

Transfer Articulation Agreement for Baccalaureate Degree
between
Central Maine Community College
and
University of Maine at Augusta

Statement of Purpose

Central Maine Community College (CMCC) and the University of Maine at Augusta (UMA) have entered into this transfer articulation agreement. The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate student academic transfer and provide a smooth transition from a two-year community college to a university. It is recognized that this agreement shall describe the required program of study at CMCC for admission eligibility to UMA and the Baccalaureate Degree Program indicated.

Terms and Conditions of Academic Credit Transfer

To: Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies
Minor, Early Childhood Teacher (081 Certification)
(UMA Academic Program/Degree)

From: Associate in Applied Science in Early Childhood Education
(CMCC Academic Program/Degree)

The evaluation and transfer of earned college credits shall follow state and federal education policies and institutional and academic program accreditation standards pertaining to undergraduate academic transfer. Current students and graduates who have earned degrees from CMCC shall be eligible for credit evaluation under the terms of this agreement.

Transfer students will be accorded the same standards and criteria for admission to a major degree sequence as UMA students. All applicants accepted to UMA Baccalaureate programs must fulfill the graduation requirements of the granting institution as identified in Appendices A, B & C.

- * Appendix A Contains Admission & Graduation Requirements of the Receiving Institution
- * Appendix B Contains Side by Side Course Equivalency Tables for the academic program listed above
- * Appendix C Contains a list of remaining courses to be taken at UMA

Note: The information contained in Appendices A, B, & C is accurate for Catalog Year 2020-2021: [CMCC 2020-2021 Catalog](#). For up to date information please check the University of Maine at Augusta catalog [UMA 2020-2021 Catalog](#), as well as the Maine Street Course Equivalency Tool: [Maine Street](#).

Articulation Implementation and Agreement Review

The Chief Academic Officer designee of CMCC and UMA shall be responsible for implementing this agreement, for identifying and incorporating any changes into subsequent agreements, and for conducting a *periodic review of this agreement*.

Signatures to This Agreement

This agreement becomes effective April 2021 and will be reviewed April 2024 for renewal discussion.

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May 4, 2021

Joseph Szakas

Joseph Szakas (May 5, 2021 14:30 EDT)

May 5, 2021

Betsy Libby
Interim President
CMCC

Date

Joseph Szakas
Vice President of Academic Affairs/Provost
UMA

Date

Cynthia Dean

May 4, 2021

Cynthia Dean
Associate Professor of Education & Coordinator of Teacher Education
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APPENDIX A

This agreement includes specific requirements for admission into a program, outlines requirements, and indicates which degree or diploma can be used to meet program prerequisites as well as general education, major or program, and graduation requirements.

Admissions requirements: Successful completion of the Associate in Applied Science in Early Childhood Education, submission of completed admission application, transcripts and other supporting materials. For coursework to transfer to UMA, a student must earn a grade of C- or better. A grade of B- or higher is required for education coursework, and C grades or higher are required for college composition and math. For a list of application instructions and checklist: <https://www.uma.edu/admission/apply/>

Requirements for UMA's Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies, Minor, Early Childhood Teacher (081 Certification): Remaining required course work is listed in Appendix C. Student must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 to graduate with a BA in Liberal Studies. To be awarded the minor the student must maintain a cumulative GPA of a 2.75 in education courses, and earn a B- grade or better in all required education courses.
UMA Residency Requirement: At minimum, 30 credits of a student's baccalaureate course load must be completed at UMA, which must include at least 9 credits of upper level courses.

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APPENDIX B

*Courses in italics are required. If subjects in italics in Appendix B are **not** taken at CMCC, the sequence in Appendix C cannot be observed.*

Only courses with grades of C- or higher are considered for transfer;

B- or better for education coursework and C or higher for college composition and math (see page 3).

CMCC Courses Associate in Applied Science in Early Childhood Education - General Education Requirements			UMA equivalencies		
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
LER 100	First Year Seminar for ECE/EDU	1	GEL 1XX	General Elective	1
ENG 101 OR ENG 105	College Writing OR College Writing Seminar	3-4	ENG 101	College Writing	3-4
SOC 220	Sociology of the Family	3	SOC 360	Sociology of the Family	3
Select one: MAT ____	MAT 100 Intermediate Algebra MAT 101 Business Math MAT 102 Numbers and Logic MAT 122 College Algebra MAT 135 Statistics	3	MAT 111 MAT 1XX MAT 1XX MAT 112 MAT 115	Algebra II Mathematics Elective Mathematics Elective College Algebra Elementary Statistics I	3
PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 100	Introduction to Psychology	3
COM ____	Choose one : COM 100 Public Speaking or COM 101 Interpersonal Communication	3	COM 101 or COM 102	Public Speaking or Interpersonal Communications	3
Lab Science	Select one Lab/Lecture Level 101 or higher in Biology or Chemistry	4	Lab Science	Lecture and Lab course equivalency per Maine Street	4
Writing	Choose: ENG 125 Intro to Literature	3	ENG 102	Introduction to Literature	3
Elective ECE or General Education	Choose one course toward UMA's: Fine Arts or Humanities or ASL/History/Foreign Language Sequence	3	General Education (Required)	Fine Arts, Humanities or ASL/History/Foreign Language Sequence per Maine Street	3
Total credits		26-27			26-27

CMCC Associate in Applied Science in Early Childhood Education - Major Requirements			UMA equivalencies		
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
ECE 100	Introduction to Early Care and Education	3	EDU 1XX	Education Elective	3
ECE 105	Infant and Toddler Curriculum	3	EDU 1XX	Education Elective	3
ECE 113	Curriculum and Environments for Young Children	3	EDU 261	Early Childhood Curriculum: Early Learning Environments	3
ECE 147	Infant and Toddler Field Work & Prep	3	GEL 1XX	General Elective	3
ECE 150	Language and Literacy for Young Children	3	EDU 362	Language & Literacy/Early Childhood	3
ECE 205	Education of Children with Spec. Needs	3	EDU 363	Young Children with Special Needs	3
ECE 297	Pre-School Field Experience	3	EDU 2XX	Education Elective	3
ECE 299	Capstone in Early Childhood Education	3	EDU 217	Field Experience	3
ECE elective	ECE Elective – Choose: ECE 203 Teaching Math/Young Children	3	EDU 327	Mathematics for Young Children	3
ECE or EDU elective	Choose: EDU 222 Diversity & Social Justice in the Classroom	3	EDU 200	Diversity, Poverty, and Cultural Competence	3
EDU 284	Guidance and Self-Regulation	3	EDU 2XX	Education Elective	3
PSY 114	Child Development	3	EDU 345	Child Development	3
Total Major Credits		36			36
Total Credits		62-63	Total Credits Accepted		62-63

APPENDIX C

Remaining University of Maine at Augusta Degree Requirements

For students in CMCC Associate in Applied Science in Early Childhood Education
transferring to

UMA Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies

Minor, Early Childhood Teacher (081 Certification)

Assumes students complete recommended courses at CMCC as listed in Appendix B.

Pre-candidacy (31 cr) :

*Fine arts (3 cr)

*Fine arts performance (3 cr)

*History or Language sequence (6 cr)

*Humanities (3 cr)

*one of these (3 cr) will be completed for elective credit at CMCC

Social Science (3 cr)

CIS 100 or 101 (3 cr)

EDU 100 Introduction to Teacher Education at UMA (1 cr)

EDU 160 Perspectives on Infants, Toddlers and Young Children (3 cr)

EDU 250 The Teaching Profession (3 cr)

EDU 251 The Teaching Process (3 cr)

EDU 210 Dimensions of Literacy (3 cr)

Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators required to move into candidacy

Candidacy (33 cr):

EDU 366 Children's and Young Adult Literature (3 cr)

EDU 325 Social Studies and the Project Approach (3 cr)

EDU 326 Observation and Assessment (3 cr)

EDU 263 Play: The Roots of Learning (3 cr)

EDU 329 Science and the Project Approach (3 cr)

18 credits upper level electives

Praxis content required

Total UMA credits: 64

Total CMCC credits: 62-63

Total CMCC and UMA credits: 126-127