



- The systemwide transfer degree provides a pathway from any Kansas public community college offering the degree to any Kansas public university for individuals desiring to become licensed as a PK-6 elementary teacher. The pathway identifies courses/credit hours to be taken at the community college level and reflect the Kansas Board of Regents (KBOR) General Education framework “buckets” (https://www.kansasregents.org/academic_affairs/general-education/seven-bucket-framework) and recommended education coursework.
- The Associate of Arts in Elementary Education degree at JCCC, can be found at: <https://catalog.jccc.edu/degrecertificates/education/elementary-education-aa/>
- These courses/credit hours transfer to any KBOR university as the first sixty hours toward a 120-hour PK-6 Elementary Education program degree. The remaining sixty hours at KBOR universities are the required courses to complete the PK-6 Elementary Education degree.
- To see the full Fort Hays State University Course Catalog, go to: <https://catalog.fhsu.edu/>

KBOR General Education Program (34-35 credit hours)

FHSU Course	Hrs	JCCC Equivalent	Hrs
English – Bucket #1 – 6 credit hours			
ENG 101 English Composition I [^]	3	ENGL 121 Composition I*	3
ENG 102 English Composition II+	3	ENGL 122 Composition II*	3
Communications – Bucket #2 – 3 credit hours			
COMM 100 Fundamentals of Oral Communication+ OR COMM 304 Intermediate Interpersonal Communication	3	COMS 121 Public Speaking OR COMS 120 Interpersonal Communication	3
Mathematics & Statistics – Bucket #3 – 3 credit hours			
MATH 110 College Algebra OR	3	MATH 171 College Algebra* OR	3
MATH 101 Contemporary Mathematics OR		MATH 165 Finite Mathematics* OR	3
MATH 130 Pre-Calculus Mathematics		MATH 173 Precalculus*	5
Natural & Physical Sciences – Bucket #4 – 4-5 credit hours from One Subject (must include a lab)			
Any life science within Bucket #4	4-5	See FHSU General Education Core Requirements	4-5
Social & Behavioral Sciences – Bucket #5 – 6 credit hours from at least two courses from two subject areas			
<i>Select options from two of the following areas: Anthropology, Economics, Geography, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology</i>	3	See FHSU General Education Core Requirements	3
PSY 100 General Psychology (recommended)	3	PSYC 130 Introduction to Psychology (recommended)	3
Art & Humanities – Bucket #6 – 6 credit hours at least two courses from two subject areas			
HIST 130 United States History to 1877 OR HIST 141 United States History Since 1877	3	HIST 140 U.S. History to 1877 OR HIST 141 U.S. History Since 1877	3
<i>Fine Art: Open Elective from Art, Music, Theatre, or Literature within the Bucket #6.</i>	3	See FHSU General Education Core Requirements	3
Elementary Designated – Bucket #7 – 6 credit hours			
<i>Select two courses:</i> POLS 101 American Government OR <i>Cultural Diversity and Ethnicity</i> OR <i>One Free Elective from Buckets 1-6 above.</i> <i>Please note the elective course cannot have been used in another bucket.</i>	6	POLS 124 American National Gov't OR See FHSU General Education Core Requirements	3 3

KBOR Teacher Education Program (25-26 credit hours)

FHSU Requirement	Hrs	JCCC Equivalent	Hrs
TEEL 202 Foundations of Education	3	EDUC 121 Introduction to Teaching*	3
TESP 302 Educating Students with Exceptionalities	3	EDUC 220 Survey of the Exceptional Child*	3
TECS 301 Introduction to Instructional Technology	3	EDUC 224 Technology in Education for K-12 Educators	3
TEEL 260 Children's Literature	3	ENGL 232 Children's Literature*	3
Creative Expressions - Choose one course that has not been used to fulfill general education requirements: MUS 366 Elementary School Music	2	MUS 124 Basic Music for the Elementary Classroom	2
TEEL 231 Human Growth and Development	3	PSYC 218 Human Development*	3
Physical Science/Physics Course - Any physical science/physics course within Bucket 4, lab NOT required (recommended)	3-5	PHYS 130 College Physics I* OR PSCI 120 Physical Science	5 4
Free Elective in Education – MATH 250 Elements of Statistics^	2-3	MATH 181 Statistics*	3
Open Electives – to complete Associate degree		Open Electives within the System Wide Transfer List to complete a minimum of 60 credit hours for transfer. Refer to KS Systemwide Elementary Education General Education Options – 3 hours AND Refer to KS Systemwide Transfer Elective – 3 hours https://catalog.jccc.edu/degrecertificates/education/elementary-education-aa/	

*JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

+ A grade of "B" or better is required in these courses.

^ A grade of "C" or better is required in these courses.

¹ Must complete course before applying to Teacher Education.

It is the STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer guide is provided as a service and is updated as needed. Degree requirements at the four-year colleges are subject to change by those institutions. To ensure you have the most accurate up to date information about the program, it is imperative you meet with an advisor at the transfer institution.