

AA-T in Elementary Teacher Education

To earn an AA-T in Elementary Teacher Education, students must:

1. Complete 60 semester or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to California State University, including both of the following:
 - A) The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University General Education-Breadth (CSU GE-Breadth) requirements.
 - B) The coursework required for the AA-T in Elementary Teacher Education as listed in the Moorpark College catalog.
2. Obtain a minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework. While a minimum of 2.0 is required for admission, some transfer institutions and majors may require a higher GPA. Please consult with a counselor for more information.
3. Obtain a grade of "C" or better or "P" in all courses required in the major. Even though a "pass-no-pass" is allowed (Title 5 §55062), it is highly recommended that students complete their major courses with a letter grade (A, B, or C).
4. Complete requirements in residency. For students in the Ventura County Community College District, a minimum of 12 semester units must be completed in residence within the college district.

Students transferring to a CSU campus that accepts the AA-T in Elementary Teacher Education will be required to complete no more than 60 units after transfer to earn a bachelor's degree (unless the major is a designated "high-unit" major at a particular campus). This degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to a university or college that is not part of the CSU system. Students should consult with a counselor to obtain more information on university admission and transfer requirements.

NOTES:

1. Although the IGETC pattern is permissible for the Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT), **MATH M10 Mathematics for Elementary Teachers** is **not** an approved course for the IGETC pattern, therefore it's recommended that the student complete the CSU GE-Breadth pattern for this degree or complete a transferable math course that is approved for the IGETC, as part of the completion of the IGETC.
2. Students transferring to **California State University, Northridge (CSUN)** as a Liberal Studies major must complete GEOL M121 for Earth Science and PHSC M01 and PHSC M01L for the Physical Science requirements.
3. Students transferring to **California State University, Channel Islands (CSUCI)** should take the following courses from LIST B and C: DANC M24 and MUS M24, CD/EDU M08, EDU M10, ENGL M40, and HIST M143. CSUCI has an approved subject matter program and the inclusion of the prescribed courses above allows students who

graduate from the program to be waived from taking the Multiple Subject exam required for graduates of non-waiver programs. In addition, CSUCI offers an Integrated Multiple Subject or Educational Specialist program that includes the teacher credentialing program for interested students. This program allows for the completion of both the Bachelor's Degree and teaching credential simultaneously. Students interested in the integrated program must apply and possess a 3.0 or better GPA.

Course List		
Course ID	Title	Units/Hours
REQUIRED CORE		
<u>CD M02</u>	Child Growth and Development	3
<u>COMM M01</u>	Public Speaking	3
or <u>COMM M01H</u>	Honors: Public Speaking	
<u>EDU M02</u>	Introduction to Elementary Teaching	3
<u>HIST M130</u>	United States History to 1877	3
<u>HIST M150</u>	World History: From Prehistory to 1500	3
<u>MATH M10</u>	Mathematics for Elementary Teachers	3
College Composition:		
<u>ENGL M01A</u>	English Composition	4
or <u>ENGL M01AH</u>	Honors: English Composition	
Introduction to Literature:		
<u>ENGL M01B</u>	Literature: Critical Thinking and Writing Composition	4
or <u>ENGL M01BH</u>	Honors Literature: Critical Thinking and Writing Composition	
World Regional Geography:		
<u>GEOG M03</u>	World Regional Geography	3
or <u>GEOG M03H</u>	Honors: World Regional Geography	
Earth Science:		
Select one of the following:		4
<u>GEOL M121</u>	Earth Science with Lab	
<u>GEOL M02</u> & <u>M02L</u>	Physical Geology and Physical Geology Lab	

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<u>GEOL M02H</u> & <u>GEOL M02L</u>	Honors: Physical Geology and Physical Geology Lab	

NOTE: Students transferring to CSUN Liberal Studies major MUST complete GEOL M121.

Introduction to American Government and Politics:

<u>POLS M03</u>	American Government and Politics	3
or <u>POLS M03H</u>	Honors: American Government and Politics	

Physical Science:

Select one of the following: 4

<u>CHEM M12</u>	Introductory Chemistry I	
<u>PHSC M01</u> & <u>M01L</u>	Principles of Physical Science and Principles of Physical Science Laboratory	
<u>PHYS M01</u> & <u>M01L</u>	Descriptive Physics and Descriptive Physics Laboratory	

NOTE: Students transferring to CSUN Liberal Studies major MUST complete PHSC M01 and PHSC M01L.

Biology:

Select one of the following: 4-5

<u>BIOL M01</u>	Introduction to Biology with Lab	
<u>BIOL M02A</u>	General Biology I	
or <u>BIOL M02AH</u>	Honors: General Biology I	

Units from LIST A 3

Units from LIST B 3

LIST C (optional) 0-12

LIST A

<u>COMM M25</u>	Introduction to Rhetorical Criticism	3
<u>ENGL M01C</u>	Critical Thinking and Composition	3
or <u>ENGL M01CH</u>	Honors: Critical Thinking and Composition	

<u>PHIL M05</u>	Critical Thinking and Analytic Writing	3
LIST B		
<u>ARTH M100</u>	Understanding Art	3
or <u>ARTH M100H</u>	Honors: Understanding Art	
<u>EDU/CD M08</u>	Children's Art within a Multicultural Perspective	3
<u>MUS M08</u>	Music Appreciation	3
or <u>MUS M08H</u>	Honors: Music Appreciation	
<u>THA M01</u>	Introduction to Theatre	3
or <u>THA M01H</u>	Honors: Introduction to Theatre	
LIST C		
Optional - Select courses as appropriate for the intended transfer institution:		
<u>DANC M24</u> & <u>MUS M24</u>	Introduction to Dance Education and Introduction to Music Education	1.5/1.5
<u>EDU M10</u>	Developing Literacy in Diverse Classrooms	3
<u>ENGL M40</u>	Children's Literature	3
<u>HIST M143</u>	History of California	3
Total Units for the Major		50 - 51
CSU General Education-Breadth		
Double-Counted Units		33 - 36
Electives Units to meet 60 CSU transferable		3 - 7
IGETC Pattern		37
NOTE: IGETC 1C is required for all CSU applicants. Students applying to a UC or Private school may earn this ADT without IGETC 1C but will be ineligible to apply to a CSU.		
Double-Counted Units		28 - 31
Electives Units to meet 60 CSU transferable		0 - 4
Total Units Required for the AA-T Degree		60