English Education
Associate of Arts in Teaching
Frederick Community College Pathway

Guided Pathway to Success (GPS) Suggested schedules map your path to degree completion.

Full-time student: Follow the green semester blocks in order.

Part-time student: Follow the blue course sequence at your own pace.

Students should meet with an advisor each semester to carefully select and sequence courses based on their specific academic goals and interests. Visit Jefferson Hall or call 301-846-2471 for advising.

Students who take fewer than 15 credits each semester or who require developmental English or Math coursework will need additional semesters to complete their degrees. Summer and January term classes may help students to make faster progress.

General Education CORE courses can often be taken in any semester. One course must be designated as a Cultural Competence course. Refer to the college catalog for course details and the list of General Education and Cultural Competence classes. http://www.frederick.edu/class-schedules.aspx#catalog

🕐 Take this course within the first 24 credits.

✓ Milestone course – take within recommend credit range to stay on track for completion.

🍂 This course is offered in the fall semester only.

🌷 This course is offered in the spring semester only.

1 Recommended First Semester

#		Course		Credits
1	Gen Ed Core	ENGL 101 - English Composition	🕐	3 credits
2	Gen Ed Core	Mathematics Elective (Gen Ed course list)	🕐	3/4 credits
3	Departmental Requirement	EDUC 110 - Schools & Society	✓	3 credits
4	Departmental Requirement	PSYC 101 - General Psychology		3 credits
5	Gen Ed Core	Wellness Elective (Gen Ed course list)		3 credits

2 Recommended Second Semester

#		Course		Credits
6	Departmental Requirement	ENGL 102 - English Composition & Literature	✓	3 credits
7	Departmental Requirement	ENGL 201 - British Literature Anglo-Saxon to the 18th Century or ENGL 202 - British Literature 18th Century through Present		3 credits
8	Gen Ed Core	Biological & Physical Sciences Elective w/lab (Gen Ed course list)		4 credits
9	Departmental Requirement	EDUC 230 - Foundations of Special Education		3 credits
10	Gen Ed Core	Arts Elective (Gen Ed course list)		3 credits

Ensure that MSDE Testing Requirements are met: Praxis Core for Educators, ACT, SAT or GRE*

3 Recommended Third Semester

#		Course		Credits
11	Departmental Requirement	ENGL 231 - English Language Studies	🍂	3 credits
12	Departmental Requirement	ENGL 203 - American Literature or ENGL 204 - American Literature or ENGL 230 - African American Literature		3 credits
13	Departmental Requirement	EDUC 220 - Educational Psychology	✓	3 credits
14	Departmental Requirement	History Elective (Gen Ed course list)		3 credits
15	Gen Ed Core	Biological & Physical Sciences Elective (Gen Ed course list)		3/4 credits

4 Recommended Fourth Semester

#		Course		Credits
16	Departmental Requirement	ENGL 205 - World Literature through 1650 C.E. or ENGL 206 - World Literature 1650 C.E. through Present		3 credits
17	Departmental Requirement	PSYC 204 - Psychology of Adolescence		3 credits
18	Departmental Requirement	History Elective (Gen Ed course list)		3 credits
19	Departmental Requirement	Computer Literacy Elective (Gen Ed course list)		3 credits
20	Departmental Requirement	Elective		3 credits

*The A.A.T. degree is designed to meet state requirements for the first two years of teacher education. Students must achieve a minimum of 2.75 cumulative GPA and earn a "C" of better in all courses used to satisfy the A.A.T. requirements. Students must also provide the Registrar's Office with qualifying scores on one of the state approved basic skills tests for future teachers. Students are strongly encouraged to consult with an academic advisor at their transfer institution as early as possible and should be aware that some colleges and universities may require higher GPA's and/or additional tests.