

**Curriculum Guide for AA in Teacher Preparation to B.S.Ed. Elementary Education:
Communication Sciences and Disorders at WCU**

First Year

1st Semester* Fall					2nd Semester Spring				
CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
ENG 111	ENGL 101	C1	3	Required	ENG 112	ENGL 202	C1	3	Required
Natural Science	Physical & Biological Sciences	C5	4	Required	COM 231	COMM 201	C3	3	Recommended
History (Social/Behavioral Science)	History	P3	3	Recommended	Humanities/Fine Arts	Fine & Performing Arts	P5	3	Recommended
Humanities/Fine Arts	Humanities	P4	3	Recommended	SOC 225 (Social/Behavioral Sciences)	Social Sciences	P1	3	Requires a substitution through your Community College to fulfill the Social/Behavioral Science requirement
EDU 187	EDCI 191	FYS	3	Required	EDU 216^	EDCI 201		3	Required
ACA 122	Elective		1						
Total Credit Hours					Total Credit Hours				
17					15				

*This assumes placement into college level courses. This is only meant to be a guide. Please see your academic advisor to develop your individual plan.

Second Year

3rd Semester Fall					4th Semester Spring				
CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes	CC Course	WCU Course Equivalent	LS Cat.	Credit Hours	Required/Notes
EDU 250**	Elective		3		Elective			3	Gen Ed Elective
Elective			3	Gen Ed Elective	MAT 142	MATH 321		3	Required
MAT 141 (Mathematics)	MATH 221		3	Requires a substitution through your Community College to fulfill the Math requirement	EDU 279	EDRD 303		4	Required
Elective			3	Gen Ed Elective	Elective			3	Gen Ed Elective
HEA 110/PED 110/Other Elective	Wellness	C4	3	Recommended					
Total Credit Hours					Total Credit Hours				
15					13				

Please see website for admission criteria: TeacherEdAdmission.wcu.edu

** Students should complete the Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators Exam during their EDU 250 semester in anticipation of Admission to the TEP prior to beginning classes at WCU.

Suggested Course Sequence to transfer from NCCCS

Third Year (at WCU)

5th Semester		6th Semester					
Fall		Spring					
WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
EDEL 311	Elementary Curriculum	3		CSD 380	Anatomy and Physiology of the Speech Mechanism	3	
CSD 301	Speech and Language Development	3		EDCI 430	Culturally Relevant Classroom	3	
CSD 370	Phonetics	3		CSD 450	Introduction to Audiology	3	
CSD 372	Acoustics and Speech Science	3		PSY 320	Childhood Developmental Psychology	3	
EDEL 417	Social Studies Methods K-6	3		SPED 240	The Exceptional Child	3	
Total Credit Hours		15		Total Credit Hours		15	

Fourth Year

7th Semester		8th Semester					
Fall		Spring					
WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes	WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
EDEL 415	Language Arts Methods	3		ELMG 484	Internship I	3	
EDEL 416	Science Methods	3		EDEL 429	Math Methods II K-6	3	
EDRD 420	Reading Methods K-6	3		EDEL 339	Creating Responsive Learning Communities Seminar	2	
EDEL 428	Math Methods I K-6	3		EDEL 446	Digital Literacy Methods	3	
EDEL 390	Practicum I (Block)	3		EDRD 440	RDG Diagnosis & Instruct.	3	
CSD 472	Aural Rehabilitation	3					
Total Credit Hours		18		Total Credit Hours		14	

Fifth Year

9th Semester			
Fall			
WCU Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Notes
ELMG 485	Internship II	9	
ELMG 495	Seminar for Student Teachers	3	
Total Credit Hours		12	

A Second Academic Concentration is required for all Elementary Education Majors.

Reminder: 30 hours of 300-400 level courses must be taken at WCU.

Program website: Elementary.wcu.edu

For Academic Advising questions, please visit: Suite 201.wcu.edu