

Kaskaskia College

Associate in Science

BIOLOGY - Secondary Education - Grades 9-12

Completion of an Associate in Arts or Science degree at Kaskaskia College fulfills SIUE's general education requirements, with the exception of an Interdisciplinary Studies course that all students must take during their junior and senior year at SIUE.

This "Transfer Program Guide" is an example of proposed curriculum for students to use while completing their associate's degree. Reading, writing and math placement could alter the course sequencing and transfer date. Therefore students should begin sequencing their reading/writing (if applicable) and math & science courses during the first semester, paying close attention to prerequisites. Students have the option of taking summer classes to lessen fall and spring course loads.

It is highly recommended that students meet with a KC advisor each semester. Please see "Important Student Notes" located on page of two of this transfer guide.

Fall Year 1

KC Course	Hours
ENGL 101 - English Composition	3
IAI Behavioral or Social Science - non PSYH	3
¹ BIOL 101 - Biology	4
¹ CHEM 111 - Inorganic Chemistry I	5
PHLE 119 - Core Values/Ethical Decision Making	1
Total	16

Spring Year 1

KC Course	Hours
ENGL 102 - English Composition	3
^{1,2} IAI Mathematics	4
¹ BIOL 102 - Biology	4
¹ CHEM 112 - Chemistry II, Physical/Analytical	5
Total	16

Fall Year 2

KC Course	Hours
SPCH 103 - Fundamentals of Speech	3
IAI Humanities	3
¹ CHEM 208 - Organic Chemistry I	5
PSYH 101 - Psychology	3
IAI FA IAI Fine Arts	3
Total	17

Spring Year 2

KC Course	Hours
¹ GEOG 101 - Physical Geography	4
IAI Behavioral or Social Science	3
IAI Humanities or Fine Arts	3
Health and Personal Development, Criteria I	3
Total	13

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62

¹All math and science courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or higher.

²If MATH 166 is taken, student will not need to take MATH 135 (SIUE MATH 125) at SIUE.



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The preceding information is provided to assist students in the transfer process. In no way does this document substitute for meeting with an academic advisor. Students are advised to meet on a regular basis with advisors at KC. Courses taken through dual credit can be applied to required SIUE coursework; please contact KC advisor for more information. Please consult Kaskaskia College catalog for additional graduation requirements.

Students should begin a file with an SIUE Education Advisor after their first semester at KC by calling the SIUE "School of Education, Health, and Human Behavior" Student Services office at 618-650-3940. Students do not have to be admitted to

DECLARATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

- A minimum GPA of 2.0 (on a 4.0 scale) in science and math transferable courses completed at all transfer institutions.
- An overall GPA of 2.0 in other transferable work

ADMISSION TO TEACHER LICENSURE

In order to be admitted into the teacher licensure program, students must:

- Receive a grade of "C" or above in all general education, major content, and professional education courses.
- Complete 43 semester hours of course credit and have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher (this includes work at all institutions attended.)
- Pass all areas of the ICTS Test of Academic Proficiency (TAP) or ACT Plus Writing.
- •Please note that the State of Illinois is making significant changes in teacher education that may result in revised standards, programs, testing requirements and teaching certificates. It is very important that all prospective and current candidates work closely with their advisors to remain current about course and curriculum changes affecting progress through the programs.