


**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT**  
**Associate of Arts in Teaching**  
**University Agreement**

Effective Fall 2021, the revised Associate of Arts in Teaching (AAT) will be offered for transfer to Arkansas public universities. All institutions accepting the AAT for transfer will:

1. Accept the AAT degree as adopted in this document without course substitutions, course additions or other program changes.
2. Accept and apply all AAT courses toward the total semester credit hours required for the bachelor's degree in Middle School or K-6 Elementary Education.
3. Admit qualified AAT students to the College of Education with junior status.
4. Inform students that the institution accepts the AAT degree for transfer and publish the bachelor's degree completion plans for Middle School and K-6 Elementary Education.
5. Inform the Arkansas Division of Higher Education before implementing Middle School and K-6 curricular changes so that ADHE can determine the impact on the AAT degree.
6. Submit written notification to the Arkansas Division of Higher Education at least one year prior to the effective date for termination of this agreement. If this agreement is terminated, all AAT students enrolled in the bachelor's degree completion program will be allowed to complete the Middle School or K-6 Elementary Education.

  
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**Signature of Chief Academic Officer**

1-29-21  
**Date**

  
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**Signature of President/Chancellor**

2/1/21  
**Date**

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**AAT Degree Requirements: 62-64 semester credit hours**

**General Education Requirements**

English/Communications

English Composition I	3 hours
English Composition II	3 hours
Introduction to Oral Communication	3 hours

Mathematics

College Algebra/ Quantitative Literacy	3 hours
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Lab Science

Biology with Lab	4 hours
Introduction to Physical Science with Lab	4 hours

Fine Arts/Humanities

Visual Arts <i>or</i> Musical Arts <i>or</i> Theatre Arts	3 hours
World Literature I <i>or</i> II	3 hours

Social Sciences

U.S. Government	3 hours
World Civilization I <i>or</i> II	3 hours
American History I <i>or</i> II	3 hours

**Education Core Requirements**

Introduction to Education	3 hours
Technology in Elementary Classroom	3 hours
Child Growth & Learning	3 hours
Math I	3 hours
Math II	3 hours

**Required Electives**

Arkansas History	3 hours
Geography	3 hours
Introduction to Psychology or Philosophy*	3 hours
*(Philosophy accepted by HSU)	

**Select Middle Level Education**

**Middle Level Requirements**

Math/Science Specialty

College Trig <i>or</i> Pre-Calculus <i>or</i> Survey of Calculus <i>or</i> higher	3-4 hours
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***or***

Middle School Language Arts/Social Studies Specialty

American Literature I <i>or</i> II	3 hours
Physical Geography or Geology or Earth System with Lab	3-4 hours

**Middle Level Requirements**

PE (Activity)	1 hour
Directed Elective	0-3 hours