

Special Education Prerequisite Courses and
General Education Requirements
2023-2024



Aurora University Course	MCC Course Equivalent
BIO1150 Life Science for Teachers	Any transferrable biology course EXCEPT Environmental Biology
ENG1000 Composition	ENG151 Composition I
General Education Requirement: Artistic Literacy	Suggested courses: ART 151, ART 156, JRN 180, EDU 252, MUS 151, THE 151 - waived with A.A. or A.S.
General Education Requirement: Human Inquiry	Suggested courses: CJS 101, PHI 151, PHI 251, PLT 151, PSY 151, PSY 251, SOC 151 – waived with A.A. or A.S.
HIS1200 American History I OR HIS1210 American History II	HIS170 United States History I OR HIS172 United States History II
MTH1210 Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I	MAT201 Math Foundations for Elem Educ I
MTH1220 Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II	MAT202 Math Foundations for Elem Educ II
NSM1400 Earth Science	EAS101 Introduction to Earth Science
NSM2500 Integrated Math & Science for Teachers	Any transferrable chemistry or physics course
SPED2120 Characteristics/Identification of Disabilities & The Law	EDU253 Children With Exceptionalities

Please note you may also need to complete other requirements

If you have an A.A. or A.S. please note that General Education requirements are met/waived

For additional information, contact: 630-844-5533, admission@aurora.edu or set up an appointment at aurora.edu/easytransfer

The School of Education requirements are:

1. Aurora University overall GPA of 3.0 with a GPA of 3.0 in your content area.
2. School of Education application
3. DCFS Certificate of Completion
4. DCFS CANTS 22 form
5. West Aurora SD129 Acknowledgement of Mandated Reporter
6. West Aurora SD129 Mandated Reporter Training Manual
7. IEIN Number form
8. Statement of Understanding
9. Finger printing in Kane County
10. Negative result on a TB test

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