

Transfer Guide for Elementary Education
Northwest Missouri State University (2010-2012 Catalog) – Southwestern Comm. College

NORTHWEST		SWCC	
General Education Requirements			
10-111	Composition	ENG 105	Composition I
10-112	Composition	ENG 106	Composition II
29-102	Fundamentals of Oral Communication*	SPC 101	Fundamentals of Oral Comm.
17-171	Fundamentals of Mathematics*	MAT 117	Math for Elementary Teachers
34-102	Intro to American Gov. and Politics	POL 111	National Government
34-201	Missouri Politics (Not required if Gov't is taken at Northwest)		Must be taken at Northwest if POL111 is taken at SWCC.
33-155	America—A Historical Survey	HIS 151 HIS 152	US History to 1877 OR US History to 1877
04-102/103	General Biology/Lab	BIO 112	General Biology I/Lab
40-102/103	Physical Science/Lab	PHS 125	Physical Science/Lab
10-220	Intro to Literature	LIT 101	Intro to Literature
26-103	Western Civilization II: 1500 to the Present (recommended for Northwest humanities requirement)	HIS 111	Western Civilization: Early Modern-Present
13-102 19-201	Art Appreciation OR The Enjoyment of Music	ART 101 MUS 100	Art Appreciation OR Music Appreciation
52-150 52-151 52-130	General Economics I OR General Economics II OR Survey of Economics	ECN 120	Principles of Macroeconomics
32-101	Introduction to Geography	GEO 121	World Regional Geography
08-303	Educational Psychology*	PSY 281	Educational Psychology
B.S.Ed. degree requirements			
44-130 62-130	Computers and Info. Technology OR Ed Computing and Technology	CSC 110	Intro to Computers
	Multicultural /Diversity Competency (several options available, see NW catalog)		Any 100-level language course OR EDU 220, CLS 105, 150, 164, 168, HIS 257
14-100 level	Modern Language Course (French, Spanish, or Sign available at Northwest)		Any 100-level language course (students may take two semesters of a language to fulfill both Modern language requirement and Multicultural/Diversity Competency.)
Major Requirements			
<i>Clinical Experiences</i>			
62-211	Observation and Activity in the Elementary School (1)*	EDU 110	Exploring Teaching
62-407	Elementary School Language Arts Practicum (1)*		Must be taken at Northwest
62-420	Content Teaching in the Elem. School (3)*		Must be taken at Northwest
62-456	Practicum and Seminar in Elementary School Reading (3)*		Must be taken at Northwest
62-471	Directed Teaching in the Elem. School (12-14)*		Must be taken at Northwest
62-591	Seminar in Education (1)*		Must be taken at Northwest
<i>Foundations for Teaching</i>			
62-301	Reporting Pupil Progress (2)*		Must be taken at Northwest
62-371	Introduction to Special Education (2)*		Must be taken at Northwest
08-312 08-333	Child Psychology (2)* OR Developmental Psychology (3)*	PSY 121	Developmental Psychology
61-461	School and Society (3)*	EDU 213	Introduction to Education
<i>Teaching Methods</i>			
62-216	Lit for the Elementary School (3)*	LIT 105	Children's Literature
62-320	Classroom and Behavior Management (3)*		Must be taken at Northwest
62-356	Teaching Reading/Language Arts in the Elementary School (4)*		Must be taken at Northwest
62-380	Diagnostic and Corrective Reading (2)*		Must be taken at Northwest
62-410	Elementary School Social Studies (3)*		Must be taken at Northwest
13-380	Art in the Elementary School (2)*		Must be taken at Northwest
17-471	Math Methods for Elem. Teachers (3)*		Must be taken at Northwest
19-380	Music Methods for Elem. Ed. (2)*		Must be taken at Northwest
22-238	Health and PE Methods in the Elementary School (3)*		Must be taken at Northwest
28-380	Methods in Elem. School Science (3)*		Must be taken at Northwest
17-371	Algebra and Geometry for Elementary and Middle School Teachers (3)*		Must be taken at Northwest

*Requires "C" or better

Notes:

- Students planning to complete an Associate of Arts degree may be able to waive some general education classes and should seek advisement.
- Students majoring in Elementary Education do a 21-hour subject area concentration, a minor in Early Childhood or other areas as agreed to with an advisor, or a double major with Special Education, in addition to degree requirements listed here. Some classes from SWCC may be equivalent to concentration area courses.
- Students in education must achieve a 20 or higher on the ACT, a satisfactory C-Base score, and a minimum GPA of 2.5 for admittance to the Teacher Education program.
- Students must receive a grade of C or better in all major courses and directed General Education Requirements, excluding Economics.
- As new catalogs come into effect at Northwest degree requirements may change.
- See the Northwest catalog or the Teacher Education Student Services Office for further explanation of requirements for teacher certification.