



County College of Morris – Rider University

**Program to Program - Guaranteed Transfer Agreement
between
Early Childhood Education Associate in Science Degree
from the County College of Morris and the
Bachelor of Arts, Elementary Education with a Second Undeclared Major in Liberal Arts at Rider
University**

In the interest of providing the County College of Morris students with improved opportunities to excel in higher education, Rider University (Rider) and the County College of Morris (CCM) agree to create a Program to Program **Guaranteed Transfer Agreement** between the **Early Childhood Education, Associate in Science Program** at CCM and the Bachelor of Arts in **Elementary Education with a Second Undeclared Major in Liberal Arts** at Rider University.

1. Rider University will guarantee transfer admission, the waiver of application fee; acceptance of all credits earned with a grade of C or better that count toward the Associate degree in the **Early Childhood Education** Program and meet Rider University equivalents; and full junior status to all graduates in good standing of the **Early Childhood Education Associate in Science Degree** at the County College of Morris.

Rider University admission will be granted to students who have fulfilled the following criteria:

- A. Declared their participation in this program while enrolled at CCM by completing the Intent to Enroll Form. Students are encouraged to submit their application to the program before they have completed 30 credits at CCM in order to maximize the efficiency of their transfer to Rider University. Rider further agrees that we will accept the County College of Morris student up to 45 credits; but prior to completion of the last semester at CCM.
 - B. Followed the appropriate transfer program of prescribed selections for Rider while at CCM, listed in the **Early Childhood Education Program to Program – Transfer Advising Guide**.
 - C. Graduated with their Associate degree at CCM.
 - D. Earned a cumulative grade point average of at least a 2.75.
 - E. Applied for transfer admission by the normal Rider transfer application deadline.
2. This agreement between the County College of Morris and Rider goes into effect immediately upon receipt of the signatures of each institution.
 3. This agreement shall be subject to review and renewal every five years.

4. The County College of Morris will provide its students with full information about the Program to Program - Guaranteed Transfer Admission Program that falls under the overall Guaranteed Transfer Agreement with Rider and CCM. Students under this Program to Program Agreement will be eligible for the benefits outlined in the Rider-CCM overall Guaranteed Transfer Agreement.
5. Students who declare their intent to participate will work directly with CCM counseling and advising staff to obtain assistance with course selections which fulfill Rider's requirements.
6. CCM will provide Rider with the names and contact information of students who have enrolled in the Program to Program – Guaranteed Transfer Agreement Program and Rider will establish communication with the participating students. Students will provide this information and permission to share information when they complete the CCM-Rider Guaranteed Transfer Admission Intent to Enroll Form.
7. The regular process for transfer admission to Rider will remain for CCM students who do not participate in this program, as well as for program participants who do not fulfill the requirements listed in Article 1 of this document.
8. Rider University is committed to making our educational opportunities as affordable as possible. With scholarship and financial aid, transfer students often find Rider's private education is comparable to attending a public college or university. The CCM transfer student, who holds a GPA of 2.50 to 4.00 on college-level work, is eligible upon the submission of a full-time student application, for consideration for transfer scholarship and grants. In addition, for those students of Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) at the County College of Morris, the student may be eligible to receive an annual renewable scholarship. For specific financial aid and scholarship information please access the Rider University website.
9. CCM students, following completion of the CCM-Rider Guaranteed Transfer Admission Intent to Enroll Form, have the option to take a course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree at no charge. The course may be taken following completion of 30 college-level credits at CCM and prior to the time period before their matriculation with Rider University. The designated course (s) requires a grade of "C" or better and allows the CCM student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider. **The course credit options are: EDE-200-Effective Classroom Management (3).**




Agreed this 19th day of October, 2017

For: Rider University


For: County College of Morris




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TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

Associate in Science (A.S.) in Early Childhood Education from County College of Morris to a Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education with a Second Major in Liberal Arts at Rider University

<i>COUNTY COLLEGE OF MORRIS COURSE</i>	<i>Cr</i>	<i>RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA SATISFIED</i>	<i>Cr</i>
<i>Early Childhood Education, A.S.</i>		<i>Elementary Education with a Second Undeclared Major in Liberal Arts, B.A. (126 Credits)</i>	
First Semester			
ENG 111 English Composition I	3	CMP 120 Expository Writing (Core)	3
SOC 120 Principles of Sociology	3	SOC 101 Sociological Imagination (Core)	3
PSY 113 General Psychology	3	PSY 100 Intro to Psychology (Core)	3
Math/Science Elective Rider Suggests: MAT 120 Mathematics for the Liberal Arts (4) OR MAT 123 Precalculus (4) MUS 129 Music in Early Childhood	4 3	MTH 102 Finite Math (Core) OR MTH 105 Algebra & Trigonometry MUS 130 Music In Children's Lives	3/4 3
	16		15/16
Second Semester			
ENG 112 English Composition II	3	CMP 125 Research Writing	3
SOC 202 Contemporary Social Issues	3	SOC 245 Social Problems	3
PSY 213 Child Psychology	3	PSY 230 Child Development	3
Lab Science Elective	4	Laboratory Science Elective with Lab ^U	4
EDU 111 Teaching in America ^A Combined with EDU-211 equals credit for Rider's course, Context of Schooling)	3	EDU 106 Context of Schooling ^A (EDU-111 & EDU-211)	3
	16		16
Third Semester			
CMP 126 Computer Technology & Applications	4	Technology Elective ^U	3
ENG 118 Children's Literature	3	ENG 371 Classics of Children's Literature	3
PSY 217 Educational Psychology	3	EDU 206 Developmental Education Psych	3
General Education Humanities Elective: Rider Suggests: HIS 117 The Ancient World – Greece & Rome OR HIS 118 The Middles Ages	3	History Elective ^U HIS 150 World History to 1500 (Core) (Required for Rider)	3
CDC 110 Early Childhood Development	3	General Elective ^U	3
EDU 211 Behavioral Observation in Education ^A (Combined with EDU-111 equals credit for Rider's course – Context of Schooling)	3	EDU 106 Context of Schooling ^A (EDU-111 & EDU-211)	0
	19		15
Fourth Semester			
CDC 210 Curriculum, Teaching & Learning in Early Childhood Education	3	NOT TRANSFERRABLE	0
CDC 209 The Family	3	SOC 205 Families	3



COM 109	Speech Fundamentals	3	COM 104	Speech Communication	3
	University History Elective			General Studies Elective ^U	
HIS 151	Latin American History	3	HIS 283	Modern Latin America	3
HIS 203	History of Minorities in the U.S.			History Elective ^U	
HIS 204	History of the African –American Experience		HIS 201	African American History	
HIS 209	History of American Women		HIS 309	Women in American History	
CDC 228	Cooperative Education Work Experience A	3		NOT TRANSFERRABLE	0
CDC 229	Cooperative Education Related Class A	1		NOT TRANSFERRABLE	0
		16			9
		66/67			55/56

<p>FREE RIDER COURSE OPTION:</p> <p>If the County College of Morris students takes EDU-111-Teaching in America & PSY-217-Educational Psychology they are eligible to take EDE-200-Effective Classroom Management. This course counts toward your Rider degree. (3 CR)</p>	<p>FREE RIDER COURSE OPTION:</p> <p>Following completion of 30 credits and the Rider Intent to Enroll Form and while a student at County College of Morris; students have the option to take a <u>free</u> course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree. The selected course allows the CCM student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider.</p> <p>See CCM or Rider Transfer Representatives for additional information. Contact information listed below.</p>	3
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Rider University Footnotes:

As of September 1, 2015 the New Jersey Department of Education requires students to take and pass all sections of the Praxis – The Core Academic Skills for Educators Test (Test Code 5751) prior to formal entry into a teacher preparations program.

^U – Students have a number of options to satisfy this requirement, courses will be evaluated on an individual basis.

CCM students interested in the College of Continuing Studies should contact that division directly.

A – Student must earn a grade of “C+” in all Education courses for transfer.

◦For transfer credit CCM students must have a grade of “C” or higher in all non-education courses. (No transfer credit will be accepted for any course with a grade of “C- “or below).

Education students are required to earn a GPA of 3.00+ prior to student teaching.

Students are required to select a second major in a Liberal Arts & Sciences discipline or Multi-Disciplinary Studies with an Early Childhood Education Minor.

Requirements are subject to change. This Advising Guide is best used in consultation with an advisor.



**COURSES REMAINING FOR A BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION DEGREE
WITH A SECOND UNDECLARED MAJOR IN LIBERAL ARTS AT RIDER UNIVERSITY***

Course Number	Rider University Course Name or Core Area	Credits	Notes* (if course can be taken at CCM, indicate course number)
Remaining Elementary Education Courses:			
ELD 307	Emergent Literature P-3	3	
ELD 308	Fostering Language & Literacy Development	3	
ELD 375	Methods of Teaching Math in the Elementary Classroom	3	
ELD 376	Teaching Science, Social Studies & the Arts	3	
EDU 465	Student Teaching Seminar	12	
SPE 300	Inclusive Practices for General Education Teachers	3	
	Sub Total Credits:	27	
The County College of Morris student must also fulfill the requirements of the Second Major - Requirements may vary per Second Major Required.			

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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