

Teaching: Associate in Science

Description

The Associate in Science in Teaching (AST) degree program seeks to improve equity and access to teacher education for underrepresented groups and non-traditional students. The program seeks to address the critical teacher shortage in the state of Hawai'i by providing quality pre-service teachers who are locally educated and culturally sensitive to schools in their own communities. The degree is considered terminal as graduates are prepared to enter the Hawai'i Department of Education (HIDOE) as highly qualified para-educators (Educational Assistants, Part-time teachers, paraprofessional tutors). The degree is also considered transfer as graduates enter bachelor's degree programs at the university level.

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the program, students will be able to do the following:

- Analyze and collaborate with learning communities to ensure learner growth and evaluate his/her own effectiveness.
- Analyze and implement developmentally appropriate instructional and assessment

Program: [Education](#)

Type: Associate in Science (AS)

Core Education Courses*

Item #	Title	Credits
ED 277	Introduction to Multicultural Education	3
ED 285	Classroom Management in the Instructional Process	3
ED 290	Foundations of Education	3
ED 291	Developing Language & Literacy I	3
ED 295	Field Experience in Education	1
	Sub-Total Credits	13

Education Electives**

Item #	Title	Credits
ED 100	Introduction to Education and Teaching	3
ED 237	Indigenous Perspectives in Teaching	3
ED 279	Educational Media and Technology	3
ED 282	Collaboration: Roles and Responsibilities as a Member of the Multidisciplinary Team	3
ED 282C	Collaboration and Teaming Practicum	1
ED 283	Family-Professional Partnerships in Education	3
ED 284	Foundations of Inclusion in Teaching	3
ED 289	Educational Psychology	3
ED 296	Introduction to Art, Music and Creative Movement in the Classroom	3
HAW 101	Elementary Hawaiian I	4
MATH 111	Math for Elementary Teachers I	3
	Sub-Total Credits	9

General Education Requirements

Item #	Title	Credits
	Foundations - Written Communications (FW)	3
	Foundations - Quantitative Reasoning (FQ)	3
	Foundations - Global Multicultural Perspectives (FG-6)	6
	Diversification Arts (DA)	3
	Diversification Social Sciences (DS) (AS-TCH2-E2022)	3
	Diversification Biological Sciences (DB)	3
	Diversification Physical Sciences (DP)	3
	Diversification Laboratory (DY)	1

Sub-Total Credits	25
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Graduation Requirements

Item #	Title	Credits
ENG 200	Composition II	3
HWST 107	Hawai'i: Center of the Pacific	3
PSY 100	Survey of Psychology	3
	PSY 240 or HDFS 230	3
	SP 151, SP 251, or COM 210H	3
	Sub-Total Credits	15
Total credits:		62