



MidAmerica Nazarene University
and Seward County Community College/Area Technical School
Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education
2+2 Agreement

This 2+2 Transfer and Articulation Agreement is established by and between Seward County Community College/Area Technical School (SCCC/ATS), Liberal, KS, and MidAmerica Nazarene University (MNU), Olathe, KS.

The Bachelor of Arts program at MNU is designed as a licensure program in accordance with the guidelines set by the Kansas State Department of Education (KSDE) and the National Council for Accreditation for Teacher Education (NCATE). This program is built to serve students who have completed an applicable Associate degree program from an accredited institution recognized by MNU.

Matriculation, transfer, and degree requirements for the Teacher Education program are established by MNU. Attachment A reflects basic Teacher Education program requirements. This program may be modified by either party from time to time. If and when changes occur with the curriculum requirements, each party will be responsible for informing the other party of these details in a timely manner.

Now on this 2nd day of May, 2013, MidAmerica Nazarene University (MNU) and Seward County Community College/Area Technical School (SCCC/ATS), hereby enter into this 2+2 Agreement. For good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged by both parties, the parties agree to the following respective duties and obligations:

MNU will:

- Be responsible for the delivery of advertising and marketing materials to be provided to SCCC students, for each year of the Agreement.
- Both parties agree to seek approval from the other party before using the other party's marketing materials, trademarks, or logos. Each party will be responsible for the expenses associated with their respective marketing activities.
- With the assistance of SCCC/ATS, maintain and support a database of students participating in the 2+2 programs created pursuant to the Agreement.
- With the assistance of SCCC/ATS, provide advising services to current SCCC students that are seeking to enroll at MNU pursuant to the 2+2 program.
- Guarantee program requirements to current SCCC/ATS students and future MNU students as appropriate. Not all MNU program requirements can be guaranteed and therefore are not subject to this Agreement.

SCCC will:

- Grant MNU permission to provide marketing materials to current SCCC/ATS students and alumni.
- Identify one counselor/academic advisor as a point of contact for MNU regarding this Agreement.
- Provide unofficial transcripts to students enrolling in MNU pursuant to this Agreement.
- Communicate the opportunity to participate in the 2+2 program created pursuant to this Agreement to SCCC/ATS students currently enrolled and/or interested in pursuing their education in the Bachelor of Education Program.
- Inform such student of the curriculum developed between the parties pursuant to this 2+2 Agreement and requirements for admission both to MNU and to MNU's Teacher Education Department.
- Assist students with the process for applying to MNU and its Education Program and provide MNU assistance in advising students as to the curriculum to be taken both at SCCC/ATS and MNU in order to prepare students to successfully complete the curriculum of the 2+2 program.

Miscellaneous Terms:


- Each party agrees to provide a link to the other party's website so that students can research program requirements and learn more about the other institution.
- This Agreement shall be valid for one year from the date noted above. This Agreement will automatically renew upon the expiration of each one-year term unless the other party provides 60 days written notice of its intention not to renew this agreement prior to the expiration of any term.
- Both parties agree to inform the other of curricular and policy changes on an annual basis so the articulation agreement can remain current.
- This 2+2 Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and no prior oral or written agreement shall be effective to contradict any of the terms of this 2+2 Agreement.
- Students taking MNU courses are required to pay the tuition and fees as established for MNU for this 2+2 program.
- There are no third party beneficiaries intended, contemplated, or created by the signing or execution of the terms of this Agreement.
- This Agreement may only be amended or modified by mutual written agreement and signature of both parties.
- Any provision of this Agreement that is contrary to law or otherwise invalidated by any court shall not operate to invalidate any other provision of this Agreement.
- Contacts for each party for the purposes of effectuating this Agreement are:

For MNU:
Chair, Teacher Education Department

For SCCC/ATS:
Vice-President, Academic Affairs

Each party will notify the other party, in a timely manner, of any change in the contacts.

MidAmerica Nazarene University



Dr. David Spittal
President, MNU

**Seward County Community College/Area
Technical School**



Dr. Duane Dunn
President, SCCC/ATS