

Transfer Articulation Agreement

between

William Paterson University
College of Education
and

Middlesex County College

for the

Education Transfer A.S.

and

Bachelor of Arts Degrees in Education

The intent of this articulation agreement is to define the procedures for a transfer articulation between William Paterson University College of Education and Middlesex County College. Both entities agree to mutual cooperation in establishing and maintaining articulation for their respective programs for the Education Transfer A.S. degree transferable to Bachelor of Arts degrees in Education at William Paterson University College of Education. The principal beneficiaries of this agreement are students seeking a major in Education whose progress toward their degrees is best assured when they are provided with current information about courses and programs. Firm arrangements between departments and institutions provide the opportunity for these students to plan a total baccalaureate degree through program to program agreement at the outset of their college education.

William Paterson University agrees to accept all the general education credits included in this agreement. Per its transfer credit policy, William Paterson University agrees to accept up to half of the credits required for the major. Course equivalencies for Education prerequisites and major courses will also be accepted (see Appendix A for specific course requirements) and will serve as the basis for equivalencies.

This agreement will become effective immediately upon the signatures of both parties. Immediately thereafter, William Paterson University will provide information packets for transfer admission, special transfer days, and other recruitment services. In turn, Middlesex County College will make available to its students all information, including the list of course equivalencies pertaining to this agreement. The agreement and equivalencies will be reviewed on a regular basis.

PRINCIPLES OF THE AGREEMENT

COMPLETION OF PROGRAMS

Middlesex County College transfer students will be required to meet all graduation requirements as listed for William Paterson University students.

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

The determination of major program requirements for a baccalaureate degree in the College of Education shall be the responsibility of William Paterson University.

ELIGIBILITY

A. Grade point average (GPA) requirement

For admission to William Paterson University College of Education and for students to take 3000 level education courses, students will be required to earn at least a 3.0 overall average on a four-point scale. In addition to needing the 3.0 cumulative grade point average to begin the education major, candidates must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 every semester and maintain a minimum 3.0 grade point average in their education major.

In addition to having a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA before taking education courses, students must also pass the *Praxis*® Core Academic Skills for Educators (Core).

B. Course equivalencies and/or area requirements. (See Appendix A)

Students with an Education Transfer A.S. degree

Students who earn an Education Transfer A.S. degree at Middlesex County College are guaranteed junior status admission to William Paterson University conditional upon meeting the prerequisites of the minimum requirements for admission to the College of Education. Education Transfer A.S. degree students will be provided with individual evaluations of coursework based on course equivalencies articulated between Middlesex County College and William Paterson University.

FINANCIAL AID

College students transferring into William Paterson University will be treated the same as native William Paterson University students of equal class standing when applying for financial aid and in the award and distribution of funds.

AGREEMENT REVIEW AND UPDATE

Middlesex County College and William Paterson University will assign a staff member to serve as a liaison to assure maintenance of communication between the two institutions. As necessary, Middlesex County College and William Paterson University faculty shall meet to discuss academic programs, especially with regard to any changes being contemplated. William Paterson University and Middlesex County College representatives will consult whenever changes in policy or curricula are articulated which will affect students transferring under the terms of this agreement. Representatives from both institutions shall also facilitate support, consultation, and collaboration between their faculties in matters related to this agreement, general education, degree requirements, education certification, and other academic matters.

Appendix A

Middlesex County College Education Transfer A.S.

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William Paterson University College of Education Bachelor of Arts degrees in Education

WPUNJ Education Majors	William Paterson Required Prerequisite Courses for the Education Major	Middlesex County Community College
Secondary Education K-12	ANTH 2020 Equity and Diversity in Schools	SOC 205 Diversity and Multiculturalism in U.S. Society
	PSY 1100 General Psychology	PSY 123 Introduction to Psychology
	CIED 2030 Teaching as a Profession	EDU 121 Introduction to Education
	CISE/PSY 2950 Educational Psychology and Classroom Management	PSY 226 Educational Psychology
Secondary Education K-12 with Teacher of Students with Disabilities Endorsement	ANTH 2020 Equity and Diversity in Schools	SOC 205 Diversity and Multiculturalism in U.S. Society
	BIO 1140 Applied Anatomy and Physiology or BIO 1200 Human Biology earning a minimum grade of C	BIO 106 Human Biology, Biomedical Issues and Society
	PSY 1100 General Psychology	PSY 123 Introduction to Psychology
	SPC 2550 Foundations of Education in a Diverse Society	IDC 123 Intro to Special Education
	CISE/PSY 2950 Educational Psychology and Classroom Management	PSY 226 Educational Psychology
	PSY 2100 Developmental Psychology	PSY 255 Adolescent Psychology or PSY 223 Child Psychology

Elementary K-6 with Teacher of Students with Disabilities	ANTH 2020 Equity and Diversity in Schools (3 credits)	SOC 205 Diversity and Multiculturalism in U.S. Society
	BIO 1140 Applied Anatomy and Physiology or BIO 1200 Human Biology earning a minimum grade of C	BIO 106 Human Biology, Biomedical Issues and Society
	Two math courses	MAT 113,114,116,123,129
	PSY 1100 General Psychology	PSY 123 Introduction to Psychology
	PSY 2100 Child and Adolescent Psychology	PSY 255 Adolescent Psychology or PSY 223 Child Psychology
	SPC 2550 Foundations of Education in a Diverse Society	IDC 123 Intro to Special Education
	CIEE 2130 Teaching in a Technological World	IDC 103 Teaching with Technology
Early Childhood Education P-3; Early Childhood P-3 with Teacher of Students with Disabilities Endorsement*; Early Childhood Education P-3 and Elementary Education K-6	ANTH 2020 Equity and Diversity in Schools	SOC 205 Diversity and Multiculturalism in U.S. Society
	Two math courses	MAT 113,114,116,123,129
	PSY 1100 General Psychology	PSY 123 Introduction to Psychology
	PSY 2100 Child and Adolescent Psychology	PSY 255 Adolescent Psychology or PSY 223 Child Psychology
	CIED 2030 Teaching as a Profession	EDU 121 Introduction to Education or EDU 122 Introduction to Early Childhood Education
	SPC 2550* Foundations of Education in a Diverse Society for P-3 TSD program	IDC 123 Intro to Special Education for P-3 TSD program
	CIEC 2130 Technology in Early Childhood Education	IDC 103 Teaching with Technology

Elementary Education K-6; Elementary Education K-6 with subject field endorsement 5-8	ANTH 2020 Equity and Diversity in Schools	SOC 205 Diversity and Multiculturalism in U.S. Society
	Two math courses	MAT 113,114,116,123,129
	PSY 1100 General Psychology	PSY 123 Introduction to Psychology
	PSY 2100 Child and Adolescent Psychology	PSY 255 Adolescent Psychology or PSY 223 Child Psychology
	CIED 2030 Teaching as a Profession	EDU 121 Introduction to Education
	CIEE 2130 Teaching in a Technological World	IDC 103 Teaching with Technology

Notes:

1. Students planning to enroll in the P-3 and K-6 programs at WPU should take 2 math courses, 2 history courses, (one American), 2 sequential foreign language courses (two semesters of American Sign Language can also fulfill the foreign language requirement), and 2 science classes (one with a lab).
2. William Paterson University will accept all associate degree credits under this program-to-program articulation agreement, including up to half of the William Paterson University major required credits, from New Jersey community college students who enroll at William Paterson University Fall 2015 and beyond.

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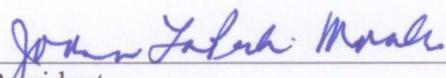
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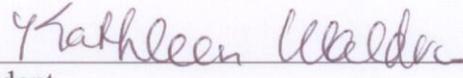
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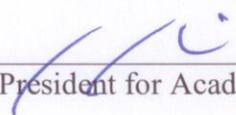
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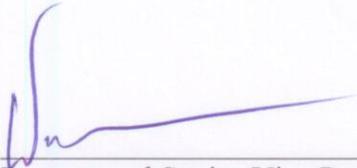
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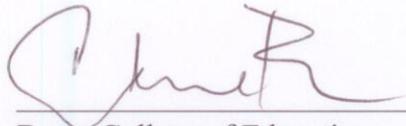
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