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Northwest – Kansas City | Kansas City Kansas Community College B.S.Ed. Elementary Education and Special Education: Cross Categorical Transfer Guide

Important Notes

- An **Associate of Arts** degree may be able to waive some CORE requirements at Northwest. Seek advisement for proper course selection. **Digital Literacy, Global Experiences, and any course listed as required cannot be waived by a prior A.A. degree.**
- Kansas City Kansas Community College – Kansas City courses marked with (*) are listed under two different CORE categories. They may transfer to satisfy only one of Northwest's CORE areas, not both.
- Admittance to the **Professional Education Program** is contingent upon specific requirements outlined by the [TESS Office](#).
- This guide is for the 2016-2017 undergraduate academic catalog. As new catalogs come into effect at Northwest, degree requirements may change. Students will automatically be placed under the catalog of initial enrollment at Northwest, or may choose to move forward catalog years. However, transfer students are eligible to graduate within the Northwest catalog upon which they were initially enrolled at the community college if they had been continuously enrolled and had not sat out for more than 18 months.
 - **Returning students** who are accepted to return to Northwest will be automatically placed under the catalog of initial re-enrollment at Northwest. If a student wishes to return to the catalog they were under while previously attending Northwest, please contact the Registrar's Office at REGISTRAR@nwmissouri.edu.

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**CORE Requirements
(48-52 credit hours)**

No more than 7 hours below a 'C' in courses that meet CORE requirements.

Course Number	Course Name	Course Number	Course Name
Critical Northwest CORE Courses (must be completed prior to beginning at NWKC)			
BIOL 04-106/107	Principles of Biology & Lab (required)	BIOL 0121	General Biology (required) <i>Kansas City Kansas CC does not have a direct equivalent to BIOL 04-102/103. Please see advisor for substitution form if you complete BIOL 0121.</i>
ART 13-102 or MUS 19-201	Art Appreciation (required) or The Enjoyment of Music (required)	FNAR 0101 or FNAR 0102	Art Appreciation (required) or Music Appreciation (required)
PHSC 40-102/103	The Physical Sciences & Lab (required)	NASC 0103	General Physical Science (required)
PSYC 08-299	Educational Psychology (required)		No equivalent course – see NWKC advisor.
COM 29-102	Fundamentals of Oral Communication [^] (required)	SPCH 0151	Public Speaking [^] (required)
CSIS 44-130	Computers and Information Technology (required)	CIST 0101 or CIST 0111	Computer Concepts & Applications (required) or Microcomputer Business Software (required)
ENGL 10-111	Composition I: Academic Literacies	ENGL 0101	Composition I
ENGL 10-112	Composition II: Writing as Engagement	ENGL 0102	Composition II
GEOG 32-101	Intro to Geography (required)	GEOG 0101 or GEOG 0102	Intro to Cultural Geography* (required) or Intro to Physical Geography (required)
HIST 33-155 or HIST 33-156	US History to 1877 or US History since 1877	HIST 0104 or HIST 0105	United States to 1877 or United States since 1877
POLS 34-102	Introduction to American Government & Politics	POSC 0111	American Government
MATH 17-171	Fundamentals of Mathematics [^] (required)		Must be taken at Northwest. (required)
Global Experiences (choose 1)			
ENGL 10-226 LANG 14-131 LANG 14-132 LANG 14-141 LANG 14-142 LANG 14-151 HUM 26-162 EDUC 61-252	Modern and Contemporary World Literature French: Communication and Culture I French: Communication and Culture II Spanish: Communication and Culture I Spanish: Communication and Culture II Intro. to American Sign Language & Deaf Culture Comparative Religions Pluralism in a Multicultural Society	ENGL 0106 LANG 0101 LANG 0102 LANG 0141 LANG 0142 HUDV 0263 HUMN 0207 EDUC 0262	Modern World Literature* French I French II Spanish I Spanish II American Sign Language I Comparative World Religions* Education in a Multicultural Society
COM 29-225 ENGL 10-224 GEOG 32-102 HUM 26-104 LANG 14-161 LANG 14-162 MUS 19-280 MMED 20-221 POLS 34-105 REC 45-211 CORE 90-206	Other options: Intercultural Communication Multiethnic Literature of the US Peoples and Cultures of the World The Eastern World Russian: Communication and Culture I Russian: Communication and Culture I World Music Ethnographic Film Study The African World Leisure and Society Interdisciplinary Engagement: Global Experiences	ANTH 0106 BUSN 0214 ENGL 0105 ENGL 0135 ENGL 0220 ENGL 0221 GEOG 0101 LANG 0121 LANG 0122 LANG 0161 LANG 0162 HIST 0115 HIST 0116 HUMN 0152 SOSC 0109	Other options: Native American Indians* International Business Cultures Early World Literature* World Mythology* American Indian Literature* Latino Literatures & Cultures* Intro to Cultural Geography* German I German II Arabic I Arabic II World Civilization I* World Civilization II* Women in Religion Diversity Studies
Literature (choose 1)			
ENGL 10-220	Intro to Literature	ENGL 0104	Introduction to Literature
		ENGL 0105 ENGL 0106 ENGL 0108 ENGL 0109 ENGL 0132 ENGL 0133 ENGL 0135 ENGL 0140 ENGL 0210 ENGL 0211 ENGL 0212 ENGL 0214 ENGL 0217 ENGL 0218 ENGL 0220 ENGL 0221	Other options: Early World Literature* Modern World Literature* Intro to Poetry Intro to Fiction Intro to Science Fiction Women in Literature World Mythology* Detective Fiction Early American Literature Modern American Literature Drama as Literature: Early to Modern Afro American Literature Early English Literature Modern English Literature American Indian Literature* Latino Literatures & Cultures*
Western Experiences (choose 1) – (R): Recommended			
HUM 26-102	Western Civ I: Ancient World to 1500	HIST 0204 or HIST 0117	Western Civilization I or Readings in Western Civilization I
HUM 26-103	Western Civ II: 1500 to Present (R)	HIST 0205 or HIST 0118	Western Civilization II (R) or Readings in Western Civilization II (R)
PHIL 39-171 PHIL 39-274	Intro to Philosophy Historical Ethics	PHIL 0103 PHIL 0206	Intro to Philosophy Ethics

PHIL 39-276 COM 29-235 PHIL 39-275	Bio-Medical Ethics Other options: Intro to Classical Rhetoric Professional Ethics	PHIL 0207 HIST 0103 HIST 0106 HIST 0108 HIST 0109 HIST 0115 HIST 0116 HUMN 0101 HUMN 0102 HUMN 0207 PHIL 0105 PHIL 0107	Philosophical Found. In Healthcare Ethics Other options: Modern Asia Black History Religion in America The Bible as History World Civilization I* World Civilization II* Arts & Culture of the Early World Arts & Culture of the Modern World Comparative World Religions* Logic Business Ethics
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Major Requirements			
B.S.Ed in Elementary Education (71 hours)			
Must achieve a grade of 'C' or higher in all major courses <i>excluding economics</i> per the 2016-2017 undergraduate academic catalog.			
Critical Northwest CORE Courses (10-12 credit hours) <i>(must be completed prior to beginning at NWKC)</i>			
EDUC 61-461	School and Society (3)		No equivalent course – see NWKC advisor.
EDCI 62-371	Introduction to Special Education (3)		No equivalent course – see NWKC advisor.
EDCI 62-211	Observation & Activity in the Elem. School (1)	EDUC 0160	Intro to Teaching Careers Awareness
EDCI 62-216	Literature for the Elementary School (3)	ENGL 0107	Children's Literature
Foundations for Teaching (8 hours)			
PSYC 08-312 or PSYC 08-333	Developmental Psychology (3) or Child Psychology (3)	PSYC 0203 or PSYC 0202	Human Development or Child Development
PSYC 08-299	Educational Psychology (also listed above)		No equivalent course – see NWKC advisor.
EDCI 62-301	Reporting Pupil Progress (2)		Must be taken at Northwest
Teaching Methods (24-27 hours)			
HPER 22-238	Health and PE Methods in Elem. School (2)	EXSC 0209	Physical Education for the Elementary Teacher <i>*We recommend taking this through Northwest, but the above course may be transferred.</i>
EDCI 62-320	Classroom Behavior Management (3)		
EDCI 62-356	Teaching Reading/Lang. Arts in Elem. School (4)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDCI 62-380	Diagnostic and Corrective Reading (2)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDCI 62-410	Elementary School Social Studies (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
ART 13-380	Art in the Elem. School (2-3)		Must be taken at Northwest
MATH 17-471	Math Methods for Elementary Teachers (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
MUS 19-380	Music in the Elem. School (2)		Must be taken at Northwest
SCED 28-380	Methods in Elementary School Science (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
Clinical Experiences (20 hours)			
EDCI 62-407	Elem. School Lang. Arts Practicum (1)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDCI 62-420	Content Teaching in Elementary Schools (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDCI 62-456	Practicum and Sem. in Elem. School Rding (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDUC 61-471	Directed Teaching in the Elementary School (12)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDCI 62-591	Seminar in Education (1)		Must be taken at Northwest
Elementary School Course (3 hours)			
MATH 17-371	Alg/Geom for Elem/Middle School Teachers (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
Certification Course (Choose one course for 3 hours)			
ECON 52-130 or ECON 52-150 or ECON 52-151	Survey of Economics (3) or Principles of Macroeconomics (3) or Principles of Microeconomics (3)	ECON 132 ECON 230 ECON 231	Survey of Economics or Economics I or Economics II
Degree Requirement (3 hours)			
EDUC 61-569	Multiculturalism in Education (3)		Must be taken at Northwest

Specializations Information:

Students majoring in Elementary Education must choose a specialization. One of the following may be completed to fulfil this requirement:

- Subject area concentration (21 hours)
- Minor in Early Childhood Education (30-31 hours)
- Double major in Elementary Education & Special Education: Cross-Categorical (see *Special Education Transfer Guide* for further information)

Language Arts Concentration (9 additional hours) <i>***Classes may also be used as general education and major requirements</i>			
ENGL 10-112	Composition II*** (3)	ENGL 0101	Composition I
COM 29-102	Fundamentals of Oral Communication*** (3)	SPCH 0151	Public Speaking
ENGL 10-220	Intro to Literature*** (3)	ENGL 0104	Introduction to Literature <i>or another course listed under the Literature option above.</i>
EDCI 62-356	Teachng Rdng/Lang. Arts in Elem. School*** (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
ENGL 10-226 ENGL 10-233 ENGL 10-234 ENGL 10-245 ENGL 10-322 ENGL 10-404 ENGL 10-590 COM 29-225 COM 29-325 COM 29-336 LANG 14-251	Nine (9) additional hours of approved coursework, may include: Modern and Contemporary World Literature (3) American Literature: Beginnings to 1865 (3) American Literature: 1865 to Present (3) English Literature: Beowulf to 18 th Century (3) Intro to Teaching Writing (3) Schoolhouse Grammars (3) Young Adult Literature (3) Intercultural Communication (3) Listening Behavior Skills (3) Non-Verbal Communication (3) Sign Language I (3)		Advisor approved classes from KCKCC may be used to fulfill this requirement.

Early Childhood Education Minor (26-31 additional hours) <i>Certifies Birth through Grade 3; required for teaching in a self-contained kindergarten classroom in Missouri</i>			
EDCI 62-312	Developing Found. of ECE (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDCI 62-330	Health, Nutrition & Safety of Young Children (2)	CHLD 0220	Wellness, Health & Safety for the Young Child
EDCI 62-340	Principles of ECE (2)	CHLD 0100	Fundamentals of Early Care Education
EDCI 62-341	EC Program Management (3)	CHLD 0146	Child Care Administration
EDCI 62-531	Curriculum and Methods in EC (3)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDCI 62-532	Family & Community Resources in EC (2)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDCI 62-541	Assessment & Early Intervention in EC (3)	CHLD 0225	Assess. & Intervent. for Child w/ Special Needs
EDCI 62-543	Practicum in (4)		Must be taken at Northwest
EDUC 61-473	Directed Teaching EC (1-6) **Advisement necessary if also enrolling in EDUC 61-480 Directed Teaching EC/Special Education		Must be taken at Northwest
PSYC 08-405	Parenthood Education (3)	CHLD 0165	Parenting & Parent Involv. in Child Care Ed