# Associate in Science (AS) to BS Elementary Education

The sequence below is contingent on the student completing the AS degree from a college in the North Carolina Community College System.

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### Minimum S.H. Required for Degree

120

The Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education requires a minimum of 120 semester hours. ECU requires a minimum 2.0 overall GPA and a minimum 2.0 major GPA for graduation. An advisor will be assigned to each student to assist in program planning. Undergraduate educator preparation majors may also be required to complete an approved academic concentration (18 s.h.) as part of their programs of study. Educator preparation is a program that requires formal admittance. Educator preparation majors will become official education preparation candidates once they have been fully admitted to upper division. Once enrolled in an educator preparation program and prior to admission to the upper division of study, students will be required to have a minimum cumulative 2.7 GPA, post passing scores on PRAXIS CORE, SAT, ACT or combination and meet technology competency requirements. Students must maintain a 2.7 GPA for retention in the upper division of all educator preparation programs.

View information about the Partnership East Program, a degree completion partnership program designed specifically for students that transition from a North Carolina community college.

1 Students enrolling at ECU must fulfill the writing across the curriculum requirement prior to graduation. To do so, each student must complete a minimum of 12 semester hours of writing intensive (WI) courses, including ENGL 1100 and ENGL 2201; at least 3 semester hours of WI courses in the major; and any other 3 semester hours WI course of the student’s choice.
Students who have successfully completed HEA 110 since the Fall 2016 term will earn ECU credit for both HLTH 1000 (2 hours) and KINE 1000 (1 hour). Students who completed HEA 110 prior to the Fall 2016 term and who have not also taken PED 110 will be responsible for meeting the Health-Related Physical Activity Competency component of the ECU General Education Program to meet degree requirements.

**NOTE:** Completion of a 3 s.h. Global Diversity course and a 3 s.h. Domestic Diversity course are requirements of all ECU degrees. These courses can coincide with other General Education or Major courses. A list of all courses approved to meet the Global and Domestic Diversity requirement can be found in the University catalog: [http://catalog.ecu.edu](http://catalog.ecu.edu), click on the "Courses" link.

Students in elementary education are required to complete an 18 s.h. Academic Concentration. Detailed information about concentration requirements can be found in the ECU academic catalog ([https://catalog.ecu.edu](https://catalog.ecu.edu)) or by following the link below marked "Academic Concentrations". Transferrable courses taken at the NC Community College may count towards the Academic Concentration. **Students are encouraged to complete at least 12 s.h. of Academic Concentration courses at the community college level.**

**Academic Concentrations**

*This plan reflects the degree program’s requirements published in the 2019-2020 university catalog. All guides are meant as an example of how a degree can be completed. Course availability, prior credit, course prerequisites, major requirements, and student needs must be considered in developing an individual academic pathway.*

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