

**Missouri State University
&
East Central College
Articulation Agreement**

**Associate of Arts in Teaching (AAT) Program Plan
Secondary Education in Foreign Languages (French)**

All aspects of this AAT program articulation agreement must be met for a student's AAT to be accepted at Missouri State University.

In order to ensure a smooth transition to Missouri State University, students must complete the 42-credit General Education transfer block and take the courses listed in Section 1-B below while completing their Associate of Arts in Teaching degree at their respective two-year institution. Failure to complete all AAT requirements will result in additional coursework at Missouri State and will likely delay graduation.

The student must meet all aspects of the program agreement to be accepted through the AAT articulation.

Specific program requirements must be passed in addition to listed course requirements.

1. Required Coursework and Transfer Equivalencies

The total hours required to complete the AAT varies according to the requirements for the AAT at each two-year institution. AAT candidates must complete the following courses at their respective institutions to avoid extra coursework upon transferring to Missouri State. These courses will transfer in accordance with existing transfer equivalency agreements. (The Missouri State University Department of Modern and Classical Languages does not have any additional requirements, nor does it recommend any special substitutions for education courses.)

1-A. General Education Coursework Required for the AAT

| Transfer Institution Courses | Credits | Missouri State University Courses | Credits |
|---|----------------|--|----------------|
| 42-hour General Education Block* | 42 | 42-hour General Education Block | 42 |
| <i>*Students who are certified by a participating Missouri institution as having completed an approved 42-hour general education block will be considered as having fulfilled the Missouri State 42-hour general education block. To fulfill Missouri State general education requirements, such students will need to complete either HST 121 or HST 122 (unless they took an equivalent course at the other institution) at Missouri State (http://www.missouristate.edu/transfer/4044.htm).</i> | | | |

Important Notice: Foreign language courses do not have equivalencies in Missouri State's General Education curriculum. Also, language courses below the 200 level do not count toward the content area requirement of Missouri State University education degrees in foreign languages. Language courses numbered 200 or above are generally already subject to existing transfer agreements and will be evaluated accordingly. Courses with no existing equivalencies transfer as electives but may be reevaluated by the head of the Department of Modern and Classical Languages.

1-B. Transfer of Program-specific Courses (12 hours)

| Transfer Institution Courses | Credits | Missouri State University Courses | Credits |
|--|---------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Foundations in Education* | 3 | PEU 10 (EDC 350)* | 3 |
| Educational Psychology* | 3 | PEU 6 (PSY 360)* | 3 |
| Technology for Teachers* | 3 | PEU 3 (IMT 365)* | 3 |
| Teaching Profession with Field Experience* ** | 3 | PEU 15 (SEC 302)* ** | 3 |
| | 12 | | 12 |
| * Grade of C or Higher Required in this course | | | |
| **It is recommended that students take the C-BASE exam while enrolled in this course. If all components are not passed with a score of 265 or higher, students will need to retake failed components in order to continue beyond Missouri State's SEC 302. All components of the C-BASE must be passed within a two-year time limit if any score is below a 235. | | | |

1-C. Electives Requirements for AAT Programs

The Missouri State University Department of Modern and Classical Languages does not require any additional courses as part of its AAT. If your two-year institution requires additional electives, these will transfer to Missouri State in accordance with existing transfer agreements. Requests for exceptions or changes in transfer course equivalencies must be presented to the MSU department that administers the desired course.

2. Admission to the Teacher Education Program at Missouri State University

In addition to admission to Missouri State University, candidates also need to be admitted to the Teacher Education Program. Admission to Teacher Education occurs upon completion of the following:

- EDC 150 with a grade of C or better (Transfer students will register for "Special Section")
- Completion of COM 115 or equivalent (General Education Substitutions do not meet this requirement) with a "C" or better
- Family Care & Safety Registration
- Portfolio Checkpoint #1 at Missouri State
- 2.50 Combined Cumulative GPA
- ACT score (if required by DESE)
- Score of 265 or higher on all areas of the C-Base Exam (note: Higher than 235 required by the State of Missouri)

Transfer students should see an advisor at Missouri State prior to admission for assistance with this process. For transfer advisement information visit the transfer student website at: <http://www.missouristate.edu/transfer/24937.htm>

For specific questions regarding admission of transfer students, contact Dixie Williams at:
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If you have further questions about this program, please refer to the Secondary Education website at: <http://education.missouristate.edu/secondary/> or call 417-836-6204.
Information on all major and minors programs can be found at
<http://www.missouristate.edu/majors>.