

# Transfer Articulation Program

## MIDDLESEX COMMUNITY COLLEGE *and* RIVIER UNIVERSITY

### A.S. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION to B.A. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year, a graduate of the Middlesex Community College who meets the following requirements, will be automatically accepted for admission and receive junior-class standing in the Education Department at Rivier University for the Bachelor of Arts degree program in Early Childhood Education:

- Completes the requirements of the Early Childhood Education major as listed in the current Middlesex Community College catalog, and;
- Receives the Associate in Science degree with a minimum of a C (2.0) cumulative grade point average.
- Submits application for transfer to the Admissions Office at Rivier University
- Accompanies application for transfer admission with a \$25 non-refundable fee
- Indicates **Transfer Articulation Program** (TAP) on transfer application
- Submits a complete official transcript from Middlesex Community College

Students who transfer through the Transfer Articulation Program are generally able to complete their remaining requirements for the baccalaureate degree in two years of full-time study or less, depending upon the number of transfer credits accepted. Part-time studies may require more time for degree completion. Rivier University will accept up to 90 credits of transfer credits. Advising material is included with this agreement and early academic advising is strongly recommended.

Transfer students who have received a grade of C or better in a writing course equivalent to ENG 115 or 120 will be awarded transfer credit for the course, if this credit was earned within a period of no more than five years prior to matriculation at Rivier; in all other cases, entrance requirements for all students may include submission of a Writing Sample. Course placement (whether fulfilling the ENG 115, ENG 120, ENG 102 requirement, 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 2014-2015 academic year, will remain ongoing. 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 Middlesex Community College Associate of Science Early Childhood Education Program within one year of the termination of this agreement.

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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 University 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.

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MIDDLESEX COMMUNITY COLLEGE	CREDITS	RIVIER UNIVERSITY	CREDITS
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**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

PSY 122: CHILD GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT	3	ED 108: HUMAN DEVELOPMENT & LEARNING	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	ED 110: TEACHING, TECHNOLOGY, LEARNING ENVIRONMENT	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	ED 285: FUNDAMENTALS OF MATH I (K-3)	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	Ed 290: FOSTERING LITERACY I:	3
ED 104: YOUNG CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS (ECE ELECTIVE)	3	ED 325: ASSESSMENT INFORMED INSTRUCTION	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	ED 360: INTEGRATED METHODS I	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	ED370: INSTRUCTION & ACCOUNTABILITY	3
SOC 150: SOCIOLOGY OF THE FAMILY	3	ED 406: FAMILY & COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	ED 420: STUDENT TEACHING & SEMINAR	12

**EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

EDU 153: PLANNING PROGRAMS & ENVIRONMENTS FOR CHILDREN	3	ED 102: ISSUES & INFLUENCES IN EDUCATION	3
EDU 101: CURRICULUM IN EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS	3	ECE 201: CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT I	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	ECE 203: CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT II	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	ED 405: ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	<b>DISCIPLINARY CONTENT COURSES</b> (Select 1 area, 5 course each, see website for course lists)	15

**COURSES NEEDED FOR CERTIFICATION**

NO EQUIVALENT	-	HIS 101: US HISTORY I OR HIS 102: US HISTORY II	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	PHYSICAL SCIENCE (CHEMISTRY OR PHYSICS)	3-4

**COMMON CORE COURSES**

ENG 101: ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3	ENG 115: EXPOSITIONS & ARGUMENTS	3
SOCIAL SCIENCE ELECTIVE (W/T)	3	REL 115: GOD & THE CREATED ORDER	3
SCIENCE ELECTIVE	3-4	BIO 112: STEWARDS OF THE LIVING WORLD	3
3 IDS COURSES	3	LNS 108+109: STUDENT SUCCESS I+II 2 SEM	2
HUMANITIES ELECTIVE	3	HUM 200 LEVEL	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	HIS 203/204: THE WEST IN THE WORLD I/II	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	SL 100: SERVICE LEARNING	1
PSY 123: DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES (W/T)	3	PHILOSOPHY	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	RELIGION	3
HUMANITIES ELECTIVE	3	JYS	3
ENG 102: ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3	HUMANITIES (ART, ENGLISH, HISTORY, MODERN LANGUAGE, PHILOSOPHY, OR RELIGIOUS STUDIES)	3
PSY 101: INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY	3	SOCIAL SCIENCES (ECONOMICS, GEOGRAPHY, POLITICAL SCIENCE, PSYCHOLOGY, OR SOCIOLOGY)	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	MODERN LANGUAGE	3
NO EQUIVALENT	-	MODERN LANGUAGE	3
MATHEMATICS ELECTIVE (MUST BE HIGHER THAN PREP)	3	MA 112: COLLEGE ALGEBRA (OR ABOVE)	3
ELECTIVE (If Math, cannot be a preparatory math course)	3	NATURAL SCIENCE (COMPUTER SCIENCE, MATH, BIOLOGY, CHEMISTRY, OR PHYSICS)	3

**GENERAL ELECTIVES**

EDU154: HEALTHY, SAFETY, & NUTRITION IN ECE	3	ELECTIVE	3
EDU 251: SUPERVISED FIELD PLACEMENT & SEMINAR	6	ELECTIVE	3
SOC 101: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY	3	ELECTIVE	3
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>60-61</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>121-124</b>

(W/T)= WAIVER TRANSFER

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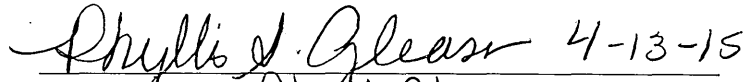
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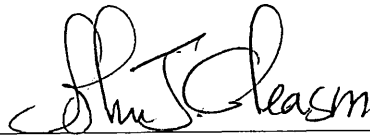
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