



Articulation agreement for students transferring from

Edison Community College

to complete a

Bachelor of Arts with a major in Middle Childhood Education.

Degree completion involves completing requirements in three areas of work: the Bluffton University Liberal Arts and Sciences requirements, a major with Bluffton University and any elective hours needed to meet the required total of 124 semester hours.

Enduring Values Program requirements (general education):	Edison Community College courses that meet requirements: *
BENV 100 Becoming a Scholar (3)	Met with 27 hours or more transfer credit
BENV 200 Learning in Community (5)	Met with 58 hours or more transfer credit
BENV 300 Cross-cultural/Service Learning Experience (3) or 6 hours of one foreign language	At Bluffton University or six hours of one foreign language
BENV 400 Christian Values in a Global Community (2)	At Bluffton University
Writing Well (3)	One of: ENG 121S or 122S Composition I or II
Speaking and Listening (3)	One of: BUS 223S Business Communication; COM 121S Fundamentals of Communication; COM 228S Interpersonal Communication
Living Well (2)	One of: BIO 140S Basic Nutrition; Or 2 hours of PED 120S Karate; PED 121S Karate; PED 128S Golf; PED 162S Tennis I; PED 163S Tennis II; PED 164S Weight Training I
Creative Expression (3)	One of: ART 130S Drawing I; ART 138S Ceramics I; ART 143S Sculpture; ART 150S Painting I; ART 153S Watercolor I; MUS 120S Music Appreciation; THE 121S Intro to Theater
Reading the Bible (3)	At Bluffton University
Understanding Self and Society (3)	One of: ANT 121S Anthropology; CRJ 111S Intro to Criminal Justice; ECO 221S Microeconomics; ECO 222S Macroeconomics; PSY 121S Psychology; SSV 111S Intro to Social Work; SSV113S Intro to Social Welfare; SOC 121S Sociology
Exploring the Past (3)	One of: ART 123S Ancient Art History; HST 121S History of the US I; HST 122S History of the US II; HST 125S Western Civ to 1715; HST 126S Western Civ Since 1715; HST 224S African American Hist Since 1619
Scientific Inquiry (4)	One of: BIO 121S Biology: Cells/Genetics/Evolution; BIO 122S Animals, Plants, Ecology; BIO 124S Human Biology; BIO 125S Anatomy & Physiology I; CHM 110S Intro to Chemistry; CHM 121S General Chemistry I; PHY 121S College Physics I; PHY 241S Sci & Eng Physics I
Critical Analysis (3)	One of: ENG 123S Intro to Literature; ENG 205S Great Books; ENG 221S American Lit I; ENG 222S American Lit II; ENG 241S British Lit I; or ENG 242S British Lit II; MTH 221S Calculus I; MTH 125S General Statistics
Religious Understanding (3)	REL 121S World Religions or at Bluffton University
Arts & Lecture credit (2)	½ hour met for each 30 hours of transfer credit up to maximum of 1.5 hours. Remaining credit at Bluffton University.

* Any of these requirements not completed at Edison Community College may be completed at Bluffton University.

Middle Childhood Education

Bluffton University Course/Experience	Requirements met at Edison Community College
EDU 200 Introduction to Teaching (3)	EDU 111S Intro to Education
EDU 205 Field Experience (1)	
EDU 220 Curriculum and Assessment (2)	
EDU 286 Phonics and Word identification (4)	
EDU 297 Teaching Reading through Lit. in Middle Childhood (3)	
EDU 303 Computers & Technology in Education (2)	EDU 126S Educational Technology
EDU 305 Content Area Literacy (3)	
EDU 332 Social and Philosophical Issues in Ed (3)	
EDU 333 Urban Seminar (1)	
EDU 335 Teaching & Assessing Reading	
EDU 353 Ed Psych/Classroom Assessment (3)	
PSY 110 Introduction to Psychology (3)	PSY 121S Introduction to Psychology
SED 228 Intro to Mild/Moderate Ed Needs (3)	EDU 213S Individuals with Exceptionalities
EDU 415 Special Methods 2 (2)	
EDU 425 Leadership Seminar (2)	
EDU 442 Student Teaching: Middle Childhood (10)	
Choose 2 of the following:	
EDU 405 Middle Childhood Methods: Language Arts (2)	
EDU 406 Middle Childhood Methods: Science (2)	
EDU 407 Middle Childhood Methods: Social Studies (2)	
EDU 408 Middle Childhood Methods: Math (2)	
2 areas of concentration is required: language arts, mathematics, science, or social studies	
Language arts concentration (24 hours)	
EDU 317 Studies in Adolescent Literature (3)	
CMP 110/120 College English (3)	ENG 121S Composition I AND ENG 122S Composition II (3)
ENG 160 Approaches to Literature (3)	
ENG 240 Survey of American Literature (3)	ENG 221S American Lit I OR EDU 222S American Lit II (3)
Choose 1:	
ENG 256 Survey of English Literature 1 (3) OR ENG 257 Survey of English Literature 2 (3)	ENG 241S British Literature I OR ENG 242 British Literature II
Choose 1:	
ENG 252 Intro to Linguistics (3) OR ENG 271 English Grammar (3)	
Choose 1:	
COM 120 Communication and the Common Good (3) OR THE 257 Performance Studies (3)	COM 121S Fundamentals of Communication (3)
Choose 1:	
ENG 202 Creative Writing: Fiction (3) OR ENG 202 Creative Writing: Poetry (3) OR ENG 202 Creative Writing: Nonfiction (3)	
Math concentration (23-25 hours)	
MAT 105 Understanding Numerical Data (2) <i>(course waived if student declares science concentration)</i>	MTH 126S Mathematical Foundations I (3)
MAT 114 Pre-Calculus (4) <i>(unless placed in MAT 135 Calculus I; then student would take MAT 135 and MAT 136, not MAT 114)</i>	MTH 221W Calculus / Analytical Geometry I (5)
EDU 321 Elementary Education Curriculum and Instruction:	

Mathematics (3)	
MAT 186 Fundamental Math Concepts: middle Childhood (3)	
MAT 220 Discrete Mathematics (3)	
MAT 277 Algebra: Functions and Modeling (3)	
Science concentration (23-25 hours)	
BIO 135 Botany (4)	BIO 122S Animals, Plants, Ecology (4)
PHY 202 Astronomy (4)	
PHY 203 Earth Science (4)	GLG 121S Physical Geology (4)
PHY 211 Physics: Science & Engineering 1 (5)	PHY 121S College Physics I (5)
PHY 213 Physics 2: Middle Childhood Education (3)	PHY 122S College Physics II (5)
Choose 1:	
BIO 230 Anatomy and Physiology (4) OR BIO 302 Invertebrate Zoology (4)	BIO 121S Intro to Biology
Choose 1:	
CEM 121 General Inorganic Chemistry (5) OR NSC 105 The Chemistry of Everything (3)	CHM 110S Intro to Chemistry (4) OR CHM 121S General Chemistry I (5) OR CHM 122S General Chemistry II (5)
Social studies concentration (31 hours)	
ECN 141 Principles of Macroeconomics (3) OR ECN 142 Principles of Microeconomics (3)	ECO 221S Principles of Microeconomics (3) OR ECO 222S Principles of Macroeconomics (3)
EDU 303 Computers & Technology in Education (2)	
GEO 111 Principles of Geography (3)	GEO 121S Physical Geography (3) OR GEO 123S Human Geography (3)
HIS 200 Foundations of American Civilization (3)	HST 121S History of the US I (3)
HIS 201 The Making of Contemporary America (3)	HST 122S History of the US II (3)
HIS 210 World History 1 (3) OR HIS 212 World History 2 (3)	HST 125S Western Civ to 1715 (3) OR HST 126S Western Civ Since 1715 (3)
HIS 252 Ohio and the Old Northwest (3)	
BENV 100 Becoming a Scholar (3)	WAIVED
BENV 300 Cross-cultural Experience (3)	
BENV 400 Christian Values in a Global Community (2)	
PLS 100 Introduction to Politics (3)	PLS 121S American National Government (3) AND PLS 224S International Relations (3)

Students' mathematics placement is assessed upon admission. Students who are placed in MAT 050 Basic Math are required to complete Basic Math. Placements into MAT 100 or above indicate correct math entry level if desired as an elective.

All graduates are expected to complete all graduation requirements, including those noted above and: a minimum of 30 semester hours at Bluffton; a minimum of 24 of the last 30 completed at Bluffton; a GPA of at least 2.0 overall and within the major; participation in institutional assessment activities, satisfactory achievement in the departmental senior comprehensive examination, and participation in the baccalaureate and commencement services.

Program requirements are subject to change, though in no case will requirements be increased for students once they are admitted.

Bluffton University welcomes transfer students and is pleased to work with each one individually. To inquire about Bluffton University admissions, call 419-358-3257, email admissions@bluffton.edu, or write Office of Admission, Bluffton University, 1 University Drive, Bluffton, Ohio 45817.