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James Madison University  
Blue Ridge Community College

Lord Fairfax Community College  
Piedmont Virginia Community College

**Transfer Associate in Arts and Sciences Degree  
Concentration in Pre-Teacher Education**

**Suggested RTEA Curriculum Outline and Advising Guide for Students Pursuing Licensure in  
PHYSICAL AND HEALTH EDUCATION**

Note: This document is only a guide; students wishing to transfer to JMU under this agreement must also sign an official Intent Form.

**FIRST YEAR**

**First Semester – 14-17 Credits**

Course #	Course Description	Credits	BRCC	LFCC	PVCC
ENG 111	College Composition I	3	X	X	X
HLT 110	Concepts of Personal and Community Health	3	X	X	X
BIO 141	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	X	X	X
Math Elective		3	X	X	X
ITE 115, ITE 119, CSC 200, or Test Equivalency	Computer Proficiency	(3)	X	X	X
SDV ____	Student Development	1	X	X	X

**Second Semester – 16 Credits**

Course #	Course Description	Credits	BRCC	LFCC	PVCC
ENG 112	College Composition II	3	X	X	X
BIO 142	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4	X	X	X
Math Elective		3	X	X	X
Social Science Elective		3	X	X	X
PSY 230	Developmental Psychology	3	X	X	X

**SECOND YEAR**

**Third Semester – 15 Credits**

Course #	Course Description	Credits	BRCC	LFCC	PVCC
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective		3	X	X	X
Social Science Electives		6	X	X	X
PED/HLT Elective		3	X	X	X
CST 100 <i>or</i>	Principles of Public Speaking	(3)	--	--	X
CST 110	Introduction to Speech Communications	(3)	X	X	--

**Fourth Semester – 15 Credits**

Course #	Course Description	Credits	BRCC	LFCC	PVCC
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective		3	X	X	X
PED/HLT Electives		9	X	X	X
EDU 200	Introduction to Teaching as a Profession	3	X	X	X

**Total Credits Required for Associate in Arts and Sciences Degree /P-12– Physical and Health Education Option – 60-63**

**ACADEMIC ADVISING NOTES for P-12 – PHYSICAL AND HEALTH EDUCATION TRANSFER STUDENTS**

## Physical and Health Education Teacher Education (PHETE)

- Students who have room for additional electives in their community college program should take additional skill labs or activity courses. However, these courses will transfer in as general electives and will not meet requirements for JMU major courses in physical and health education. Examples of suggested electives include PED 107, 108, 113, 114, 117, 131, 133, 134, 137, 138, 147, 160, 171, 172, 173, 176, 177, 180, 187, or 188 and HLT 100 or 106.
- GHLTH 100, *Personal Wellness*, is strongly recommended, but not required, for JMU's PHETE program. Community college students should take HLT 110, *Concepts of Personal and Community Health*, if at all possible.
- Students should consider taking additional courses at JMU during summer sessions. Suggested courses include GKIN 100, *Lifetime Fitness and Wellness*; KIN 201, *Introduction to Kinesiology*; KIN 202, *Biological Foundations of Kinesiology*; and KIN 203, *Social/Psychological Foundations of Kinesiology*. Permission of JMU instructor is required.
- Students will initially meet with the Kinesiology Advisor, Paula McMahan, [mcmahapm@jmu.edu](mailto:mcmahapm@jmu.edu).
- It is recommended that transfer students visit and review the Kinesiology program at [www.jmu.edu/kinesiology](http://www.jmu.edu/kinesiology).

## APPROVED ELECTIVES

- EDU 200, *Introduction to Teaching as a Profession*, if taken under this agreement, will meet the requirements for EDUC 300, *Foundations of American Education*, at JMU.
- Electives may be selected from the list of approved courses for the Associate in Arts & Sciences (AA&S) degree. See the community college catalogs for this listing. Approved electives are also available from the community college advisors or the Counseling Center.

## PRAXIS I

- Students should take the Praxis I exam during the first semester of their sophomore year at the community college or as soon as they have completed English 111 and a Math course. **All students must pass Praxis I prior to being admitted to JMU under this agreement.**

## GENERAL ACADEMIC NOTES FOR STUDENTS TRANSFERRING to JMU P-12 EDUCATION PROGRAMS

- Please note that the deadline for transfer students to apply for the teacher education program is prior to their first semester of enrollment at James Madison University.
- There are additional requirements for admission to teacher education programs at James Madison University. Furthermore, JMU teacher education students in some education programs may be required to complete a master's degree in addition to the bachelor's degree in their major. We strongly suggest that students obtain a JMU catalog and read their major and education sections very carefully.
- Students are encouraged to meet with education faculty at James Madison University prior to transfer.
- Students who transfer in the spring may need to extend the time to obtain their degree because of course sequencing.
- See the following website for more information:

Physical and Health Education <http://www.jmu.edu/kinesiology/>