

12-1 System-wide Articulation Agreement Cover Page

Instructions: The originating college (OC) must complete this cover page and attach to the system-wide articulation agreement packet before submitting to the WTCS System Office.

It is the responsibility of the originating college to review and update the agreement by the listed renewal date and submit any changes to the WTCS office. Any changes must be reviewed by the colleges who signed the original agreement.

Please submit to programs@wtcsystem.edu when complete; the System Office is responsible for collecting ISA signatures.

Title of Program: Foundations of Teacher Education

Program Number: 10-522-2

Postsecondary Partner College: Viterbo University

Originating College: Western Technical College

Effective Date: Fall 2021

Renewal Date: _____

Date of Instructional Services Meeting: 03/04/2021

Articulation Agreement – WTCS A.A.S. Foundations of Education to Viterbo University B.S. Elementary Education

This Articulation Agreement (the “Agreement”) by and between Viterbo University (“VU”), with its principal address at 900 Viterbo Drive, La Crosse, Wisconsin, and Wisconsin Technical College System (“WTCS”), is entered to facilitate the seamless transfer of students between WTCS and VU and to raise students’ awareness of the opportunities afforded by this Agreement. Accordingly, in consideration of the promises and mutual covenants contained in this Agreement, VU and WTCS (collectively “the Parties”) agree as follows:

Terms of the Agreement

1. WTCS students who have successfully completed the courses listed in the transfer guides (shown in Addendum A and B) and who apply for admission and meet VU’s standard admission criteria are guaranteed transferability of academic coursework as listed on the transfer guide. WTCS students who have successfully completed an Associate Degree must have completed the VU requirements as shown on the transfer guides. The list of courses on Addendum A and B may be revised from time to time as necessitated by curricula changes at the party institutions or by agreement of the academic deans overseeing the affected programs. VU and WTCS will collaborate to ensure continued alignment of lesson plan templates and curriculum components.
2. The student must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.25 on a 4.0 scale at WTCS, with a grade of C or higher in all courses, in order to receive the benefits of this articulation agreement.
3. Additional general education courses, or other courses pertaining to VU’s Elementary Education program, may possibly transfer and count towards the degree. This will be decided on a case-by-case basis.
4. Students who have not completed the associate degree will be evaluated on an individual basis.
5. In order for courses to transfer, the student must have completed the courses within the last five (5) years of being admitted to VU.
6. In order to enter student teaching, the student must have earned a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher at Viterbo.
7. In order to be endorsed for licensure upon completion of the degree requirements, the student must earn a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher at Viterbo.
8. VU requires, among other requirements, that all of its candidates for the bachelor’s degree accomplish the following:
 - a. fulfill its core curriculum/general education requirements;

- b. complete all courses required for its major(s) and minor(s), if applicable
- c. earn a minimum of 120 credits;
- d. earn a minimum of 40 upper-division credits (courses numbered 300 and higher) for the depending on Viterbo Univ. program;
- e. complete a minimum of the last 30 consecutive credits at Viterbo University, including alternative credits (CLEP, portfolio).
- f. To earn the Bachelor of Science degree, students must complete 11 credits of natural science and/or mathematics.

Services Provided to WTCS by Viterbo University

- Onsite or online advising services
- Annual updates to the transfer guide

Services Provided to Viterbo University by WTCS

- The opportunity for representatives to meet with WTCS students on an ongoing basis
- Assistance in the distribution of updated degree and transfer materials to alumni and current students
- Posting of the transfer guides and other college information on the transfer website to market opportunities for students

Longevity of Agreement and Conditions for Change

1. This agreement shall remain in force until terminated by either party, with or without cause, upon 60 days written notice to the other party. Upon termination of this agreement, students previously admitted to VU pursuant to this Agreement shall continue to receive the benefits contemplated by this Agreement and the applicable VU catalog for a period not to exceed four (4) years. Proposed changes in policies or curricula by either party will be communicated annually.
2. Transfer guides and literature will be updated on an annual basis. In the event of cancellation of this articulation agreement, ninety-day notice must be given and both parties agree to continue to honor the terms of this agreement until any cohorts that are currently taking classes have completed their sequence of courses.

Effective Date: This agreement is effective on the date fully executed below and takes effect for students beginning fall 2021.

Approvals:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sara Cook". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'S' and 'C'.

September 15, 2020

Sara Cook,

Dean, College of Education, Science, & Math

Viterbo University

**Addendum "A" to Articulation Agreement
Viterbo University (VU) and (WTCS)
Fall 2021**

Western Program: Foundations of Teacher Education					
Viterbo Program: Elementary Education					
Format: Daytime program on campus (La Crosse)					
Minimum GPA for admission: 2.25					
Initial effective date: Fall 2021					
Western Technical College Course Requirements			Courses Needed at Viterbo University -		
Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Require 40 Credits of Upper Division (300/400 Level)		
Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Course No.	Course Title	Credits
10-522-102	EDU: Techniques in Reading	3	BIOL 100	Perspectives in Biology (10-806-198 at Western)	4
10-522-103	EDU: Introduction to Educational Practices	3	HIST 2XX	Historical Analysis (10-803-211 or 10-803-212 at Western)	3
10-522-104	EDU: Technology in Education	3	PHIL 2XX	Philosophical & Moral Inquiry (20-809-260 at Western)	3
10-522-105	EDU: Behavior Management	3	ENVS 101 or PHYS 102	Environmental Science Or Physical Science	4
10-522-106	EDU: Child and Adolescent Development	3	RLST 342	Foundations of Christian Theology	3
10-522-107	EDU: Overview of Special Education	3	RLST XXX	Faith & Practice (20-809-223 at Western)	3
10-522-112	EDU: Equity in Education	3	VUSM 400	VU Mission Seminar - The Ethical Life	3
10-522-114	EDU: Techniques in Language Arts	3	Professional Program		
10-522-118	EDU: Techniques for Math	3	EDUC 255	Curriculum Planning & Assessment	3
10-522-119	EDU: Techniques for Social Studies	3	EDUC 280	Children's Literature	3
10-522-120	EDU: Techniques for Science	3	EDUC 302	Meeting Needs Diverse Learn (VUSM LDW)	3
10-522-124	EDU: Supporting Students with Disabilities	3	EDUC 308	Emerging Literacy	2
10-522-129	EDU: Practicum 1	3	EDUC 311	Social Studies Methods	2
10-522-131	EDU: Practicum 2	3	EDUC 319	Teaching Literacy K - Grade 9	3
General Studies Courses			EDUC 323	Science Methods	4
10-801-136	English Composition 1	3	EDUC 355	Content / Methods in Math Elem / MS	3
10-801-198	Speech	3	EDUC 405	Interdisciplinary Methods Elem / MS	3
10-804-123	Math with Business Apps OR College Algebra	3	EDUC 407	Senior Clinical (edTPA practice)	1
10-809-172	Introduction to Diversity Studies	3	EDUC 413	Assess / Correction Literacy Problems	3
10-809-198	Introduction to Psychology	3	EDUC 441	Student Teaching	9
	Electives	3	EDUC 482	Seminar	2
See Western for Approved Alternatives			EDUC 483	Professional Portfolio	2
Total program credits:		60	Total credits needed to complete degree at VU: 66		
			Total credits accepted at Viterbo University: 60		
			Credit total: 126		



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er Specialist and transfer personnel at Viterbo University for most current transfer information.

**Addendum “B” to Articulation Agreement
Viterbo University (VU) and (WTCS)
Fall 2021**

Western Program: Foundations of Teacher Education					
Viterbo Program: Elementary Education Degree Completion					
Format: Online Program					
Minimum GPA for admission: 2.25					
Initial effective date: Fall 2021					
Western Technical College Course Requirements			Courses Needed at Viterbo University		
Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Course No.	Course Title	Credits
10-522-102	EDU: Techniques in Reading	3	GLCZ 3XX	Global Citizenship Elective	3
10-522-103	EDU: Introduction to Educational Practices	3	BIOL 100	Perspectives in Biology (10-806-198 at Western)	4
10-522-104	EDU: Technology in Education	3	ENVS 101	Environmental Science	4
10-522-105	EDU: Behavior Management	3	Professional Program		
10-522-106	EDU: Child and Adolescent Development	3	EDUC 303	Educational Foundations	3
10-522-107	EDU: Overview of Special Education	3	EDUC 304	Positive Classroom Environment K-9	3
10-522-112	EDU: Equity in Education	3	EDUC 307	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment	3
10-522-114	EDU: Techniques in Language Arts	3	EDUC 305	Reading, Writing, Speaking, Listening	3
10-522-118	EDU: Techniques for Math	3	EDUC 309	Disability and the Inclusive Classroom	3
10-522-119	EDU: Techniques for Social Studies	3	EDUC 313	World Views / Systems of Thinking	3
10-522-120	EDU: Techniques for Science	3	ENVS 210	Science & Environmental Education Seminar	1
10-522-124	EDU: Supporting Students with Disabilities	3	MATH 210	Math for Elementary and Middle School Teachers	1
10-522-129	EDU: Practicum 1	3	EDUC 380	Meeting the Needs of Diverse Learners	3
10-522-131	EDU: Practicum 2	3	EDUC 314	Literacy Birth through Grade 9	4
General Studies Courses			EDUC 347	Social Studies Methods	2
10-801-136	English Composition 1	3	EDUC 345	Science Methods	3
10-801-198	Speech	3	EDUC 415	Assessment and Correction of Literacy Problems	3
10-804-123	Math with Business Apps OR College Algebra	3	EDUC 346	Math Methods	3
10-809-172	Introduction to Diversity Studies	3	EDUC 426	Teaching Writing in the Language Arts Classroom	2
10-809-198	Introduction to Psychology	3	EDUC 409	Interdisciplinary Methods	2
	Electives	3	EDUC 491	Student Teaching Seminar	2
See Western for Approved Alternatives			EDUC 492	Student Teaching	6
Total program credits:		60	EDUC 483	Professional Portfolio	2
			Professional Program Core:		52
			Total VU credits (if science not taken at Western):		63



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Agreement with: Viterbo University
College Partner

for the Foundations of Teacher Education and 10-522-2
Primary State Program Title Primary Number

Date: 04/16/2021
Calendar Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

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