



**LSC Associate of Arts in Teaching
To University of Houston-Downtown
Bachelor of Arts in Education (4-8 with ESL Suppl. Certificate)**



Suggested Academic Plan for Transfer, Effective 2025-2026 Catalog Year

First Year - Freshman							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
LSC	UHD	Course Name	Hrs	LSC	UHD	Course Name	Hrs
EDUC 1301 (1)	SOSE 3306	Intro to the Teaching Profession	3	GOVT 2306	POLS 2306	Texas Government	3
GOVT 2305	POLS 2305	Federal Government	3	ENGL 1302	ENG 1302	Composition & Rhetoric II	3
ENGL 1301	ENG 1301	Composition and Rhetoric I	3	MATH 1350	MATH 3321	Mathematics for Teachers I	3
MATH 1314 (2)	MATH 1301	College Algebra	3	BIOL 1408 or CHEM 1405	BIOL 1310 or NS 3310	Biology I for Non-Science Majors or Introductory Chemistry	4
HIST 1301	HIST 1305	U.S. History I	3	HIST 1302	HIST 1306	U.S. History II	3
Total			15	Total			16
Summer Session							
Creative Arts (3)	Core 050	Choose from recommended courses below	3	SPCH 1315 or SPCH 1318	COMM Option	Public Speaking or Interpersonal Communication	3
Second Year - Sophomore							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
BIOL 1408 or CHEM 1405	BIOL 1310 or NS 3310	Biology I for Non-Science Majors or Introductory Chemistry	4	ENGL 2341 or Lit.	ENGL Literature	Forms of Literature or other recommended English Literature	3
HIST 2301	HIST 2303	Texas History (suggested for Core 090)	3	PHYS 1410	PHYS 1301	Elementary Physics	4
EDUC 2301	PED 3301	Intro to Special Populations	3	PSYC 2301	PSY 1303	General Psychology	3
MATH 1351	MATH 3322	Mathematics for Teachers II	3	HIST 2322	HIST 2316	World History from 1492	3
Total			13	Total			13
Summer Session (may be taken at UHD or LSC)							
READ 3305	Foundations of Literacy		3				
Total			3				
Third Year - Junior							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
UHD	Course Name	Hrs		UHD	Course Name	Hrs	
SOSE 3310	Critical Social Studies Education	3		ESL 3303	Instruct. & Assess. of Engl. Lang. Learners EC-8	3	
NS 3311	Life Science Studies	3		ETC 3301	Educational Technology	3	
BED 3311	Foundations of Bilingual & ESL Educ.	3		READ 3309	Teach. Reading in the Content Areas 4-12	3	
READ 3307	Language Arts Instruction	3		PED 3302	Teaching Middle School Mathematics	3	
ENG 3305, 3318 or 3319	Essay Writing, Studies in English Grammar, or Intro to the Study of Lang.	3					
Total		15		Total			12
Fourth Year – Senior							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
PED 3303	Effect. Teaching Strat. in Env. Sci. Educ	3		EED 3321	Teach. Soc. Studies in the Elem. Class.	3	
PED 3305	Understanding the EC-12 Grade Learner	3		EED 3325	Effective Teaching Strat. in Sci. Educ.	3	
EED 3322	Effective Teaching Strategies in Math Educ.	3		READ 3313	Reading Curric., Methods, Assess. & Diag. 4-8	3	
PED 4380	Field Exp. in Urban Public School Class.	3		PED 4381	Field Exp. in Urban Public School Class.II	3	
Total		12		Total			12
EED 4301	Student Teaching in the Elem. Class.	3					
EED 4302	Student Teaching in the Mdl. Schl Class.	3					
SOSE 4303	Current Issues in Urban Teaching	3					
Total		9					

Notes/Comments:

- (1) The Student Success Course Requirement is satisfied through successful completion of EDUC 1301 Introduction to the Teaching Profession.
- (2) Math 1314 is a prerequisite to MATH 1350 and MATH 1351 and is also required for completion of the AAT degree. Students can take the CLEP to earn credit for Math 1314.
- (3) Creative Arts recommended courses: ARTS 1301 - Art Appreciation, ARTS 1303 - Art History: Prehistory to Gothic, ARTS 1304 - Art History: Renaissance to Modern, DRAM 1310 - Theatre Appreciation, MUSI 1306 - Appreciating Music.

Course is not required for completion of the AAT degree but will satisfy requirements at UHD for completion of the BA degree.

***Upon completion of the AAT degree, students will also be core complete. ***



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Transfer Information

Program Specific Information:

Bachelor of Arts in Education (Core 4-8 with ESL Suppl. Certificate)

Program Specific Requirements:

Please note that to become a certified teacher in Texas, one of the TexES certification exams a teacher candidate must pass is the Core Subjects EC-6. This exam requires sufficient knowledge in English Language Arts and Reading, Math, Science, and Social Studies. You must have a good foundation in and retain the content from many of your LSC Core courses in order to pass the exam.

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Secondary admission application and interview required.
- Transfer Admission Criteria (15 or more earned college-level credit hours) 2.5 GPA
- Student must be in Good Academic Standing at last institution attended.
- For a course taken more than once, the highest grade will be transferred.
- Students must earn a C or higher in ENG 1301 and ENG 1302, Math component; Life and Physical Science component; and American component.
- Students must have a minimum 2.5 overall GPA to apply for admission to the Urban Education educator preparation program (this includes courses taken at the community college and at UHD).

Transfer of Credit & Student Benefits:

- Upon completion of all LSC courses specified in this Transfer Degree Plan, students are guaranteed that each course will transfer as indicated, and the student will receive junior-level classification at UHD
- Credits from LSC that are transferrable to UHD degree programs may be specified in any program-to-program articulation agreement.
- Reverse transfer
- LSC students will be allowed access to academic advising services at UHD
- LSC Honors students admitted to UHD will receive:
 - Acceptance to UHD Honors Program with a minimum GPA (GPA varies by the College in which the program resides)
 - UHD will accept a minimum of 12 hours of transfer Honors credit; eligible for merit and need-based aid commensurate with qualifications

