

Associate in Arts Degree

2003-2004

This Associate in Arts degree program is designed for students who expect to transfer and earn a degree to teach pre-kindergarten through third grade.

For additional program information, [visit the FSU website](#).

Possible employment areas for this major include pre-school teacher, kindergarten teacher, day care director, elementary school teacher, nursery school teacher, research and development demonstration teacher, private tutor, sales representative, recreation supervisor, YMCA director.

For more information please visit [The Occupational Outlook Handbook website](#).

The courses listed on this guide are not to be construed as a contract between the student and Chipola or the University. Course requirements may change each year. You are encouraged to work closely with your advisor.



Early Childhood Education Transfer Institution: Florida State University

Code
1097

Program Length
60 credits

Entrance Requirements

This is a limited access program.

A minimum GPA of 2.5 and passing scores on all parts of CLAST are required for admission to the College of Education. A strong academic preparation is a must! March 15 is the application deadline; everything must be on file at FSU by this date, not in the mail! Students are admitted in fall term only.

FSU requires competency in oral communications for graduation. If students took a speech course in high school or were members of a debate team, they may exempt this requirement. If not, students should take SPC 2600 at Chipola to satisfy this requirement.

FSU requires basic [computer proficiency](#). Students must demonstrate email, Internet, word processing, & spreadsheet skills; demonstrations are monitored by the FSU Computer Science department. CGS 1060, CGS 1100, or EME 2040 will satisfy this requirement.

FSU will deny admission to any student who has not satisfied the state foreign language requirement.

Applicants are chosen based on GPA, relevant experience, and professional promise. Contact FSU College of Education, 115 Stone Bldg., for a complete application packet.

Applicants must complete a self-disclosure form that requires them to respond to any personal criminal background information; they may also be fingerprinted before student teaching in certain counties.

For more information
Contact:

Student Services
Chipola College
(850) 718-2266



FRESHMAN YEAR

1st Semester		Sem. Hrs.	2nd Semester		Sem. Hrs.
ENC 1101	Communication Skills I	4	ENC 1102	Communication Skills II	4
GLY 1001	Intro to Earth Science	3	PSY 2012	General Psychology	3
MAC 1105 or MAC 1140	College Algebra or Precalculus Alg.	3	MGF 1106 or MAC 1114	Math for Liberal Arts or Trigonometry	3
EDF 1005	Intro to Education	3	SPC 2600	Effective Public Speaking	3
SLS 1101	Orientation	1	ARH 1003	The Purpose of Art	3
TOTAL		14	TOTAL		16

SOPHOMORE YEAR

1st Semester		Sem. Hrs.	2nd Semester		Sem. Hrs.
HUM 2216 or 2233	Humanities w/ Writing	4	MUL 2010	Music Appreciation	3
XXX XXXX ¹	SOCIAL SCIENCE	3	XXX XXXX ¹	SOCIAL SCIENCE	3
PSC 1121 & 1121L	Intro to Physical Science with Lab	4	BSC 1005	Intro to Biology	3
AMH 2010 or 2020	American History I or II	3	STA 2023	Intro to Statistics	3
EDG 2701	Teaching Diverse Population	3	EME 2040	Intro to Educational Tech	3
TOTAL		17	TOTAL		15

¹ The College of Education requires six (6) hours of international/diversity course work & twelve (12) hours of Social Science course work. The following Chipola courses meet these requirements: AMH 2091, GEA 2001, GEA 2002, REL 2300, SYG 1010, WOH 2012, and WOH 2022.