

# 2019-2020 catalog (AAOT) Degree transfer to WOU BS in Education: Early Childhood/Elementary

Complete a minimum of 90 credit hours with a GPA of 2.0 or higher. All foundational and discipline studies courses must be a minimum of 3 credits, except for Health/Wellness/Fitness courses which may be any number of credits. One course with an (IL) Information Literacy and a (CL) Cultural Literacy indicator must be completed. Electives may be any number of credits. All courses must be passed with a grade C- or better. Complete a minimum of 24 credit hours at Chemeketa. These must include the following:

Requirements for the AAOT	Credits/ Courses	Courses which satisfy requirements for WOU BS in Education: Early Childhood/Elementary Concentration
<b>Writing</b> (Minimum of eight credits)	8 credits minimum	<input type="checkbox"/> WR121 and <input type="checkbox"/> Choose 1: WR122 or WR123 or WR227
<b>Math</b> (Minimum of one course in college level math for which MTH095 is a prerequisite)	1 course minimum	<input type="checkbox"/> MTH211
<b>Oral Communication</b> (Minimum of one course)	1 course minimum	<input type="checkbox"/> COMM111 or any AAOT approved COMM class: COMM100(CL), 105(CL), 111, 112, 115(CL), 130, 212, 218, 219(CL), 227(CL), 237(CL), 260(CL), 285.
<b>Physical Education or Health</b> (One or more courses totaling at least 3 credits)	3 credits minimum	<input type="checkbox"/> HPE295 or any AAOT approved PE or HE/HPE class
<b>Arts and Letters</b>	3 courses minimum	<input type="checkbox"/> LING210 <input type="checkbox"/> Choose 1: ENG104, ENG105, ENG106, or ENG250 <input type="checkbox"/> Choose 1: ART115 or ART131
<b>Social Sciences</b> (Four courses chosen from at least two disciplines.)	4 courses minimum	<input type="checkbox"/> PSY218 or PSY201 or any AAOT approved PSY (PSY101, 201, 202(CL), 213, 218(CL), 234(CL), 237, 239, 280 (recommend PSY218) <input type="checkbox"/> Choose 2: <input type="checkbox"/> HST201, <input type="checkbox"/> HST202, <input type="checkbox"/> HST203  <input type="checkbox"/> Choose 1: GEG105 or GEG106
<b>Sciences/Math/Computer Science</b> (Four courses from at least two disciplines including at least three laboratory courses in biological and/or physical science.)	4 courses minimum	<input type="checkbox"/> MTH212 <input type="checkbox"/> BI101 <input type="checkbox"/> GS106 <input type="checkbox"/> Choose 1: GS104, GS105, GS108 or GS141
<b>Electives</b> (Complete additional courses to bring the total number of credits to 90.)		<u>Required for your degree at WOU</u> <input type="checkbox"/> MTH213 <input type="checkbox"/> ED200 <input type="checkbox"/> ED265 <input type="checkbox"/> ED229 <input type="checkbox"/> ED230 <input type="checkbox"/> HDF247 <input type="checkbox"/> Choose 1: ECE152 or ECE153 <input type="checkbox"/> Choose 1: PS201 or PS203  Additional required courses that could be taken at Chemeketa, but are not required for your AAOT. ECE155 Choose 1: ED233, ECE251 or HDF225

This advising guide is based upon WOU & Chemeketa 2019 catalog. Each student's situation is unique, so individual advising is encouraged.

## **Before You Transfer:**

### **1<sup>st</sup> year**

- Set as a goal a 2.75 cumulative GPA; all ED prefix courses need to be a B- or higher
- Develop an education plan to determine next steps for transferring by meeting with an Education Advisor (Cathy Martell-Straight and Juan Carlos Deloya)
- If you began classes during an earlier catalog year or have already taken classes that differ from the classes listed on this guide it is HIGHLY recommended to meet with Darlene Fritz [calendly.com/fritzd/chemeketa](http://calendly.com/fritzd/chemeketa) to determine if classes may be substituted for the requirements listed here.
- Take your ACT or SAT (with writing) if you didn't do one in high school.

### **2<sup>nd</sup> year**

- Maintain 2.75 cumulative GPA, all ED prefix courses need to be a B- or higher.
- Apply for admission to Western in fall term. (Find free admission days on the WOU admissions website).
- Recommended financial aid deadlines: FAFSA in October; OSAC in December; Bilingual Teacher Scholars and WOU general scholarship application in February.
- Take and pass the Civil Rights exam ([www.orela.nesinc.com](http://www.orela.nesinc.com)).
- Complete first 30 hours of classroom experience/observation (ED240 will meet this requirement).
- Complete your AAOT degree either before or soon after transferring to WOU.

## **After You Transfer:**

### **3<sup>rd</sup> year**

- Maintain 2.75 GPA and take your teaching methods and pre-education courses.
- Complete second 30 hours of classroom experience/observation.
- Apply to the licensure program in early April of your junior year.

#### **The requirements to be admitted into the licensure program (final three terms of your degree) include:**

- Minimum 2.75 cumulative GPA; all ED prefix courses need to be a B- or higher
- Pass criminal record and character background check, demonstrate professional ethics and dispositions required of teacher candidates
- Pass Elementary Subtest 1 and Subtest 2 and Civil Rights Exams
- Complete two sets of 30 hour classroom observations (a practicum based education course like ED240 may be substituted for one of these).
- Submit ACT or SAT scores
- Complete all pre-education coursework (all courses except those listed in year four).

### **4<sup>th</sup> year**

- Complete a full year of education courses and student teaching.
- Apply for your teaching license.
- Interview for jobs.

Look ahead to Jr/Sr year using the following link for a sample plan: <http://www.wou.edu/academics/education/>