**Program Requirements** 

## **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.)

English Composition Courses  ENGL 1113 English Composition I 3 hours  ENGL 1213 English Composition II 3 hours  History & Government Courses			
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HIST 1483 Amer. History to 1877 3 hours			
(or) HIST 1493 Amer. History Since 1877			
POLI 1113 American Government 3 hours			
Humanities Courses			
Recommended ARTS 1113 Art Appreciation			
and MUSC 1113 Music Appreciation 6 hours			
Mathematics Courses			
MATH 1493 Math Applications 3 hours			
(or) MATH 1513 Algebra for STEM			
Science Courses			
Biological Science 4 hours			
Course chosen from the following options: 4-5 hours			
CHEM 1014 Concepts of Chemistry			
(or) CHEM 1315 General Chemistry I			
(or) PHSC 1114 General Physical Science			
(or) ESCI 1214 Earth Science			
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Computer Science Courses			
BADM 1113 Digital/Financial Literacy 3 hours			
(or other approved computer course)  Orientation Courses			
ORNT 1101 Freshman Orientation 1 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

ENGL 2233 Eng. Grammar for Educators

(or) MATH 2023 Elementary Statistics

Substitutions may be made with prior approval.

MATH 1233 Probability and Statistics

MATH 2243 Geometric Structures

**Total Hours** 

HPET 2212 First Aid

Foreign Language

**Total Credit Hours** 

Recommended Program Elective Courses - 5

3 hours

2 hours

3 hours

3 hours

3 hours

60 hours

3-5 hours

## **Suggested Course Sequence:**

First Semester	17 Total Cred	dit Hours
ENGL 1113 English Com	position I	3 hours
MATH 1493 Math Applications		3 hours
(or) MATH 1513 Algebra	a for STEM	
ORNT 1101 Freshman O	rientation	1 hour
BADM 1113 Digital/Finan	cial Literacy	3 hours
Biological Science		4 hours
HPET 1223 Health and V	Vellness	3 hours

Second Semester13 Total Credit HoursENGL 1213 English Composition II3 hoursHIST 1483 Amer. History to 18773 hours(or) HIST 1493 Amer. History Since 1877ESCI 1214 Earth Science4 hoursCOMM 1713 Intro to Oral Communication3 hours

Third Semester 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 \*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 quidelines.