

Elementary Education Associate in Science

Offered Online

Degree Program Mentor

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Program Objective

The objective of the Elementary Education Associate in Science is to prepare students for transfer to a bachelor's degree granting institution to major in elementary education.

Requirements for Graduation

1. Sixty-one designated semester credit hours.
2. Grade of "C" or better required in all Major Field Requirement courses.
3. Grade Point Average of 2.0 or better.
4. Fifteen semester credit hours in attendance at SSC.
5. Completion of Graduate Exit Survey.

Please Note: Consult with advisor for specific transfer requirements. General Education and Major Field requirements vary between universities.

Transfer Note: A statewide transfer agreement guarantees students transferring to an Oklahoma public four-year university **with an associate in arts or associate in science degree** that the associate degree will satisfy all freshman and sophomore general education requirements at the four-year university.

General Education Requirements 31

GOV 1113	American National Government	3
HIST 1483	American History to 1877 or	
HIST 1493	American History since 1877	3
ENG 1113	Composition I	3
ENG 1213	Composition II	3
SPCH 1143	Speech	3
ENG XXX3	Any Literature Course	3
HIST/HUM 2223	Early Western Civilization to 1660 or	
HIST/HUM 2233	Modern Western Civilization since 1660	3
MATH 1413	Quantitative Reasoning	3
SCIENCE	<i>met by program</i>	
CAP 1103	Introduction to Microsoft Office	3
HPER 1012	Wellness and Human Development	2
STSC 1002	Learning Strategies	2
ELECTIVE	<i>met by program</i>	

Major Field Requirements 27

GEOG 1123	World Regional Geography	
MATH 2113	Number Theory for Elementary Teachers (SO)	
MATH 2123	Geometry for Elementary Teachers (SO)	
MATH 2133	Ratios, Probability, and Statistics for Elementary Teachers (FO)	
SCIENCE	Any Life Science with lab (4 hours) and	
	Any Physical Science with lab (4 hours) and	
	Any Life or Physical Science with lab (4 hours)	
PSY 1113	General Psychology	

Major Field Electives and Support..... 3

Select from the following:

ART/HUM 1203	Art Appreciation	
ART 1103	Fundamentals of Art I (FO)	
ART 1133	Fundamentals of Art II (FO)	
CD 1123	Early Childhood Education	
ENG 1313	Technical Report Writing (SOO)	
ENG 2103	Fiction Writing (FO)	
ENG 2113	Creative Writing (FO)	
ENG 2123	Poetry Writing (SO)	
PSY 2023	Developmental Psychology	
PSY 2103	Child and Adolescent Psychology	
SPCH/HUM 1523	Introduction to Theatre (FO)	

MINIMUM TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREE 61

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Degree Requirements Checklist

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6 hrs.	GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS	27 hrs.	MAJOR FIELD REQUIREMENTS
9 hrs.	Social Sciences <input type="checkbox"/> GOV 1113 American National Government <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1483 American History Survey to 1877 or <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1493 American History Survey since 1877		<input type="checkbox"/> GEOG 1123 World Regional Geography <input type="checkbox"/> MATH 2113 Number Theory for Elementary Teachers (SO) <input type="checkbox"/> MATH 2123 Geometry for Elementary Teachers (SO) <input type="checkbox"/> MATH 2133 Ratios, Probability, and Statistics for Elementary Teachers (FO) <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 1113 General Psychology
3 hrs.	Language Arts <input type="checkbox"/> ENG 1113 Composition I <input type="checkbox"/> ENG 1213 Composition II <input type="checkbox"/> SPCH 1143 Speech		LIFE SCIENCE* (Select at least one): <input type="checkbox"/> AGRI 1104 Introduction to Animal Science (FO) <input type="checkbox"/> AGRI 1204 Introduction to Plant and Soil Science (SO) <input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 1114 General Biology <input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 1214 Principles of Biology <input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 1224 General Botany (SO) <input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 1234 General Zoology (SO)
3 hrs.	Humanities / Any Literature Course: <i>Select one of the following:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> ENG/HUM 2033 Survey of Native American Lit. (SEO) or <input type="checkbox"/> ENG/HUM 2433 World Literature I (SO) or <input type="checkbox"/> ENG/HUM 2413 Introduction to Literature (FO) or <input type="checkbox"/> ENG/HUM 2753 American Literature I (SEO) or <input type="checkbox"/> ENG/HUM 2883 American Literature II (SOO) or <input type="checkbox"/> ENG/HUM 2543 British Literature I (FEO) or <input type="checkbox"/> ENG/HUM 2653 British Literature II (FOO) or <input type="checkbox"/> ENG/HUM 2443 Introduction to World Mythology (FOO)		PHYSICAL SCIENCE* (Select at least one): <input type="checkbox"/> AGRI 2144 Fundamentals of Soil Science (SO) <input type="checkbox"/> CHEM 1114 Introduction to Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> CHEM 1315 General Chemistry I <input type="checkbox"/> ENVS 1114 Intro. to Environmental Science (FO) <input type="checkbox"/> PHYS 1114 General Physical Science <input type="checkbox"/> PHYS 1214 Earth Science <input type="checkbox"/> PHYS 1314 Astronomy <input type="checkbox"/> PHYS 1414 Physical Geology <input type="checkbox"/> PHYS 2114 General Physics I (FO) <input type="checkbox"/> PHYS 2224 General Physics II (SO)
3 hrs.	Humanities / Western Civilization: <i>Select one of the following:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> HIST/HUM 2223 Early Western Civilization to 1660 or <input type="checkbox"/> HIST/HUM 2233 Modern Western Civilization since 1660		*Students must have a total of 3 sciences with labs: one life science, one physical science, and then another life or physical science.
3 hrs.	Mathematics <input type="checkbox"/> MATH 1413 Quantitative Reasoning		MAJOR FIELD ELECTIVES AND SUPPORT
3 hrs.	Life Science <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> met by program		<i>Select from the following:</i>
3 hrs.	Physical Science <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> met by program		<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 2023 Developmental Psychology <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 2103 Child & Adolescent Psychology <input type="checkbox"/> ART/HUM 1203 Art Appreciation <input type="checkbox"/> ART 1103 Fundamentals of Art I (FO) <input type="checkbox"/> ART 1133 Fundamentals of Art II (FO) <input type="checkbox"/> CD 1123 Early Childhood Education <input type="checkbox"/> ENG 1313 Technical Report Writing (SOO) <input type="checkbox"/> ENG 2103 Fiction Writing (FO) <input type="checkbox"/> ENG 2113 Creative Writing (FO) <input type="checkbox"/> ENG 2123 Poetry Writing (SO) <input type="checkbox"/> SPCH/HUM 1523 Introduction to Theatre (FO)
2 hrs.	Computer Applications <input type="checkbox"/> CAP 1103 Introduction to Microsoft Office		
2 hrs.	Health, Physical Education and Recreation <input type="checkbox"/> HPER 1012 Wellness and Human Development		
2 hrs.	Student Success <i>Required during first semester</i> <input type="checkbox"/> STSC 1002 Learning Strategies	3 hrs.	
31 hrs.	Fine Arts, Psychology, or Social Science Elective <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> met by program		
	TOTAL REQUIRED GENERAL EDUCATION HOURS		TOTAL REQUIRED MAJOR FIELD HOURS
			MINIMUM TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREE
		30 hrs.	Revised 02/2025
		61 hrs.	

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Semester by Semester Suggested Degree Plan*

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COURSE NUMBER- COURSE DESCRIPTION	HOURS
FRESHMAN YEAR, FALL	
<input type="checkbox"/> STSC 1002 LEARNING STRATEGIES	2
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 1113 COMPOSITION I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 1413 QUANTITATIVE REASONING	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HPER 1012 WELLNESS AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT	2
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 1113 GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY	3
<input type="checkbox"/> CAP 1103 INTRODUCTION TO MICROSOFT OFFICE	3
TOTAL:	16
FRESHMAN YEAR, SPRING	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 1213 COMPOSITION II	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ANY LIFE SCIENCE WITH LAB**	4
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 2113 NUMBER THEORY FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS (SO)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 2123 GEOMETRY FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS (SO)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1483/1493 AMERICAN HISTORY SURVEY TO 1877 OR SINCE 1877	3
TOTAL:	16
SOPHOMORE YEAR, FALL	
<input type="checkbox"/> SPCH 1143 SPEECH	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 2133 RATIOS, PROBABILITY, AND STATISTICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS (FO)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ANY PHYSICAL SCIENCE WITH LAB+	4
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG XXX3 ANY LITERATURE COURSE++	3
<input type="checkbox"/> GOV 1113 AMERICAN NATIONAL GOVERNMENT	3
TOTAL:	16
SOPHOMORE YEAR, SPRING	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAJOR FIELD ELECTIVE	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ANY LIFE SCIENCE OR PHYSICAL SCIENCE WITH LAB	4
<input type="checkbox"/> HIST/HUM 2223 EARLY WESTERN CIVILIZATION TO 1660 OR HIST/HUM 2233 MODERN WESTERN CIVILIZATION SINCE 1660	3
<input type="checkbox"/> GEOG 1123 WORLD REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY	3
TOTAL:	13
TOTAL HOURS:	61

*THIS IS A GUIDE TO HELP STUDENTS WITH PLANNING. A STUDY OF THE COURSE SCHEDULE AND A VISIT WITH YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR IS CRUCIAL FOR SUCCESS IN COMPLETING YOUR DEGREE.

****LIFE SCIENCES:**

AGRI 1104, AGRI 1204, BIOL 1114, BIOL 1214, BIOL 1224, BIOL 1234

+PHYSICAL SCIENCES:

AGRI 2144, CHEM 1114, CHEM 1315, ENVS 1114, PHYS 1114, PHYS 1214, PHYS 1314, PHYS 1414, PHYS 2114, PHYS 2224

++LITERATURE COURSES:

ENG 2033, ENG 2433, ENG 2413, ENG 2753, ENG 2883, ENG 2543, ENG 2653, ENG 2443

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