

Program Transfer Guide
Eastern Iowa Community College
Associate of Arts (AA) in
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION TRANSFER MAJOR

→ **UIU Bachelor of Arts (BA) in**
Elementary Education, K-8 Reading Endorsement
(for Teacher Licensure)

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Years 1 & 2 at Eastern Iowa Community College:

EICC Program Course Sequence			Course Transfers into UIU as			
Course ID	Course Name	# Cr	Course ID	Course Name	# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled
Required Courses						
EDU 213	Introduction to Education	3	EDU 110	Found. Of American Education	3	Major
PSY 281	Educational Psychology	3	EDU 152	Assessment & Psychology	3	Major
EDU 235	Children's Literature	3	EDU 333	Literature: Birth-Adolescence	3	Major
EDU 245	Exceptional Learner	3	SPED 304	Exceptional Persons	3	Major
MAT 117	Math for Elementary Teachers	3	----	----	3	Free Elective
PSY 121	Developmental Psychology	3	EDU 142	Human Growth/Dev/Guid.	3	PPE Soc. Sci. & Major
EDU 255	Technology in the Classroom	3	EDU 252	Computers/Instruct. Tech.	3	Major
HIS 151 OR HIS 152	U.S. History to 1877 OR U.S. History Since 1877	3 OR 3	HIST 110 OR HIST 111	American History to 1877 OR American History Since 1877	3 OR 3	PPE Soc. Sci. & Major OR PPE Soc. Sci. & Major
General Education Requirements						
ENG 105 OR ENG 107	Composition I OR Comp. I: Technical Writing	3	ENG 101	English Comp I	3	PPE ENG 101
ENG 106 OR ENG 108	Composition II OR Comp II: Technical Writing	3	ENG 102	English Comp II	3	PPE ENG 102 & Major
SPC 112 OR SPC 170	Public Speaking OR Professional Communication	3	COMM 105 OR PC 150	Public Speaking OR Speech Gen Ed	3	PPE COMM 105 & Major OR PPE PC Oral Comm.
Literature Course		3	---	---	3	PPE Creative Expr.
Humanities Course (PHI 105)		3	PHIL 202	Contemporary Ethics	3	PPE Civ/Ethics
Fine Arts course		3	---	<i>See Electives Table</i>	3	*Select PPE Creative Expression course
Language or Intercultural Perspectives		3	---	<i>See Electives Table</i>	3	*Select PPE HVCP course
Social Science (POL 111)		6	PS 100	US Government	6	PPE Soc. Sci. & Major
Life Science (BIO 105)		4	BIO 100	General Biological Science	4	PPE Science & Major
Physical Science (PHS 152)		4	PHY 110	Introduction to Astronomy	4	PPE Science & Major
CSC 110 OR CSC 116	Introduction to Computers OR Information Computing	3 OR 3	IS 102	Intro. to Comp. App/Tech	3	Free Elective
Total occupational course credits earned:		62	Total course credits applied:		62	
Total transferable credits#:		62				

*UIU recommendations are **bolded**.*

Years 3 & 4 at Upper Iowa University:

Courses to be taken at Upper Iowa University

UIU Program Course List		# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled	Transferred In
Peacock Professional Experience (PPE) Courses				
FYS 120 OR FYS 122	First Year Seminar (Fayette) OR First Year Seminar (Online/Self-Paced)	3	Students who transfer to UIU with a completed Associate of Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS) degree in liberal arts from Eastern Iowa Community College, will be considered to have fulfilled all lower-division Upper Iowa University general education requirements. *Must complete 1 Natural Science course and 1 Math course to meet BOEE core requirement.	
ENG 101	English Composition I	3		
ENG 102	English Composition II	3		
COMM 105 OR COMM 200	Public Speaking OR Interpersonal Communication	3		
	any Human Values & Cultural Perspectives	3		
	any Quantitative Reasoning	3		
	any Science	3		
	any Social Science	3		
	any Civics, Ethics & Citizenship	3		
	any Creative Expression	3		
Peacock Professional Experience (Gen Ed) Electives (if needed) All students must complete at least 30 hours of general education (Peacock Professional Experience) coursework. If the student has had specific general education requirements waived above, you must meet the 30-hour minimum using any general education course(s) not already applied in the Peacock Professional Experience section.				
PPE 100	Peacock Professional Experience Elective	3	PPE Elective	POL 111
Major Courses				
EDU 110	Foundations of American Education	3	Major	EDU 213
EDU 142	Human Growth, Dev. and Guidance	3	Major	PSY 121
EDU 152	Assessment and Psychology	3	Major	PSY 281
EDU 162	Diversity for Teachers	3	Major	----
EDU 252	Computers & Instructional Tech.	3	Major	EDU 255
EDU 305	Teaching Elementary Science	3	Major	----
EDU 306	Field Experience I: Elementary	3	Major	----
EDU 309	Teaching Elem. Movement & Wellness	1	Major	----
EDU 310	Teaching Elementary Visual Arts	1	Major	----
EDU 315	Teaching Elementary Social Studies	3	Major	----
EDU 321	Field Experience II: Elementary	2	Major	----
EDU 326	Development. Reading/Language Arts	3	Major	----
EDU 333	Literature: Birth-Adolescence	3	Major	EDU 235
EDU 335	Teaching Elementary Language Arts	3	Major	----
EDU 352	Teaching Math PreK-Grade 3	3	Major	----
EDU 353	Teaching Math Intermediate - MS	3	Major	----
SPED 304	Exceptional Persons	3	Major	EDU 245
SPED 462	Individ. Behavior and Classroom Mgmt.	3	Major	----
Content Areas				
History		3	Major	HIS 151 or HIS 152
Political Science		3	Major	POL 111
Earth/Space Science		3	Major	PHS 152
Life Science		3	Major	BIO 105

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	Mathematics: <i>Select one of the following</i>		3	Major	----
	MATH 101 Math for Liberal Arts		MATH 105 College Mathematics		
	MATH 107 College Algebra		MATH 115 Trigonometry/Analytic Geometry		
	MATH 120 Analytic Geometry & Calculus I		MATH 220 Elementary Statistics		
	An approved mathematics course				
	Oral Communications		3	Major	SPC 112
	Written Communications		3	Major	ENG 106
	K-8 Reading Endorsement Courses (A min. GPA of 2.70 is required for certification in this endorsement.)				
	EDU 407	Diagnostic Assess. Prac. in Reading/LA	3	Endorsement	----
	EDU 409	Practicum: Elementary Reading	3	Endorsement	----
	EDU 425	Content Area Literacy	3	Endorsement	----
	EDU 445	Language Acquisition	3	Endorsement	----
	EDU 485	Advanced Instructional Issues & Methods in Reading/Language Arts	3	Endorsement	----
	Student Teaching				
	ST 4XX	Student Teaching	16	Major	----
Total additional credits needed at UIU to complete degree:			65		
Total transferable credits from EICC:			62		
Total Earned Credits:			127		

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- Certification in Mental Health First Aid (0 credits) is required for this major.
- Students must also meet the requirements of an endorsement in a specific subject area to qualify for licensure.
- *Transfer grades lower than a C- will not be accepted. Education majors must complete all equivalencies for ECE, EDU, and SPED courses with a grade of "C" or better.
- A minimum cumulative and major GPA of 2.70 is required to be recommended by UIU for certification.
- Student must complete an approved Speech course, along with English Composition I & II courses, with a grade of "C" or above.

LEGEND:

- **Bolded** text indicates UIU recommendations.
- *Grayed out text* indicates courses fulfilled through transfer. Strikethrough indicates specific course if within grouping.

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A minimum of 120 semester credits is required for a baccalaureate degree; up to 78 lower-division college semester credits from Eastern Iowa Community College. A minimum of 30 credits must be upper-division credits for a UIU baccalaureate degree; lower-division transfer work from Eastern Iowa Community College does not contribute to the upper-division credit requirement at UIU.

This program transfer guide is based on the June 2026 (updated August 2026) course-to-course articulation (UIU 2025-26 catalog & EICC 2025-26 catalog).

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy and completeness of this program articulation. The office of the Registrar of Upper Iowa University reserves the right to make corrections, additions, and deletions as necessary.

Recommended Electives Transfer Table

EICC ELECTIVES			Transfers as UIU Course			
Course Id	Course Name	# Cr	Course Id	Course Name	# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled
Fine Arts Course						
ART 101	Art Appreciation	3	ART 100	Introduction to Art	3	PPE Creative Expr.
HUM 137	Humanities of the Modern World	3	CREX 150	Creative Expression Gen Ed	3	PPE Creative Expr.
MUS 100	Music Appreciation	3	MUS 100	Introduction to Music	3	PPE Creative Expr.
Language or Intercultural Perspectives Course						
ANT-105	Cultural Anthropology	3	ANTH 110	Intro. to Cultural Anthropology	3	PPE HVCP
CLS-150	Latin American History & Culture	3	HVCP 150	Hum. Values/Cltl Persp. Gen Ed	3	PPE HVCP
SPC-120	Intercultural Communications	3	COMM 221	Intercultural Communication	3	PPE HVCP

Maximize Your Transfer to UIU

Take up to 5 credits to fulfill Major requirements.

Choose up to 5 additional credits at Eastern Iowa Community College to transfer into Upper Iowa University to fulfill Major requirements. Talk with your advisors to ensure additional courses will fit with your degree plan and financial aid requirements.

Choose up to 5 credits from the following areas:

- Major Requirement – up to 5 credits (*see table*)

Additional Elective Transfer Guide

EICC ELECTIVES			Transfers as UIU Course			
Course Id	Course Name	# Cr	Course Id	Course Name	# Cr	Requirement Fulfilled
Major Requirement (choose one)						
ECE 158	Early Childhood Curriculum I	3	EDU 309 AND EDU 310	Teaching Elem. Movement/Wellness AND Teaching Elem. Visual Arts	1 AND 1	Major AND Major
MAT 110 OR	Math for Liberal Arts	3 OR	MATH 101 OR	Math for Liberal Arts	3 OR	PPE QR & Major OR
MAT 138 OR	College Algebra w/ Limits	4 OR	MATH 107 OR	College Algebra	3 OR	PPE QR & Major OR
MAT 128 OR	Precalculus	4 OR	MATH 115 OR	Trig/Analytic Geometry	3 OR	PPE QR & Major OR
MAT 210 OR	Calculus I	4 OR	MATH 120 OR	Analytic Geometry & Cal. I	3 OR	PPE QR & Major OR
MAT 156	Statistics	3	MATH 220	Elementary Statistics	3	PPE QR & Major