

Memorandum of Understanding

University of Arkansas at Monticello and South Arkansas Community College

Institutional Partners

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Objectives of Partnership

1. To provide a seamless transition for student holding an Associate of Science in Education degree from South Arkansas Community College to University of Arkansas at Monticello.

Terms of Agreement

1. South Arkansas Community College will offer the courses listed on the "Associate of Science in Education" degree plan.
2. University of Arkansas at Monticello will accept the 68 credit hours completed, with grades of "C" or higher without prejudice.
3. University of Arkansas at Monticello will offer the remainder of courses for students to achieve the appropriate Bachelor's degree.
4. After completion of the BSES, students must complete an alternative route teaching program to receive a teaching license. University of Arkansas at Monticello's alternative teaching route is the Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) program. The MAT program will allow Bachelor of Science in Educational Studies Non-Licensure degree students to seek licensure in K-6 Elementary Education, Middle Childhood grades 4-8, Secondary grades 7-12, Physical Education, Art, and Music K-12.

Recruitment Strategies

1. Faculty and staff of University of Arkansas at Monticello and South Arkansas Community College will continue to actively promote and recruit new cohorts.
2. Recruiting activities will include such events as informational seminars presented on the South Arkansas Community College campuses.

Admissions Requirements

1. Program admission requirements may differ from college and university admission requirements.
2. Admission to the university does not guarantee admission to a given program of study.

Number of Courses/Credit Hours: 52 credit hours, in addition to the Associate of Science in Education (ASE), are required for completion of the Bachelors of Science in Education Studies –Non-Licensure Degree.

Resources/Support Services Provided by Each Institution

1. University of Arkansas at Monticello faculty and staff will share expertise with South Arkansas Community College faculty and staff to maintain compatibility of its courses in the AS program.
2. South Arkansas Community College is responsible for the quality of courses taught by its faculty.
3. University of Arkansas at Monticello is responsible for the quality of courses taught by its faculty.

Memorandum of Understanding Renewal/Review: The Memorandum will be reviewed biennially.

Review Period: The first review period will be spring of 2022.

Modifications to Agreement/Notice Required: If the agreement requires modification, notice will be given by either party at least one semester in advance of proposed changes.

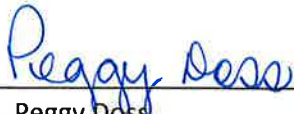
Review Committee and Approval: The School of Education for the University of Arkansas at Monticello and the Department of Education for South Arkansas Community College will partner in the review and renewal process as directed above.

Effective Date of Agreement: 1 July, 2020

Termination Date of Agreement:

1. Program will be subject to routine review.
2. This agreement may be cancelled by either party with at least one academic year advance notification with clear plans to hold harmless (i.e. satisfy course offering expectations) any students, who are currently enrolled in the program and remain full-time in the program of study.

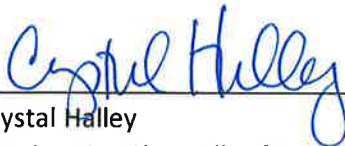
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Bachelor of Science in Education Studies – Non-Licensure
South Ark-UAM Program Equivalency Chart

South Ark Course	ASE	UAM Course	Hours
ENGL 1113 Composition I	x	ENGL 1013 Freshman Comp I	3
ENGL 1123 Composition II	x	ENGL 1023 Freshman Comp II	3
SPCH 1113 Principles of Speech	x	COMM 1023 Public Speaking	3
MATH 1023 College Algebra	x	MATH 1043 College Algebra	3
BIOL 1004 Fundamental of Biology w/lab	x	4 hours of basic science	4
PHYS 1004 Physical Science w/lab or GEOL 1004 Physical Geology w/lab	x	4 hours of basic science	4
ARTI 2003 Art Appreciation or MUS 2003 Music Appreciation Or THEA 2003 Theatre Appreciation	x	ART 1053 Art Appreciation or MUS 1113 Music Appreciation Or FA 1023 Film Appreciation	3
ENGL 2213 Literature I or ENGL 2223 Literature II	x	ENGL 2283 Survey of World Lit I or ENGL 2293 Survey of World Lit II	3
HIST 2013 History of the US to 1876 or HIST 2023 History of the US since 1876 or PSCI 2003 American Government: National	x	HIST 2213 American History I or HIST 2223 American History II or PSCI 2213 American Nat Government	3
HIST 1013 History of Civilization Since 1700 or HIST 1003 History of the Civilization to 1700	x	HIST 1013 World History to 1500 or HIST 1023 World History Since 1500	3
PSYC 2003 General Psychology or SOC 2003 Sociology	x	PSY 1013 Intro to Phycology or SOC 2213 Intro to Sociology	3
GEOG 2003 Introduction to Geography	x	GEOG 2213 General Geography I	3
HIST 2033 History of Arkansas	x	HIST 3593 Arkansas History	3
EDUC 2033 Child Growth and Dev.	x	EDUC 2263 Learning and Development <i>Course requires B or better</i>	3
EDUC 2003 Intro to Education	x	EDUC 1143 Education for Schools & Society <i>Course requires B or better</i>	3
EDUC 2313 Intro to Educational Technology	x	EDUC 2233 Instructional Technology <i>Course requires B or better</i>	3

EDUC 2113 Math for Teachers I	x	MAED 3353 Number Systems	3
EDUC 2223 Math for Teachers II	x	MAED 2243 Fundamentals of Geometric Concepts	3
EDUC 2023 Survey of Exceptional Children	x	SPED 2213 Characteristics of Exceptional Learning Needs <i>Course requires B or better</i>	3
1000-4000 electives	x	1000-4000 electives	9
Total Hours at South Ark	68	Total Hours	68

UAM Courses

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Year Completed	Grade
MATH 1003	Quantitative Literacy <i>Course requires C or better</i>	3		
EDUC 2253	Needs of Diverse Learners in Inclusive Settings*	3		
CIS 2223	Microcomputer Applications	3		
READ 2023	Introduction to Teaching Reading*	3		
MLED 3103	Program and Practices*	3		
EDUC 4013	Teaching Social Studies*	3		
EDUC 4613	Education Field Study *	3		
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EDUC 3583	Assessment Techniques*	3		
EDUC 3573	Classroom Management *	3		
EDUC 3013	K-6: Planning, Curriculum and Programming *	3		
EDUC 3203	Educational Psychology: Developing Learners*	3		
EDUC 3403	Family and Community Relations*	3		
EDUC 3563	Effective Instructional/Management Strategies*	3		
SPED 3413	Teaching and Assessing Students with Exceptional Needs*	3		
READ 4023	Disciplinary Literacy*	3		
Upper Level Elective	3000-4000 Level Elective	3		
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	Total Hours at UAM	54		

**Courses Require a B or better (EDUC, READ, SPED, MLED)*