0	0	3
SOC	210	Introduction to Sociology	3	0	0	3

NATURAL SCIENCE - Select 4 credit hours - one course with lab:

AST	111	Descriptive Astronomy	3	0	0	3
AST	111A	Descriptive Astronomy Lab	0	2	0	1
BIO	110	Principles of Biology	3	3	0	4
BIO	111	General Biology I	3	3	0	4
CHM	151	General Chemistry I	3	3	0	4
PHY	110	Conceptual Physics	3	0	0	3
PHY	110A	Conceptual Physics Lab	0	2	0	1

MATHEMATICS - Select 3 - 4 credit hours from the following:

MAT	143	Quantitative Literacy	2	2	0	3
MAT	152	Statistical Methods	3	2	0	4
MAT	171	Precalculus Algebra	3	2	0	4

OTHER GENERAL EDUCATION HOURS - 17 - 18 credit hours

SOC	225	Social Diversity	3	0	0	3
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OTHER REQUIRED HOURS - 14 credit hours

Academic Transition

ACA	122	College Transfer Success	0	2	0	1
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Education

EDU	187	Teaching and Learning for All	3	3	0	4
EDU	216	Foundations of Education	3	0	0	3
EDU	250	Teacher Licensure Preparation	3	0	0	3
EDU	279	Lit. Development and Instruction	3	3	0	4

Electives: Select 14-15 additional credit hours focusing on future major and area of teaching specialization.

(For a full list of electives to choose from please refer to the AA-Teacher Preparation page in the SCC Catalog.)