## EDUCATION - ELEMENTARY OPTION

(Note: Program requirements for this degree are offered on NOC Enid and NOC Tonkawa campuses only; selected courses at NOC Stillwater. At the beginning of each course listing, the four letter abbreviation indicates the department and the four digits indicate the course code used for enrollment. The total course hour value follows each.)

| Program Requirements |  |
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| General Education Courses - 37 Total Credit Hours |  |
| English Composition Courses |  |
| ENGL 1113 English Composition I | 3 hours |
| ENGL 1213 English Composition II | 3 hours |
| History \& Government Courses |  |
| HIST 1483 Amer. History to 1877 <br> (or) HIST 1493 Amer. History Since 1877 | 3 hours |
| POLI 1113 American Government | 3 hours |
| Humanities Courses |  |
| Recommended ARTS 1113 Art Appreciation <br> and MUSC 1113 Music Appreciation 6 hours |  |
| Mathematics Courses |  |
| MATH 1493 Math Applications <br> (or) MATH 1513 Algebra for STEM | 3 hours |
| Science |  |
| Biological Science | 4 hours |
| CHEM 1014 Concepts of Chemistry <br> (or) CHEM 1315 General Chemistry I <br> (or) PHSC 1114 General Physical Science <br> (or) ESCI 1214 Earth Science |  |
| Computer Science Courses |  |
| BADM 1113 Digital/Financial Literacy (or other approved computer course) | 3 hours |
| Orientation Courses |  |
| ORNT 1101 Freshman Orientatio | hour |
| General Education Elective Courses | 4 hours |
| Students are directed to use these elective hours to meet the state-required 12 hours in science for elementary education majors by taking one additional science course from the list above. |  |
| Program Requirement Courses - 18 Total Hours |  |
| PSYC 1113 General Psychology | 3 hours |
| COMM 1713 Intro to Oral Communications | 3 hours |
| GEOG 2253 World Regional Geography | 3 hours |
| HPET 1223 Health and Wellness | 3 hours |
| ENGL 1413 Intro to Literature | 3 hours |
| MATH 2233 Elementary Math Structures | 3 hours |
| Recommended Program Elective Courses - 5 |  |
| Total Hours |  |
| HPET 2212 First Aid | 2 hours |
| Foreign Language | 3-5 hours |
| ENGL 2233 Eng. Grammar for Educators | 3 hours |
| MATH 1233 Probability and Statistics (or) MATH 2023 Elementary Statistics | 3 hours |
| MATH 2243 Geometric Structures | 3 hours |
| Substitutions may be made with prior approval. |  |
| Total Credit Hours | 60 hours |

## Suggested Course Sequence:

## First Semester $\quad 17$ Total Credit Hours

ENGL 1113 English Composition I 3 hours
MATH 1493 Math Applications 3 hours
(or) MATH 1513 Algebra for STEM
ORNT 1101 Freshman Orientation BADM 1113 Digital/Financial Literacy

1 hour
Biological Science
HPET 1223 Health and Wellness 3 hours 4 hours 3 hours

Second Semester 13 Total Credit Hours ENGL 1213 English Composition II 3 hours HIST 1483 Amer. History to 18773 hours
(or) HIST 1493 Amer. History Since 1877
ESCI 1214 Earth Science 4 hours
COMM 1713 Intro to Oral Communication 3 hours
Third Semester $\quad 16$ Total Credit Hours POLI 1113 American Government 3 hours Science Elective 4-5 hours PSYC 1113 General Psychology 3 hours MATH 2233 Elementary Math Structures 3 hours ENGL 1413 Intro to Literature 3 hours

Fourth Semester 14 Total Credit Hours ARTS 1113 Art Appreciation
(Humanities Elective)
3 hours

MUSC 1113 Music Appreciation
(Humanities Elective)
GEOG 2253 World Regional Geography 3 hours *Program/Gen Ed Electives (2 courses) 5 hours

This is a suggested sequence timeline only. A student may require more than four semesters to complete an Associate in Arts degree.

Note: Bachelor's degrees in elementary education in Oklahoma require 12 hours in four key areas (science, math, social sciences, and English/communications). Students may wish to take extra classes in these areas before transfer; however, courses for transfer, including the recommended program electives, are highly dependent upon the program requirements of the institution where the student will be transferring. Not all courses listed are applicable at all institutions (e.g. NWOSU recommends CPR certification replace the First Aid course).

This suggested curriculum includes degree requirements and courses that are usually completed in the first two years of a four-year curriculum. Consult with the university or college of your choice and its catalog curriculum as you make plans on where to transfer. Be careful to select the courses that will meet all requirements for both the Associate and Baccalaureate degree programs.

The Elementary Education program provides the core courses that develop the foundation for a major field of study, plus general education courses.

## Career Opportunities

Teacher Day Care Employment

NOC evaluates students for placement into either foundational or college-level courses, whichever will lead to the greatest possibility of student success. Academic placement is determined by A.C.T. test scores--primary or a residual administered in the Testing Center at NOC. Based upon the scores, students may be required to take one or more courses for remediation in English, Math, or Reading, either prior to or concurrent with credit courses. See the NOC testing web page by clicking on the following link: http:// www.noc.edu/act for placement guidelines.

