ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN TEACHING DEGREE (AAT)

Detailed course information is available from the Course Descriptions section of the online catalog.

The Associate of Arts in Teaching (AAT) Degree is a Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) approved collegiate degree program consisting of lower division (Community College) courses intended for transfer to baccalaureate programs that prepare students for initial Texas teacher certification. Blinn College offers both of the AAT curricula that transfer into the following senior college/university grade-level certification degree plans:

- EC-Grade 6; Grades 4-8; and EC-Grade 12 (for Special Education)
- Grades 7-12, EC-Grade 12 (content areas other than Special Education)

The AAT degree at Blinn College includes the 42-hour core component that is common to the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degrees already offered by the College and additional course work specific to each certification area. For more information contact a college counselor.

**Note:** Complete CORE curriculum and either OPTION A or B

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<th>THECB Core Curriculum Designation</th>
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| Communication                    | Chose Two (2): ENGL 1301, 1302, 2311  
  Must see Advisor for specific course options | 6 |
| Mathematics                      | Choose One (1):  
  MATH 1314, 1316, 1324, 1325, 1332, 1333, 1342, 1414, 2412, 2413  
  (MATH 1314 College Algebra or higher; excludes MATH 1332)  
  ++SEE NOTE++  
  MATH 1314 will fulfill Blinn College AAT requirements, but may or may not fulfill some universities’ College of Education degree plan | 3^ |
| Life and Physical Sciences       | Choose Two (2):  
  BIOL 1406, 1407, 1408, 1411, 1413, 2401, 2402, 2420; CHEM 1405, 1411, 1412; GEOL 1403, 1404, 1445; PHYS 1401, 1402, 1403, 1410, 2425  
  Must see Advisor for specific course options | 6^ |
| Language, Philosophy, Culture    | Choose One (1): ENGL 2322, 2323, 2327, 2328, 2332, 2333; PHIL 1301, 2306  
  Must see Advisor for specific course options | 3 |
| Creative Arts                    | Choose One (1):  
  ARCH 1301, 1302; Arts 1301, 1303, 1304; DRAM 1310, 2361, 2362, 2366; MUSI 1301, 1306, 1308, 1310  
  Must see Advisor for specific course options | 3 |
| American History                 | Choose Two (2): HIST 1301, 1302, 2301  
  Must see Advisor for specific course options | 6 |
| Government/Political Science     | GOVT 2305, 2306 | 6 |
| Social and Behavioral Sciences   | Choose One (1): ANTH 2302, 2346, 2351; ECON 2301, 2302; GEOG 1302, 1303, 2312; PSYC 2301, 2308, 2319; SOCI 1301, 1306, 2301; SPCH 1318 | 3 |
| Component Area Option            | Choose Two (2) Courses equaling 6 hours unless overflow hours from Life and Physical Sciences / Mathematics are used:  
  SPCH 1311, 1315, 1321, 2335; PHED 1164 | 6^ |

^Overflow hours from Mathematics and/or Life and Physical Sciences can be applied to the Component Area Option.

42 Hours
In addition to CORE curriculum, complete either OPTION A or B as detailed below.

**OPTION A**  
Future Teaching Interest Early Childhood (EC) to Grade 6; or Grades 4-8; or EC-Grade 12 Special Ed.

**General Academic Requirements for Option A**

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18 Hours  
Total Hours [Core + Option A] 60 Hours

**OPTION B**  
Future Teaching Interest Grades 7-12; or EC-Grade 12 other than Special Education

**General Electives for Option B**

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Content Area in Teaching Fields or Academic Disciplines  
12  
18 Hours  
Total Hours [Core + Option B] 60 Hours