# Transfer Guide
# Bachelor of Science Elementary Education
## Cloud County Community College

The bachelor's degree in Elementary teacher education at the University of Kansas School of Education and Human Sciences prepares individuals to teach children in kindergarten through sixth-grade.

Benefits of the program include:

- *Program Reputation -* KU's Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education is offered through the KU School of Education and Human Sciences, which is ranked among the top 10 Best Public Education Schools according to *U.S. News & World Report.*
- *Field Experiences, Early & Often* - The teacher education program combines general education courses and professional education coursework with multiple field experiences at the elementary level in rural, urban, and suburban communities.
- *Dual Programming* - Coursework fulfills the requirements for a Bachelor's degree as well as prepares students to pass the initial teaching licensure exam in Kansas. It's a two-for-one program at KU!
- *Teacher Licensure Options* - Students who successfully complete this program at KU may be eligible to take advantage of licensure endorsements options: TESOL or Special Education.
- *Student Organizations & Networking* - Students can actively participate in the Kansas National Education Association (KNEA), a unique, student-led organization.
- *Nationally-accredited Program* - The KU School of Education and Human Sciences is accredited under the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) Standards through the CAEP Accreditation System.

This transfer guide provides important information and a sample two-semester plan for a student starting at Cloud County Community College and transferring to KU for the remaining coursework. In addition, we provide additional courses a student may choose to take at the community college prior to transferring to KU. Students are advised to consider transferring by spring of sophomore year, at the latest. We recommend consulting with one's adviser at Cloud County Community College and emailing us with any additional questions you have. See contact information at the bottom of this page.

## Elementary Education Admission Requirements

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**Step One: Admission to the University of Kansas**
Apply to the University of Kansas by filling out a transfer application at admissions.ku.edu. Gaining admission to the University of Kansas requires the submission of official college transcripts from all previously attended colleges/universities.

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**Step Two: Admission to the KU School of Education and Human Sciences**
Select "School of Education and Human Sciences" as your school and "Elementary" as the degree you will be pursuing. Students should have a 2.75 KU + Transfer Cumulative GPA to be considered for admission.

**The following courses are recommendations to assist in the transfer process, but are not requirements for admission:**

- ENGL 101
- ENGL 102
- COMS 130
- MATH 101
- GEOG 104
- C&T 100
- HIST 128

## First Semester

| KU Requirement | Recommended Course at Cloud County Community College | |
|---|---|---|
| Composition, ENGL 101 (GE21) | CM 101 | ☐ |
| Intro. to the Education Profession, C&T 100 (GE11) | ED 100 | ☐ |
| History of US Through Civil War, HIST 128 (GE3H) | HI 122 | ☐ |
| College Algebra, MATH 101 (GE12)[1] | MA 111 | ☐ |
| Principles of Biology & Lab, BIOL 100 & 102 (GE3N) | SC 101 | ☐ |

## Second Semester

| KU Requirement | Recommended Course | |
|---|---|---|
| Critical Reading and Writing, ENGL 102 (GE 21) | CM 102 | ☐ |
| Personal and Community Health, HSES 260 | PE 141 | ☐ |
| Speaker-Audience Communication, COMS 130 (GE22) | CM 115 | ☐ |
| Intro to US Politics, POLS 110 (GE3S) | SS 140 | ☐ |
| Intro to Chemistry, CHEM 110 or Environmental Studies and lab, EVRN 140 & EVRN 160 | SC 130 &130L or SC 146 & 147 | ☐ |

## Additional courses that may be offered at your community college

| KU Requirement | Recommended Course | |
|---|---|---|
| Principles of Geography, GEOG 104 (GE3N) | No Equivalent Course | ☐ |
| Development and Learning of the Child, EPSY 305 | SS 127 | ☐ |
| Children's Literature, C&T 344 | CM 125 | ☐ |
| Teaching Exceptional Children and Youth, SPED 326 | No Equivalent Course | ☐ |
| Elem. Art or Music for Teachers, VAE 341 or MEMT 341 | ED 114 or ED 123 | ☐ |

## Additional Notes for Transfer Students

- [1]Courses offered at your community college that are equivalent to MATH 101 or MATH 104, or higher (excluding statistics) satisfy this requirement. See KU Advisor or Credtran for available courses.

- While additional courses have been included on this transfer guide it should be noted that due to prerequisites and course offerings if a student spends two years at a community college, the student may still have three years of courses to complete once at KU.

- Transfer credits with earned grades of D+ and below will not satisfy graduation requirements, but will be included in the transfer GPA. If a student takes a course and then repeats it at the same institution, KU will honor the course repeat policy in effect at the institution issuing the transcript.

- A bachelor's degree must include 120 completed credit hours. A student may apply a maximum of 64 credit hours of community college coursework to a KU degree.

- Transfer courses may be matched to a course of opposite level at KU, but the level of credit is defined by the originating institution. (All community college courses are lower level.)

- View the most up-to-date listings of transferable courses at: credittransfer.ku.edu. You can search by specific KU Core goal or view many of the courses that transfer to KU. If a class is not listed contact transfercredit@ku.edu to inquire about transferability.

It is the STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer program is provided as a service and is updated annually. Degree requirements are subject to change.