

## CATALOG YEAR: 2023-2024 ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE IN TEACHING (AST): GRADES 1-5

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### **FIRST SEMESTER**

|   |                                       | COURSE             |              |
|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| COURSE NAME   | COURSE PREFIX                         | NUMBER             | CREDIT HOURS |
| English Composition I   | ENGL                                  | 1010               | 3            |
| College Algebra   | MATH                                  | 1100               | 3            |
| Choose a Natural Sciences Course  | BIOL, CHEM,<br>ENVS, PHSC,<br>PHYS    | ***                | 3            |
| History of Western Civilization I or II   | HIST                                  | 1010<br>or<br>1020 | 3            |
| Art Elective (Choose from: Intro to Visual Arts, Music Appreciation, or Intro to Theater) | ARTS 1010, MUSC 1010,<br>or THTR 1020 |                    | 3            |
| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS  |                                       |                    | 15           |

#### **SECOND SEMESTER**

| COURSE NAME                     | COURSE PREFIX                         | COURSE<br>NUMBER   | CREDIT HOURS |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| English Composition II          | ENGL                                  | 1020               | 3            |
| Elementary Number Structure     | MATH                                  | 1167               | 3            |
| Choose a Natural Science Course | BIOL, CHEM,<br>ENVS, PHSC, or<br>PHYS | ****               | 3            |
| American History I or II        | HIST                                  | 2010<br>or<br>2020 | 3            |
| American Government             | POLI                                  | 1100               | 3            |
| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS              |                                       |                    | 15           |

#### **THIRD SEMESTER**

|   |                                    | COURSE             |              |
|---|------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| COURSE NAME                                     | COURSE PREFIX                      | NUMBER             | CREDIT HOURS |
| English Literature Course (Excluding ENGL 2300) | ENGL                               | 2***               | 3            |
| Geometry: Elementary & Middle School Teaching   | MATH                               | 1168               | 3            |
| Choose a Natural Science Course                 | BIOL, CHEM,<br>ENVS, PHSC,<br>PHYS | ***                | 3            |
| Cultural Geography or Physical Geography        | GEOG                               | 2030<br>or<br>2010 | 3            |
| Teaching & Learning in Diverse Settings I       | TEAC                               | 2010               | 3            |
| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS                              |                                    |                    | 15           |



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### **FOURTH SEMESTER**

| COURSE NAME  | COURSE PREFIX                   | COURSE<br>NUMBER | CREDIT HOURS |  |
|--|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------|--|
| Developmental Psychology   | PSYC                            | 2260             | 3            |  |
| Techniques of Speech   | SPCH                            | 1200             | 3            |  |
| Introduction to Statistics   | MATH                            | 2140             | 3            |  |
| Choose a Natural Science Course                                    | BIOL, CHEM, ENVS, PHSC, or PHYS | ***              | 3            |  |
| Teaching & Learning in Diverse Settings II                         | TEAC                            | 2030             | 3            |  |
| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS   |                                 |                  | 15           |  |
| Associate of Science (AST)- Teaching: Grades 1-5 = 60 credit hours |                                 |                  |              |  |