

2025 – 2026 IVCC Transfer Guide for Secondary Education Majors (9th-12th Grade)

For information on Colleges or Universities not listed here, see a counselor. Several private colleges have evaluated IVCC course work for transfer, this includes DePaul, Bradley, Loyola, Monmouth, North Central and Eureka.

UNIVERSITY	OPTIONS AVAILABLE WITHIN DEPARTMENT	MINIMUM GPA REQUIRED	MAJOR COURSES REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER
EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Career and Technical Ed (grades 6-12): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Business -Family/Consumer Sciences -Technology Ed. • English Language Arts • History-Social Science • Mathematics • Science Teacher Ed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Biology -Chemistry -Earth Science -Physics 	GPA varies	AA, AS or IAI recommended. EDC 2000, 2003 & 2006, PSI 1000. "C" or better required in all coursework. *World Language equiv. to 2 years HS ("C" or better) or 2 semesters college in a single language. *See major guidesheets for specific requirements. https://www.eiu.edu/coe/ 2/25
ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agriculture • Art • Biological Sci • Business • Chemistry • Dance • Earth & Space Sci • English • Family Consumer Sci • French, German, or Spanish • Geography/Soc Sci • History/Soc Sci • Math • Music • Physical Education • Physics • School Health • Technology & Engineering • Theater 	GPA varies	EDC 2000; specific requirements of major. *AMALI required for graduation. https://education.illinoisstate.edu/ https://education.illinoisstate.edu/academics/secondary/ 2/25
NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY	Educator License and Preparation Department BA or BS in the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology • Chemistry/Physics • English • Earth/Space Science • Environmental Science • French, German, Spanish, PE and Music are K-12 • History & Soc Sci Ed (PSI, ECN, SOC, PSY, GEG, ANT) • Math 	Varies depending on school/major 2.75 minimum	"C" or better in ENG 1001, 1002, SPH 1001. *Human Diversity course required for this major, choose from NIU Equiv. guide (built into the HIS/SS Ed Major) Choose course work based on major. Some programs have a higher GPA and/or grade requirements, see guide sheet of major for specific requirements or call NIU's office of the university coordinator of Teacher Certification to be referred to the correct academic department advisor. (815-753-0846) <u>Science</u> many of the science majors can also teach introductory science in other science areas <u>Soc Sci Ed</u> majors (history, economics, geography, political science, psychology, and sociology and anthropology) need to complete in addition to major req: ECN2002, 2003, PSI1000, 2000, GEG1004, HIS2000, 2001, SOC1000 and PSY1000. https://www.niu.edu/educator-licensure/index.shtml 6/25
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY - Carbondale	<u>School of Education</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agriculture • Art • English/Language Arts • Foreign Language (German, Spanish) • History • Mathematics • Music • Science (Biology, Microbiology, Zoology, Physiology) 	2.75 min.	Complete AA, AS or IAI recommended prior to transfer. Minimum of 30 credit hours required for formal admission to teacher education programs. ENG 1001 & ENG 1002 (with grades of C or better) All Teacher Education Programs (TEP) require EDC.2006 (C or better). Refer to SIU catalog & chosen major (i.e. History, Math, English, etc.) for specific discipline-specific requirements. C's or better must be earned in all courses required by the respective major. A special application to SIUC's TEP is required. Consult with an SIUC Advisor as to when the appropriate time to submit the TEP application. http://www.coe.siu.edu/ 2/25
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS CHICAGO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secondary Education • Teaching of English • Teaching of French • Teaching of German • Teaching of History • Teaching of Mathematics • Teaching of Spanish 	See major for specific GPA Requirements	ENG 1001; ENG 1002; Foreign Language/four semesters of one language; Analyzing the Natural World = 2 lab courses; Exploring World Cultures = 1 course; Understanding the Past = 1 course; Understanding the Individual and Society = 1 course; Understanding the Creative Arts = 1 course; Understanding the U.S. Society = 1 course; Quantitative Reasoning = 1 course; See Majors for specific course requirements www.education.uic.edu 3/23
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS SPRINGFIELD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English (online) • History (online) • Mathematics (online) 	2.0	Recommended prior to transfer: AA, AS or IAI Major courses English: EDC 1000; ECE 2005; EDC 1203; PSY 2001; LIT 2001 or LIT 2011 or LIT 2000 or LIT 2010 Major courses History: EDC 1000; ECE 2005; EDC 1203; PSY 2001; HIS 1001; HIS 2000; HIS 2001; PSI 1000; PSY 1000; SOC 1000 Major courses Mathematics: EDC 1000; ECE 2005; EDC 1203; PSY 2001; MTH 1004; MTH 2001; MTH 2002 uis.edu/education/undergraduate 217.206.6306 3/23
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA CHAMPAIGN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foreign Languages • Integrative Biology (Science) • Molecular/Cellular Biology • Chemistry (Science) • English • Geology (Science) • History (Social Science) • Mathematics • Physics (Science) 	2.75 minimum 3.0 preferred	Requirements for admission to Secondary Education Teaching: Must be admitted to the subject area, and apply to Secondary Education Minor. It can be very difficult for junior-level transfers to complete the program in 2 years after transfer, therefore a sophomore-level transfer, if possible, should be considered. EDC 2000, and completion of all UIUC's Campus Wide General Education requirements strongly recommended prior to transfer. Recommended Coursework for each of the Secondary Teaching areas is listed in the link below: http://catalog.illinois.edu/undergraduate/education/minors/teacher-education-secondary-school/#degreerequirementstext 2/25
WESTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agriculture Ed (5-12) • English • Mathematics • Science/Biology • Science/Chemistry • Science/Physics • Social Science/History • Special (K-12): Art, French, Music, PE, Spanish, Special Ed • Bilingual/ ESL (PK-12 under Elem Ed.) 	2.75 – Bilingual/ESL & SS/History 2.5 – All other majors	A grade of 'C' or better is required in EDC 2006; ENG 1001, 1002; SPH 1001, & a general education math course. Additionally, C's or better are required in all other major and directed general education courses. See specific discipline for requirements. Completion of 30 credit hours and an established WIU GPA is required for formal admission to all teacher education programs. It is therefore advisable for IVCC students to take the above courses and additional general education coursework in their first year, and then transfer to WIU. #Students must take one Global Issues course or Foreign Lang of 3yrs in HS or 3 coll. sem and one Multicultural Studies course. Courses may double dip Gen Ed/Global or Multi/Global but NOT Gen Ed/Multi, some majors at WIU incorporate the Global Issues course in the lower/ upper level curriculum. Lower level courses are marked on the WIU Equiv. guide http://www.wiu.edu/catalog/programs/teacher.php 6/25