



ASSOCIATE OF ARTS & SCIENCES DTA

for Elementary Education at CWU

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Requirements to Earn this Associate Degree


Work with an advisor to develop your specialized education plan.

Credits

Communication Skills: 10 credits

- ENGL&101: English Composition I .....5
- ENGL&102: English Composition II.....5

Quantitative Skills: 5 credits (SQR)

- MATH&131: Math for Elementary Ed 1 .....5

Humanities: 15 credits (HU, HP)

[ART, CMST, ENGL, FREN, GERM, HUM, MUSC, PHIL, REL, SPAN]

-5
-5
-5


Social Science: 15 credits (SS)

[ANTH, CJ, ECON, HIST, POLS, PSYC, SOC]

- PSYC&100: General Psychology.....5
-5
-5

Natural Science: 15 credits (NS, LS, MS)

[AGR, ASTR, BIOL, BOT, CHEM, ENGR, ENVS, GEOL, NUTR, PHYS]

- MATH&132: Math for Elementary Ed 2 .....5
-5
-5

Additional Breadth: 5 credits

- EDUC&202: Intro to Education .....5

Specified Electives: 10 credits (SE)

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-5

Physical Education/Health & Wellness: 3 credits

- PEH 178: Principles of Fitness OR
- PEH 100: Lifetime Wellness OR.....3
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-1

General Electives: 12 credits

-5
-5
-2

Total Credits Required: 90

TO DO:

Stay on track with this checklist!

QUARTER 1

- APPLY FOR FAFSA OR WASFA FOR NEXT YEAR
- SET UP YOUR BANKMOBILE ACCOUNT
- GET FAMILIAR WITH YOUR CTCLINK STUDENT HOMEPAGE
- MEET WITH YOUR ADVISOR

QUARTER 2

- MAKE AN EDUCATION PLAN WITH YOUR ADVISOR
- APPLY FOR BBCC FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

QUARTER 3

- MEET WITH YOUR ADVISOR
- APPLY TO CWU

QUARTER 4

- UPDATE YOUR EDUCATION PLAN WITH YOUR ADVISOR
- APPLY FOR FAFSA OR WASFA FOR NEXT YEAR
- SIGN UP FOR WEST-B TEST

QUARTER 5

- APPLY FOR GRADUATION (AFTER ENROLLING IN YOUR FINAL QUARTER OF CLASSES)
- APPLY TO CWU TEACHER CERT PROGRAM

QUARTER 6

- ORDER CAP AND GOWN
- ATTEND GRADUATION!



DIVERSITY COURSE REQUIREMENT:
You must complete one diversity course as part of your degree. See page three for options!

Future Education Opportunities

The AA&S DTA represents the broad knowledge generally acquired in the first two years of a four-year program leading to a Bachelor of Arts degree. When students earn the AA&S DTA as lined out here for Elementary Education at CWU, they may transfer to CWU and apply to the Teacher Certification program with all prerequisites met.

Career Outlook

Completion of the Associate of Arts & Sciences degree for Elementary Education (BBCC) and the Elementary Education Teacher Program (CWU) prepares students to teach in grades K-8.

Find Out More

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Length of Program

90 credits = 6 quarters* if you take 15 credits each quarter.

*Your specific route may take longer than 6 quarters depending on the number of credits you take each quarter and where you start in your math and English pathways.

>Teacher Cert Program at CWU is 7 consecutive quarters<

Which Quarter Can I Begin?

DTA - Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer

El Ed CWU main campus - Fall, Winter, Spring

El Ed BBCC CWU campus - Fall

Program Modality

This degree can be completed entirely online. Courses are offered on-campus, online, or hybrid (part on-campus, part online).

Helpful Hints

- Cumulative GPA must be 2.0 or higher
- Earn a grade of 1.0 or higher in each course to use it toward your degree
- CWU requires a minimum GPA of 3.0 for your last 45 credits

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[Teacher Certification Program Information](#)

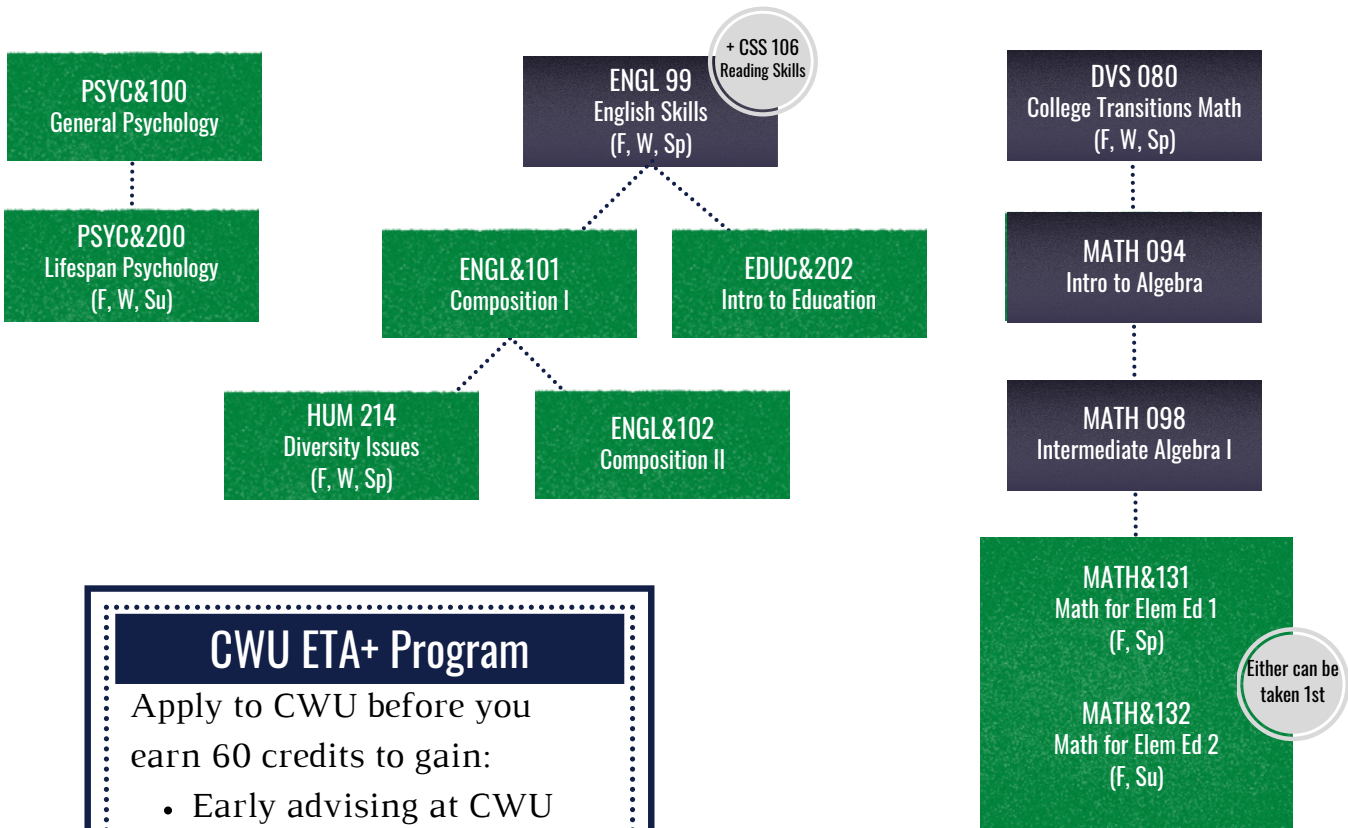
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AA&S DTA Pre-Requisite Flow Chart

Start by talking with an advisor to determine which courses to take first based on your placement scores.



CWU ETA+ Program

Apply to CWU before you earn 60 credits to gain:

- Early advising at CWU
- Financial Aid workshops
- Career Counseling
- \$60 CWU application fee waiver
- Additional CWU resources!

Diversity Course Options

- ART&100: Art Appreciation
- CMST 225: Intercultural Communication
- ENGL 225: Chicax Literature
- ENGL 261: Women's Literature
- HIST&215: Women in US History
- HUM 108: Intro to Gender Studies
- HUM 205: Diversity French/German Cinema
- HUM 214: Diversity Issues: Race, Class, & Gender
- HUM 220: Diversity in Education
- MUSC 170: History of Jazz
- MUSC 175: Music of the World
- POLS&203: International Relations
- REL 201: World Religion
- SOC 204: Gender & Power
- SOC 220: Marriage and the Family
- SOC&201: Social Problems

KEY

F = Fall
W = Winter
Sp = Spring
Su = Summer

Suggested Schedule to Earn this Associate Degree

If the classes listed below don't fit your schedule or you're planning to start after fall quarter, work with an advisor to develop your specialized education plan.

Year One

Fall	Credits
• ENGL&101: English Composition I	5
• General Elective: Select with advisor.....	2
• PEH 178: Principles of Fitness OR PEH 100: Lifetime Wellness.....	3
• MATH&131: Math for Elementary Ed 1.....	5
Winter	
• ENGL&102: English Composition II.....	5
• Humanities Breadth: Select with advisor.....	5
• PSYC&100: General Psychology.....	5
Spring	
• Humanities Breadth: Select with advisor.....	5
• Natural Science: Select with advisor.....	5
• EDUC&202: Intro to Education.....	5

Year Two

Fall	
• Humanities Breadth: Select with advisor.....	5
• Lab Science: Select with advisor.....	5
• Social Science Breadth: Select with advisor.....	5
Winter	
• General Elective: Select with advisor.....	5
• Natural Science: Select with advisor.....	5
• PSYC&200: Lifespan Psychology.....	5
Spring	
• MATH&132: Math for Elementary Ed 2.....	5
• General Elective: Select with advisor.....	5
• Social Science Breadth: Select with advisor.....	5

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My Education Plan

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ID #: _____

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