

Transfer Articulation Program
NORTHERN ESSEX COMMUNITY COLLEGE *and* RIVIER COLLEGE

A.S. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION to
B.A. HUMAN DEVELOPMENT/EARLY CHILDHOOD /GENERAL SPECIAL
EDUCATION

CAN ONLY BE USED BY STUDENTS INTENDING TO GET CERTIFICATION IN
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE AND TEACH IN STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Beginning with the 2004-2005 academic year, a graduate of the Northern Essex Community College who meets the following requirements, will be automatically accepted for admission and receive junior-class standing in the Education Department at Rivier College for the Bachelor of Arts degree program in Early Childhood Education/General Special Education:

- Completes the requirements of the Early Childhood Education major as listed in the current (2003-2004) Northern Essex Community College catalog, and
- Receives the Associate in Science degree with a minimum of a B- (2.5) average grade point and makes application to Rivier College through the Transfer Articulation Program

Students who transfer through the Transfer Articulation Program are generally able to complete their remaining requirements for the baccalaureate degree in two more years of full-time study, with a summer's study included. Advising material is included with this agreement and early academic advising is strongly recommended.

Entrance Requirements for all students include testing in mathematics and writing; however, graduates of Northern Essex Community College who are transferring to the Education Department at Rivier College and who have completed Contemporary Math (MAT 112) will have fulfilled the basic math core requirements for education majors and will be exempt from math placement testing. The Writing Sample, an institutional assessment tool, is administered to all new students, including students who transfer through the Transfer Articulation Program. Credits earned for ENG101 English Composition I will be accepted for transfer; however, course placement (whether fulfilling the requirement, ENG120 College Composition I, and/or a general elective) will be determined individually upon completion of the Writing Sample and recommendations submitted by department faculty.

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This agreement, effective 2004-2005 academic year, will remain in effect until JUNE, 2007, when it will again be reviewed for renewal. This agreement is subject to catalog and/or program revisions at both institutions; however, this agreement will continue to apply to students who transfer from the Northern Essex Community College Education Program within one year of the expiration of this agreement.

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Transfer Articulation Program
Northern Essex Community College to River College
A.S. Early Childhood Education to
B.A. Human Development/Early Childhood Education/General Special Education

Northern Essex Community College		Rivier College		Transfer Equivalency
ENG101 English Composition I	3	ENG120 Composition in Context I	3	Core
ENG102 English Composition II	3	ENG125 Composition in Context II	3	Core
MAT 112 Contemporary Math OR MAT120 College Algebra	3	MA112 College Algebra	3	Core
PHI101 Introduction to Philosophy	3	PHI150 Introduction to Philosophy	3	Core
PHI121 Practical Logic	3	PHI101 Intro to Critical Reasoning	3	Core
NO TRANSFER		REL260/270/280 (Religion)	3	Core
HIS101/102 Us History I/II	3	HIS101/102 US History I or II	3	Core
PSY101 Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY101 General Psychology	3	Core
BIO111 Introductory Biology I	4	BIO103 General Biology I	4	Core
SCI 111 Physical Science I	4	PHY101 Intro to Physical Science	4	Core
ART (any number)	3	ARTS (any number)	3	Core
LIT (any number)	3	LIT (any number)	3	Core
HIS111 Western Civilizations I	3	HIS201 Western Civilizations I	3	Core
HIS112 Western Civilizations II	3	HIS202 Western Civilizations II	3	Core
Any Language (any number)	3	ML (any number)	3	Core
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NO TRANSFER		PHI204 Philosophy of Education	3	Core
REL101 World Religions	3	REL330 World Religions	3	Core
PSY208 Problems of Early Childhood	3	HD200 Intro to Human Exceptionality	3	Ed. major
ECE113 Learning Environments for Infants & Toddlers (prerequisite: PSY103 or PSY203; AND need 30 hours of Practicum with Infants/Toddlers)	3	HD201 Infant & Toddler Development, Assessment & Curriculum	3	Ed. major
PSY 102 Human Growth and Development through Adolescence	3	PSY208 Child Psychology	3	Ed. major
PSY103 Foundations in Early Childhood OR PSY203 Child Psychology	3	HD202 Young Child Development	3	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER		HD207 Educational Psychology	3	Ed. major

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PSY204 Adolescent Psychology	3	HD211 Adolescent Psychology	3	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER		HD300 Language Development	3	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER		HD304 Cognitive Psychology	3	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER		HD403 Process of Parenting	3	Ed. major
ECE220 Family & Community Systems in School Age Programs	3	SOC205 The Family	3	Ed. major
SOC204 Race and Ethnic Relations	3	SOC310 Minority Groups	3	Ed. major
ECE102 ECE: Theory & Practice Or ECE 101 Intro to ECE	4 3	ECE204 Principles of ECE	3	Ed. major
ECE272 ECE Practicum II (This practicum is a 4-credit course and will transfer to Rivier as A/V for 1 credit and waiving the 150 hour practicum requirement. this does not exclude Infant/Toddler practicum hours.) (ECE Field Placement I and Field Placement II would be the equivalent to the hours completed in ECE207 and ECE301.)	4	ECE206 Practicum A/V I Adv. PreSchool	1	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER (Need 75 hours in elementary school settings as a requirement for BA program. These hours are connected with ECE307 and ECE308)		ECE206 A/V 2 Elementary	1	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER (Need 75 hours in educational settings with students with special needs as a requirement for BA program. These hours are connected with HD200, SPED315 and SPED316. Forty of the 75 hours will be in a 7 th -12 th grade setting.)		ECE206 A/V Special Education	1	Ed. major
ECE103 Enhancing Creativity in EC OR ECE202 Expressing Learning Activities	3	ECE207 Education through Play	3	Ed. major
ECE201 Language & Reading Development AND ECE203 Math/Science for EC	6	ECE301 Methods & Materials in ECE	3	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER		ECE307 Emerging Literacy	3	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER		ECE308 Experimental Learning	3	Ed. major
ECE211 Child Care Administration	3	ECE406 Program Administration & Ldrship	3	Ed. major

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NO TRANSFER		ED408 Managing Child's Behavior	3	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER (ECE293 Early Childhood Education III, 3 credits can be used to reduce credits in ED420 from 9 credits to 6 credits. The student will complete the semester long student teaching and seminar for 6 credits)		ED420 Student Teaching & Seminar	9	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER		SPED315 Assess. Students w/ Disabilities	3	Ed. major
NO TRANSFER		SPED316 SPED Across Curriculum	3	Ed. major
Total number of credits	94			122

NB. At the present time, there are no electives in the Early Childhood/General Special Education program.

January, 1998: The New Hampshire Department of Education Standards requires students to apply and be formally admitted to a college's teacher certification program. Students, therefore, apply to the Department of Education at Rivier College after successfully completing one education course and one pre-practicum experience. After a review of student academic and professional performance, a determination regarding acceptance in the teacher certification program is made by the education faculty.