

Degree Map
 Oakton College *Associate in Arts to EU Bachelor of Arts in Special Education*

Oakton College		Elmhurst University	
Associate of Arts Degree Requirements	Credits		Credits
<u>General Education Core Curriculum Requirements:</u>	41	<u>Integrated Curriculum Equivalencies:</u>	
<u>Communication:</u> <i>Written:</i> EGL 101 EGL 102 <i>Oral:</i> SPE 103	9	<u>Writing & Reasoning Equivalencies:</u> ENG 105 Composition I ENG 106 Composition II COM 213 Public Speaking	
<u>Mathematics:</u> <i>Mathematics:</i> MAT 128 MAT 129	6	<u>Mathematics Equivalencies:</u> <i>Mathematics:</i> MTH 325(Mathematical Concepts for Elementary Teachers I) and MTH 326(Mathematical Concepts for Elementary Teachers II)	

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<p><u>Physical & Life Sciences:</u></p> <p><u>Life Science:</u></p> <p><i>Biology:</i> 101</p> <p><u>Physical Science:</u></p> <p><i>Earth Science:</i> 100</p>	8	<p><u>Physical & Life Sciences Equivalencies:</u></p> <p><u>Life Science:</u></p> <p>Biology: BIO 100 Principles of Biology</p> <p><u>Physical Science:</u></p> <p>Earth Science: Physical Sciences Area of Knowledge</p>	
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<p><u>Humanities & Fine Arts Requirements:</u> Select three courses total with at least one Humanities course and one Fine Arts course.</p> <p><u>Humanities:</u></p> <p>Select 1 course from –</p> <p>English: 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135</p> <p>Select 1 course from-</p> <p>Philosophy: 106, 205, 230, 231</p> <p><u>Fine Arts:</u></p> <p>Art: 114</p> <p>Humanities: 123, 125, 131, 160, 161, 165</p>	<p>9</p>	<p><u>Humanities & Fine Arts Equivalencies:</u></p> <p>Any course within this category will fulfill a requirement for an Area of Knowledge or Tag within the Elmhurst University Integrated Curriculum.</p>	
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<p><u>Social & Behavioral Sciences:</u></p> <p>Select 1 course from -</p> <p>Anthropology: 102</p> <p>Geography: 120</p> <p>History: 140</p> <p>Select 2 courses from –</p> <p>History: 111, 112</p> <p>Political Science: 101</p> <p>Select 1 course from –</p> <p>Sociology: 103, 230, 232</p> <p>NOTE – The above selection of IAI/GECC courses represent Elmhurst University preferred transfer courses. If alternate IAI/GECC courses are completed the A.A. degree and IAI curriculum are accepted by Elmhurst University and students may need to complete up to 2 additional general education related courses.</p>	<p>12</p>	<p><u>Social & Behavioral Sciences Equivalencies:</u></p> <p>Any course within this category will fulfill a requirement for an Area of Knowledge or Tag within the Elmhurst University Integrated Curriculum.</p>	
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<p><u>Prescribed General Electives:</u> Complete the following courses at Oakton College:</p> <p>EDN 101 Introduction to Education (3) EDN 180 Diversity in School and Society (3) EDN 201 Educational Psychology (3) EDN 280 Educating Exceptional Learners (3) PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology (3) SPE 125 Basic Sign Language (3) SPE 126 Basic Sign Language II (3)</p>	<p>21</p>	<p><u>Prescribed General Electives Equivalencies:</u></p> <p>EDU 104 Cultural Foundations of Education in the United States EDU 311 Educational Psychology General Elective Credit EDU 223 Education of PK-12 Learners with Exceptionalities PSY 210 Introduction to Psychological Science CSD 101 Sign Language I CSD 102 Sign Language II</p>	
<p>Total Oakton College Credits *Elmhurst University will accept up to 70 credits in transfer</p>	<p>65*</p>		

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	<p><u>Special Education Major Requirements:</u></p> <p>SPE 300 Introduction to Curriculum, Planning & Instruction (3) SPE 301 Special Education Practicum I (1) SPE 316 K-12 Literacy Instructional Strategies & Interventions (3) SPE 320 Establishing Professional Relationships (3) SPE 338 Characteristics of Learners with Exceptionalities (3) SPE 350 Curriculum, Instruction, & Assistive Technology (3) SPE 352 Special Education Practicum II (1) SPE 434 Curriculum, Assessment, Instructional Strategies for High Incidence Disabilities (3) SPE 435 The Learning Environment/ Positive Behavior Support (3) SPE 438 Curriculum, Assessment, Instructional Strategies for Low Incidence Disabilities (3) SPE 439 Characteristics & Special Needs of Students with Physical, Health, and Sensory Impairments (2) SPE 440 Diagnosis and Remediation of Reading Difficulties (3) SPE 443 Remediation of Difficulties in Understanding and Applying Mathematics (3) SPE 450 Practicum in Special Education: Collaboration and Professional Practice (4) SPE 458 A/B Student Teaching in Special Education (12) TEL 204 Cross Cultural Foundations of Teaching ELL's (3) TEL 212 Theoretical Foundations of Teaching English Language Learners (3) TEL 317 Methods and Materials for Teaching English Language Learners (3) TEL 319 Linguistics: Second Language Learners (3) TEL 439 Assessment of English Language Learners (3)</p>	65
	<p>Total Elmhurst University Credits</p>	130