

Eastern Illinois University Education Programs
Early Childhood, Elementary, Secondary Education,
and Special Certificates (Art, Music, Physical & Special Education)
McHenry County College Transfer Guide
(Catalog 2011-2012)

Eastern Illinois University

Office of Admissions
Charleston, IL 61920
877-581-2348

Contact Person: Rita Pearson

Transfer guides are produced as a service to MCC students. Every effort is made to maintain up-to-date and accurate information; however, this information is subject to change. Such changes take precedence over the information on this guide. Students should work with an MCC advisor and the four-year transfer school. Responsibility for complying with all applicable requirements ultimately rests with the student.

EIU's early childhood, elementary, and secondary teacher certificate programs are offered through the College of Education & Professional Studies, along with special certificates in art, music, physical, and special education. Graduates of these programs are entitled to Eastern Illinois University's recommendation for Illinois initial certificates. The programs are accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE).

Admission Notes

- **Students must be admitted to Eastern Illinois University and apply for University Admission to Teacher Education.** Applications for admission to the University are accepted throughout the year; however, it is recommended that all information be received in the Office of Admissions at least 4 - 8 months before the semester begins.
- **Admission Criteria to University**
 - **30 or more transfer semester hours** – 2.0 cumulative GPA based on ALL college-level work attempted **and** a 2.0 cumulative GPA from last institution attended
 - **24 or more transfer semester hours** – 2.5 cumulative GPA based on ALL college-level work attempted **and** a 2.0 cumulative GPA from last institution attended
 - **Fewer than 24 transfer semester hours** – 2.0 cumulative GPA on all college-level work attempted and from last institution attended **and** meet freshmen admission requirements.
- **GPA Calculation for Admission** – For repeat courses, EIU uses the most recent repeated grade for calculating.
- **Formal Application for University Admission to Teacher Education:** All students interested in teacher education must attend the University Admission to Teacher Education meeting. Formal application forms and important information will be provided. Transfer students must attend this meeting no later than 30 days after initial enrollment at EIU. For meeting dates, go to the following website: www.eiu.edu/ceps/teached/#admission.
- **Selection Process for Teacher Certification Program:**
 - Submit a formal application for University Admission to Teacher Education
 - Complete at least 29 semester hours
 - Obtain and document passing scores on the Illinois Test of Basic Skills
 - Establish a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.65/4.0. (Some majors may require a higher GPA.) Transfer students may use a transfer GPA if the application for University Admission to Teacher Education is submitted no later than 30 days after initial enrollment at EIU.
- **University Approval to Take Teacher Education Courses:**
 - Apply and be selected to Teacher Certification Program
 - Submit a letter of intent to Office of the Dean, College of Education & Professional Studies
 - Establish and maintain a cumulative EIU GPA 2.65/4.0 (Some majors require a higher cumulative GPA)
 - Complete Speech and Hearing Clearance. Phone Speech, Language, Hearing Clinic for appointment, \$5 fee (Phone: 217-581-2712)
 - Complete the first required Criminal Background Investigation (\$18 fee)
 - Document grade of C or better in the following courses (MCC equivalents in parentheses): ENG1001G, Comp. & Lang. (*ENG151*); ENG1002G, Comp. & Lit. (*ENG152*); CMN1310G, Intro. to Speech Communication (*SPE151*); **AND**

Early Childhood Education (birth–grade 3)

MAT1420 & 2420 (*MAT201 & 202*) **and**
ELE2321, Child Growth & Development (*ECE120*)
SPE2000, Disabilities in the Context of Education & the Life Span (For Special Ed. Option – MCC has no equivalent)

Elementary Education (K-9)*

MAT1420 & 2420 (*MAT201 & 202*) **and**
ELE/MLE2000, Teacher & the School (*EDU251*) **and**
ELE2320, Childhood & Early Adol Dev (*ECE120* or *PSY251*)

Secondary Education (6-12)*

College level math (*IAI GECC Math*) **and**
SED2000, Teacher & the School (*EDU275*)

Special Education (K-12)*

MAT1420 & 2420 (*MAT201 & 202*) **and**
ELE2000, Teacher & the School (*EDU251*) **and**
ELE2320, Childhood & Early Adoles.Dev. (*ECE120* or
PSY251) **and**
SPE3201, Observation of Indiv. Labeled Mildly/
Moderately Exceptional (*no equivalent*)

Special Certificates (K-12)*

College level math (*IAI GECC Math*) **and**
Art – ART2400, Intro to Art Education (*ART170*)
Foreign Lang - ELE2320, Childhood & Early Adol Dev
(*ECE120* or *PSY251*)
Music – MUS2440 Intro to Music Ed (*no equivalent*)
Physical Education – KSS2000, Teaching PE Activities
(*no equivalent*)

* **Teaching in grades 6-8 requires additional specific course work relative to middle grades.**

- **Formal University Admission to Teacher Education Programs:** To be formally admitted to Teacher Education Programs, students must meet the criteria listed above and successfully complete SED3330/EDP3331 or SED3100 or ELE3000 or ELE3250 or MLE3110 or SPE4800/4820 with a grade of C or better and positive practicum evaluations.

Additional EIU requirements that may be taken at MCC	MCC Equivalents
<p>Early Childhood</p> <p>_____ ELE2321 Child Growth & Development _____ EDU2022 Teaching & Learning w/Technology (Child & Family Studies Option) _____ EDF2555 Diversity of Schools & Society</p> <p>Concentration - Child & Family Studies (birth – grade 3): <i>15 semester hours, 6 of which must be upper level, from Family & Consumer Sciences, Sociology, or Psychology</i></p> <p>Concentration – Special Education (birth – grade 3) : Complete specific upper level course work at EIU.</p>	<p>ECE120 CIS110 + CIS210 EDU255</p> <p>Recommended courses: PSY265, 251; SOC 101, 255 (courses cannot double count for concentration, gen. ed., or major)</p>
<p>Elementary Education</p> <p>_____ ELE/MLE2000 Teacher & the School _____ ELE2320 Childhood & Early Adolescent Dev. _____ EDU2022 Teaching & Learning w/Technology _____ EDF2555 Diversity of Schools & Society</p> <p>Two distinct options are offered: General and Middle School, both to Standard Elementary Certification (K – 9). General Option emphasizes K – 6, the Middle School Option emphasizes grades 5 – 8 with a subject matter endorsement for grades 5 – 9.</p> <p>General Option Concentration - 15 semester hours, 6 of which must be upper level, cannot be used to satisfy both general education and concentration requirement (diversity gen.ed. course is exception)</p> <p>English - Must include the following: ENG2901 American Literature course Children’s Literature course</p> <p>Fine Arts - Courses from at least 2 disciplines with a minimum of 2 courses from each. (Art, Music, or Theatre Arts)</p> <p>Foreign Language</p> <p>General Science - Courses from at least 2 disciplines with a minimum of 2 courses from each. (Biological Science, Chemistry, Earth Science, Geology, & Physics)</p> <p>Mathematics</p> <p>Social Science - Courses from at least 2 disciplines with a minimum 2 courses from each. Must include 1 course in world civilization. (Economics, Geography, History, & Political Science)</p> <p>Middle School Option w/Subject Area Endorsement - 18 semester hours, 6 of which must be upper level, cannot be used to satisfy both general education and concentration requirement (diversity gen.ed. course is exception)</p> <p>English ENG2901 American Literature course Children’s Literature course (must be upper level)</p> <p>General Science - At least 2 courses from biological science and 2 from physical science. Must include both Chemistry & Physics and the following: BIO1100 BIO1200G or BIO1300G</p> <p>Mathematics - At least 3 of the following areas must be represented:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Calculus 2. Modern Algebra or Number Theory 3. Geometry 4. Computer Science 5. Probability & Statistics 6. History of Mathematics <p>Social Science - Select courses from at least 2 disciplines with a minimum of 2 courses from each discipline. Courses must include: HIS2010 or 2020 World Civilization course Non-US History course Electives from Economics, Geography, and Political Science</p>	<p>EDU251 ECE120 or PSY251 CIS110 + CIS210 EDU255</p> <p>No more than 9 semester hours may be taken at MCC. It is very important to work closely with an MCC advisor when selecting courses for your concentration. An EIU advisor <u>must</u> approve the coursework.</p> <p>No equivalent ENG260 or 261 EDU252</p> <p>Fine Arts, Foreign Language, General Science, Mathematics, and Social Science: Courses that meet the subject area at the lower division are accepted. (It is important to work with an academic advisor.)</p> <p>No more than 9 semester hours may be taken at MCC. It is very important to work closely with an MCC advisor when selecting courses for your concentration. An EIU advisor <u>must</u> approve the coursework.</p> <p>No equivalent ENG260 or 261 No equivalent</p> <p>BIO157 BIO158</p> <p>MAT175, 245, 255 MAT253, 260</p> <p>CSC121, 122 MAT220</p> <p>HIS170 or 172</p> <p>HIS131 or 132</p>
<p>Special Education (K – 12 standard special certification) ELE2000, Teacher & the School ELE2320, Childhood & Early Adoles.Dev EDU2022 Teaching & Learning w/Technology</p>	<p>EDU251 ECE120 or PSY251 CIS110 + 210</p>

Additional EIU requirements that may be taken at MCC	MCC Equivalents
<p>Secondary Education and Special Certificates</p> <p>_____ SED2000 Teacher & the School (except Art, Foreign Lang, Music, & PE)</p> <p>_____ ART2400, Intro to Art Education Art Majors only</p> <p>_____ ELE2320, Childhood & Early Adol Dev (<i>ECE120 or PSY251</i>) Foreign Language Majors only</p> <p>_____ MUS2440 Intro to Music Ed (<i>no equivalent</i>) Music Majors only</p> <p>_____ KSS2000, Teaching PE Activities (<i>no equivalent</i>) Physical Education Majors only</p> <p>_____ EDU2022 Teaching & Learning w/Technology</p> <p>_____ EDF2555 Diversity of Schools & Society</p>	<p>EDU275</p> <p>ART170</p> <p>ECE120 or PSY251</p> <p>No equivalent</p> <p>No equivalent</p> <p>CIS110 + CIS210</p> <p>EDU255</p>
<p>The route to a high school certificate is through one of the academic majors. Majors with teacher certification are listed below, and the programs prepare students to teach in grades 6 - 12. Requirements are set by the major department (Art, Music, & PE – K-12).</p>	
<p>The following are course selections that can be taken at MCC to satisfy baccalaureate major requirements. It is very important for you to work closely with an MCC and an EIU advisor when selecting courses for your major. It is very likely that there are additional courses that can be taken at MCC. Please remember that 54 credits must be taken through baccalaureate granting institutions.</p>	
<p>Art</p> <p>ART 153, 156, 157, 158, 160, 167,171, 172, 180, 184, 230, 253, 271 (ART 171 & 172 can count to meet major course requirements in addition to the Fine Arts component of the general education program.)</p> <p>Career and Technical Education</p> <p>Business Education</p> <p>ACC151, ACC152, CIS110+AOM131, BUS150, ECO251, ECO252, MAT120 (ECO251, 252, and MAT120 can count to meet major course requirements in Addition to general education requirements.)</p> <p>Family & Consumer Sciences Education</p> <p>HFE250, CLM105</p> <p>Technology Education</p> <p>EGR151</p>	<p>Science</p> <p>(Credit can also be applied to general education requirements.)</p> <p>Bio. Sciences Specialization:</p> <p>BIO157, 158; 264; CHM 165, 166; GEG101/102 or GEL101/103; EAS120, 180; PHY280, 281; MAT120 or 220</p> <p>Chemistry Specialization:</p> <p>CHM165, 265; PHY291 292; MAT175, 245; BIO157, 158; GEG101/102 or GEL101/103; EAS120, 180</p> <p>Earth Science Specialization:</p> <p>GEG101/102 or GEL101/103; BIO157, 158; EAS120, 180; CHM165, 166; PHY280, 281</p> <p>Physics Specialization:</p> <p>PHY291, 292, 293; BIO157, 158; EAS120; CHM165, 166; GEG101/102 or GEL101/103; MAT175, 245, 255</p>
<p>English and Language Arts(must maintain cumulative and major 2.75 GPA)</p> <p>ENG253, ENG254, 6-8 hours of single 200-level foreign language can count toward English electives requirement</p>	<p>Social Sciences</p> <p>1. must maintain 3.0 major GPA and 2.75 cumulative GPA to complete program</p> <p>2. 45 credits of social science major must be completed at EIU</p> <p>3. credit can also be applied to general education requirements</p>
<p>Foreign Language (French, German, or Spanish)</p> <p>FRE151, FRE152, FRE251, FRE252</p> <p>SPA151, SPA152, SPA251, SPA252</p>	<p>Geography Specialization: GEG202, GEG101/102 or GEL101/103; EAS120; ECO251, 252; HIS170, 172; PLT150, 151, 155, 251; PSY151, 275; SOC151; ANT151</p>
<p>Health Studies</p> <p>BIO260 or BIO263</p> <p>6 sem.hrs. may be chosen from: HFE161, 250; PSY275</p>	<p>History Specialization:</p> <p>HIS170, 172, 131, 132; ECO251, 252; GEG202; PLT150, 155, 251; PSY151, 275; SOC151; ANT151</p>
<p>Mathematics</p> <p>CIS117 or CSC121; MAT175, 245, 253, 255 (MAT175 also counts toward general education credit.)</p>	<p>Political Science Specialization:</p> <p>PLT150, 151, 155, 251; ECO251, 252; GEG202; HIS170, 172; PSY151, 275; SOC151; ANT151</p>
<p>Music</p> <p>Instrumental, Vocal, or General Music Emphasis</p> <p>All students are required to audition in a performance area in advance of enrollment. Composition students should provide scores and/or tapes of original compositions prior to enrollment. All students who wish to transfer credit in music theory, aural training, music history, applied studies, and piano are required to take the placement examination in the subject(s). Transfer credit applies based on exam.</p>	<p>Psychology Specialization:</p> <p>PSY151, 265, 275, 280; ECO251, 252; GEG202; HIS132, 170, 172; PLT150, 151, 155, 251; SOC151; ANT151</p> <p>Sociology-Anthropology Specialization:</p> <p>SOC151, 260; PSY151, 275; ECO251, 252; GEG202; HIS132, 170, 172; PLT150, 151, 155, 251; ANT151</p>
<p>Physical Education with Teacher Certification</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades K – 12 standard special certification • Grades 6 – 12 standard high school certification BIO2001G Human Physiology (BIO260 or 263) KSS2850 Fitness for Life (HFE161) 	<p>Theatre Arts</p> <p>(Students must meet certification requirements in second teaching area other than psychology or communication studies.)</p> <p>SPE265: THE157, 159</p>

My MCC Education Plan

<p>Term _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>Term _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>Term _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>Term _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>Term _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>Term _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>