



TRANSFER ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

between **Community College of Denver, Associate of Arts in Special Education** and **University of Colorado, Denver Bachelor of Arts, in Education and Human Development with Special Education License** hereafter referred to as **Partner Institutions**

Introduction to Specify Programs and Institutions

This Agreement guarantees the transfer of students within the ***Special Education (AA), Community College of Denver (Sending Institution)*** and the ***Education and Human Development (BA) with Special Education License, University of Colorado, Denver (Receiving Institution)*** subject to completion of all parts of this agreement. Sending Institution students who have declared the Associate of Arts in Special Education and are ready or preparing to graduate are covered by this Agreement.

Statement of Intent

The intent of this Agreement is to facilitate the successful transfer of a student from a Sending Institution upon earning a credential to a Receiving Institution to earn a baccalaureate degree within a 2+2 timeframe. The Sending Institution will identify students who are part of this Agreement in their student information system.

Statement of the Basic Agreement

Receiving Institution agrees to accept credits for students who have completed the AA in Special Education art of this Agreement. This Agreement does not apply to students transferring with a different degree or choosing a different major or program at the Receiving Institution. Completing the program in 4 years per this agreement is dependent on the student following the prescribed degree map. Any variance may result in additional time to degree at the Receiving Institution.

Changes in Curriculum or Program Requirements

- a. This Agreement constitutes the entire Agreement between the parties. This Agreement shall be reviewed every five years by the parties unless significant curriculum and/or program changes mandate an earlier review—in which case, the institution will notify the other party to this Agreement in writing that changes impacting (or potentially impacting) this Agreement have occurred. If deemed appropriate, a new agreement will be generated and signed. Significant curriculum changes must be communicated in writing no later than March 30 of any academic year to the Director of Transfer Initiatives.
- b. Each Partner Institution assumes responsibility for informing their students of curricular revisions that would impact student planning and/or degree completion. In the event graduation requirements for the bachelor's degree at Receiving Institution change within this time, students who have declared this program at the Sending Institution will have their academic plan honored for 4 years beyond the date of the change.

Admission and Matriculation

- a. Students who have completed this approved associate degree from Community College of Denver with at least a 2.0 GPA (C average) will be automatically accepted in the same pathway at Receiving Institution. Students who are automatically accepted to Receiving Institution will have the application fee waived. Students who complete the program at the Sending Institution will be admitted to the Receiving Institution. However, prior to admission to some programs, additional requirements, such as a background check, may be required.

b. This Agreement reflects the academic graduation requirements for degree pathway. Students may be responsible for completing non-course work requirements in effect at the Partner Institution at the time of their matriculation.

Agreement Details

a. Courses contained within the attached Degree Map will fulfill the relevant course requirements in the designated major and general education courses. Any additional courses taken in the discipline not covered by this Agreement taken at the Sending Institution may not count toward the requirements of the major at the Receiving Institution.

b. Only courses with grades of C or higher are guaranteed to transfer. All transfer general education courses must be Colorado Department of Higher Education Guaranteed Transfer (gt) Pathways approved. Should curricular changes to this Agreement occur, students identified as part of this Agreement will not be penalized nor incur credit loss.

c. To transfer under this Agreement to Receiving Institution, students must have graduated from the Sending Institution.

d. The Receiving Institution shall accept all applicable credits earned within ten (10) years of transfer to the Receiving Institution. Credits earned more than ten years earlier will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis.

General Provisions

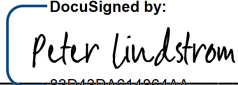
a. In carrying out the responsibilities and obligations of this Agreement, no party shall be acting as the agent or principal of another institution with regard to dealings with third parties, including students.

Signatures

The parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the day and year of the last date accompanying the signatures.

Community College of Denver

Provost

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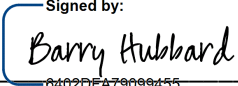
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Title: Provost and Vice President, Academic

Affairs

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Dean

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Name: Barry Hubbard

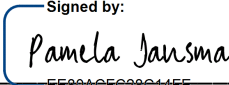
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Date: 3/28/2025

University of Colorado, Denver

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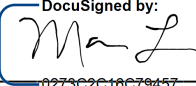
Name: Pamela Jansma

Title: Interim Provost and Executive Vice

Chancellor for Student and Academic Affairs

Date: 4/11/2025

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Name: Marvin Lynn

Title: Dean of School of Education and Human

Development

Date: 3/28/2025

Sending Institution:

(60 Credits)

Semester 1 (or First 15 Credits)

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
ENG 1021	English Composition (GT-CO1)	ENGL 1020 Core Composition I (TREP)	3
ART 1110, MUS 1020, or THE 1005	Art Appreciation, Music Appreciation, or Theatre Appreciation (GT-AH1)	FINE 1001 Introduction to Art, PMUS 1001 Music Appreciation, FITV 1005 Introduction to Theater and Arts in Communities (TREP)	3
EDU 2211	Intro to Education	EDHD 1930 Community Based FE & Seminar (TREP)	3
Lit 2055	Children's Literature (GT-AH2)	ENGL 2999AE (TREP)	3
GEO 1005 or GEO 1006	World Regional Geography or Human Geography (GT-SS3)	GEOG 1102 World Regional Geography, GEOG 1302 Introduction to Human Geography Elective (TREP)	3
Total Credits			15

Semester 2

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
ENG 1022	English Composition II (GT-CO2)	ENGL 2030 Core Composition II (TREP)	3
MAT 1220	Integrated Math I (GT-MA1)	MATH 1010 Math for Liberal Arts (TREP)	3
POS 1011 or POS 2020	American Government or Intro to Political Science (GT-SS1)	PSCI 1101 American Political System, PSCI 1001 Intro to Political Science: Freedom-Justice (TREP)	3
PSY 2441	Child Development (GT-SS3)	PSYC 3205 Human Development I (TREP) *	3
EDU 2088 or EDU 2215	Field Experience	Elective (TREP)	1
Total Credits			13

Semester 3

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
HIS 1210 or HIS 1220	US History to Reconstruction or US History Since Civil War (GT-HI1)	HIST 1361 US History to 1876 or HIST 1362 US History Since 1876 (TREP)	3
LIT 1015 or Any GT-AH2	Intro to Literature or Any GT-AH2	ENGL 2450 Introduction Literature, or Any GT-AH2 Elective (TREP)	3
SCI 1055 or Any GT-SC1	Integrated Science 1 w/Lab or Any GT-SC1	CLAS 1999AE or Any GT-SC1 (TREP)	4
MAT 1230	Integrated Math II	MATH 1070 College Algebra for Business Elective	3
EDU 2341	Multicultural Education	EDFN 1000 Equality, Rights and Education (TREP)	3
Total Credits			16

Semester 4

Course	Course Title	Corresponding Course	Credits
SCI 1056 or Any GT-SC1 or GT-SC2	Integrated Science II w/Lab or Any GT-SC1 or GT-SC2	CLAS 1999AE or Any GT-SC1 or GT-SC2 (TREP)	4
EDU 2611	Teaching, Learning, & Technology	INTE 2000 Digital Teaching and Learning (TREP)	3
EDU 2401	Teaching Exceptional Learners	SPED 4030 Understanding Contemporary Classroom	3
SPA 1001, SPA 2062, SPA 1011, SPA 1015, or higher	Conversational Spanish I, Spanish Language for Heritage and Intermediate-Mid Speakers, Spanish Language I, or Spanish for Professionals I	SPAN 1999AE, SPAN 2999AE, SPAN 1010 Beginning Spanish I, SPAN 1999AE	3
ECE 2101	Working with Families and Communities	ECED 4060 Working with Families and Communities *	3
			16
Total Credits for Associate Degree			60

*Lower Division Credit Awarded

Receiving Institution: University of Colorado Denver**(69 Credits)****Semester 5**

Course	Course Title	Credits
CLED 2000	Foundations of CLDE	3
MTED 3040	Math for Elementary Teachers	3
EDHD 2930	Learning & Development Field Experience & Seminar	2
LCRT 3720	Introduction to Writing Development	3
EDFN 4010	Social Foundation and Cultural Development	3
LCRT 4710	Primary Literacy Development	3
Total Credits		17

Semester 7

Course	Course Title	Credits
LCRT 4000	Elementary Literacy Instruction and Assessment I	3
UEDU 4040	Planning for Learning	3
MTED 4002	Elementary Math Teaching I	3
SPED 4010	Intentional Interventions for Exceptional Learners	3
UEDU 4931	Internship 1 and Learning Community	2
UEDU 4932	Internship 2 and Learning Community	2
Total Credits		16

Semester 6

Course	Course Title	Credits
EDHD 3930	Diverse Learners Field Experience and Seminar	3
CLDE 3830	Cultural and Language Responsible Teaching in STEM	3
XXXX XXXX	Cultural Diversity Core	3
CLDE 4020	Responsive Classroom Communities	3
SPED 4151	Slashing Stigmas: Promoting Positive Behaviors	3
SPED 4400	Universal Design for Learning	3
Total Credits		18

Semester 8

Course	Course Title	Credits
SPED 4140	Assessment, Inquiry, Instruction and Intervention	3
SPED 4780	Literacy Interventions for SPED	3
SPED 4500	Transition and Secondary Methods in SPED	3
MTED 4003	Elementary Math Teaching II	3
UEDU 4933	Internship 3 and Learning Community	6
Total Credits		18