

Associate of Arts (AA) in Teaching*

EXPECTED CERTIFICATE/DEGREE

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

AA in Teaching (60 sch)

*Students following this degree plan will be required to pass Computer Competency Exam in order to graduate.

** Please see an academic advisor or TECA department chair to discuss degree requirements for your transfer university.

¹ If you cannot take 15-18 hours in the semester, we recommend you take this course in the summer.

AA Teaching can lead to university transfer for Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies: Early Childhood through 6th grade Generalist, 4th through 8th grade, and Early Childhood through 12th grade. AA Teaching students interested in these bachelor's degrees must work with an academic advisor or department chair to determine transferrable course work.

2016-2017 PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

FIRST SEMESTER	Course Schedule	SCH	Advising Notes:
Communications	ENGL 1301 - Composition I	3	**Meet with an academic advisor or department chair for university specific transfer course. DO THIS: Meet with academic advisor or department chair to obtain copy of transfer university degree plan and to determine G.P.A. needed to transfer to university.
Mathematics	MATH 1314 - College Algebra**	3	
Major Elective	EDUC 1301 - Introduction to Teaching Profession	3	
Major Elective	TECA 1354 - Child Growth and Development**	3	
American History	HIST 1301 - United States History I ¹	3	
	Semester Credit Hours	15	
SECOND SEMESTER	Course Schedule	SCH	Advising Notes:
Communications	ENGL 1302 - Composition II	3	**Meet with an academic advisor or department chair for university specific transfer course. DO THIS: Schedule a campus tour with transfer university.
Life and Physical Sciences	BIOL 1406 - Biology for Science Majors I	4	
Creative Arts	MUSI 1301, MUSI 1310, ARTS 1301 or ARTS 1303	3	
Major Elective	EDUC 2301 or TECA 1303	3	
American History	HIST 1302 - United States History II ^{1**}	3	
	Semester Credit Hours	16	
THIRD SEMESTER	Course Schedule	SCH	Advising Notes:
Life and Physical Sciences	PHYS 1405 - Elementary Physics I**	4	**Meet with an academic advisor or department chair for university specific transfer course. DO THIS: Confirm courses for completion of AA degree by meeting with an academic advisor or department chair. DO THIS: Start applying for admission to transfer university, and send first official transcript to transfer university.
Government/Political Science	GOVT 2305 - Federal Government	3	
Language, Philosophy, and Culture	Any English Literature Course**	3	
Social and Behavioral Science	ECON 2301 or ECON 2302**	3	
	Semester Credit Hours	13	
FOURTH SEMESTER	Course Schedule	SCH	Advising Notes:
Government/Political Science	GOVT 2306 - Texas Government	3	**Meet with an academic advisor or department chair for university specific transfer course. DO THIS: Apply for graduation for AA Teaching. DO THIS: Confirm admission to transfer university, and send final official transcript to transfer university at end of semester.
Component Area Option	PHYS 1407 or CHEM 1405**	4	
Component Area Option	Any English Literature Course (not taken above)**	3	
Major Elective	GEOG 1303 @ TC or EDUK 3000 @ TAMUCT	3	
Major Elective	SPCH 1315 - Public Speaking ¹ (Online is prohibited)	3	
	Semester Credit Hours	16	
	Total Semester Credit Hours	60	

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Early Childhood Educator

\$35,347

w/Bachelor's Degree

+ Teacher Certification

Elementary Teacher

\$51,063

w/Bachelor's Degree

+Teacher Certification

Middle School Teacher

\$49,709

w/Bachelor's Degree

+ Teacher Certification

Special Education Teacher

\$51,477

w/Bachelor's Degree + Teacher Certification

School Counselor

\$55,469

w/ Master's Degree + Certification

School Principal

\$77,573

w/ Master's Degree + Certifications