

## Curriculum Guide for AA in Teacher Preparation to B.S.Ed. Elementary Education: English at WCU

## First Year

1st Semester*		Fall			2nd Semester		Spring		
CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
ENG 111	ENGL 101	C1	3	Required	ENG 112	ENGL 202	C1	3	Required
History (Social/Behavioral Science)	History	P3	3		COM 231 (Humanities/Fine Arts)	COMM 201	C3	3	
Natural Science	Physical & Biological Sciences	C5	4		EDU 216^	EDCI 201		3	Required
ACA 122	Elective		1	Required	SOC 225 (Social/Behavioral Sciences)	Social Sciences	P1	3	Requires a substitution through your Community College to fulfill the Social/Behavioral Science requirement
EDU 187	EDCI 191	FYS	3	Required	HEA 110/PED 110/Other Elective	Wellness	C4	3	
Total Credit Hours					Total Credit Hours				
14					15				

\*This assumes placement into college level courses. This is only meant to be a guide. Please see your academic advisor to develop your individual plan.

**\*Because of the sequence of classes, plan for extra time at WCU.**

## Second Year

3rd Semester		Fall			4th Semester		Spring		
CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
EDU 250	Elective		3	Required	EDU 279	EDRD 303		4	Required
Humanities/Fine Arts	Fine & Performing Arts	P5	3	Recommended	MAT 142	MATH 321		3	Required
ENG 231 or ENG 241 (Humanities/Fine Arts)	ENGL 240 or ENG 241		3	Preferred (Fulfills an English SAC Req.)	Elective			3	Gen. Ed. Elective
				Requires a substitution through your Community College to fulfill the Math requirement					
MAT 141 (Mathematics)	Math 221	C2	3		Elective			3	Gen. Ed. Elective
Elective			3	Gen. Ed. Elective	Elective			3	Gen. Ed. Elective
Total Credit Hours					Total Credit Hours				
15					16				

Please see website for admission criteria:

[TeacherEdAdmission.wcu.edu](https://www.wcu.edu/teacher-ed/admission)

\*\*Students should take the Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educator Test during their EDU 250 semester to satisfy admission to the Teacher Education Program requirements at WCU.

Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS

**Third Year (at WCU)**

5th Semester		Fall		6th Semester		Spring	
WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
EDEL 311	Elementary Curriculum	3		SPED 339	Designing Classrooms as Responsive Learning	3	
EDEL 417	Social Studies Methods K-6	3		ENGL SAC**	English Literature (300-400)	3	
ENGL 312	Grammar for Teachers	3		ENGL 413	ESL Methods for Content Teachers	3	
PSY 320	Childhood Developmental Psychology	3		PSY 323	Psychology Applied to Learning and Teaching	3	
ENGL SAC**	English Literature (300-400)	3		ENGL SAC**	English Literature (300-400)	3	
Total Credit Hours				15			
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				15			

**Fourth Year**

7th Semester		Fall		8th Semester		Spring	
WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
EDEL 415	Language Arts Methods	3		ELMG 484	Internship I	3	
EDEL 416	Science Methods	3		EDEL 429	Math Methods II	3	
EDRD 420	Reading Methods	3		EDEL 339	Creating Responsive Learning Communities Seminar	2	
EDEL 428	Math Methods	3		EDEL 446	Digital Literacy Methods	3	
EDEL 390	Practicum I (Block)	3		EDRD 440	Reading Diagnosis & Instruction	3	
Total Credit Hours				15			
				Total Credit Hours			
				14			

**Fifth Year**

9th Semester		Fall	
WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
ELMG 485	Internship II	9	
ELMG 495	Seminar for Student Teachers	3	
Total Credit Hours		12	

\*\*A Second Academic Concentration (SAC) is required for all Elementary Education Majors.  
Reminder: 30 hours of 300-400 level courses must be taken at WCU.

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Program website: [Elementary.wcu.edu](http://Elementary.wcu.edu)

For Academic Advising questions, please visit: [Suite 201.wcu.edu](http://Suite 201.wcu.edu)