Associate in Arts at Heartland Community College to Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education at Illinois Wesleyan University

*This is a suggested course pattern. Students must work with their advisor to develop a curriculum plan that meets their scheduling needs. At IWU, ** indicates course needed for the major and/or suggested in order to meet licensure requirements. + indicates an IWU graduation requirement*

HEARTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE			
FIRST YEAR	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	
		FALL	**SPRING**
ENGL 101	Critical Reading and Writing	3	
IAI Social Behavioral Sci**	History 135 or HIST 136 (U)	3	
IAI Life Science**	Any IAI Life Science (may not be taken online)	3–4	
Language 101	Elementary Language I	4	
MATH 135**	Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I	3	
ENGL 102	Multimodal Composition		3
IAI Social Behavioral Science**	POS 101, Am Govt & Politics recommended for Social Sci requirement in licensure		3
Humanities Gen Ed**	Choose an IAI Humanity in LITR for Language Arts requirement in licensure		3
Language 102	Elementary Language II		4
MATH 136**	Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II		3
Total Credit Hours		**16–17**	**16**
SECOND YEAR	**COURSE NAME**	**CREDIT HOURS**	
		FALL	**SPRING**
COMM 101	Intro to Oral Communication	3	
IAI Physical Science**	Any Earth Sci (recommended Intro to Earth Sci, Environment Earth, Intro to Geology)	3–4	
EDUC 101**	Introduction to Education	3	
Language 201+	Intermediate Language I	4	
IAI Social Behavioral Science**	Psychology 101 recommended for Social Science requirement in licensure	3	
EDUC 220**	Educational Psychology		3
Fine Arts Gen Ed**	Choose MUS 150 for licensure		3
EDUC 105**	Exceptional Learners		3
IAI Humanities/Fine Art	Choose any IAI Humanities/Fine Arts		3
HLTH 120**	Nutrition recommended for Natural Science requirement in licensure		3
Total Credit Hours		**16–17**	**15**

ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY			
THIRD YEAR	**COURSE NAME**	**UNIT HOURS**	
		FALL	**SPRING**

Third Year (cont.)	Course Name	Fall	Spring
EDUC 320	Foundations of Literacy	1.5	
EDUC 330	Mathematics Science and Technology	1	
EDUC 125	Schooling in Society	.25	
Elective	Choose course in area of emphasis	1	
Elective	Choose a geography, sociology, economics, anthropology or archeology course for Social Science requirement in licensure	1	
EDUC 126	Teaching to the World of the Child		.25
EDUC 335	Explore Inquiry & Creativity in the Elem Class		1
EDUC 340	Instructional Planning, Assessment and Safe Learning Environments		1
EDUC 341	Curriculum and Pedagogy Seminar for Elementary Education Majors		.5
			1
Elective	Choose a writing intensive course		1
Total Units		**4.75**	**4.75**

Fourth Year	Course Name	Unit Hours	
		Fall	Spring
EDUC 490	Student Teaching Seminar	1	
EDUC 496	Student Teaching Elementary	3	
EDUC 498	Educational Inquiry		1
Elective	Choose course in area of emphasis		1
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3xx or 4xx	Upper level elective in or outside the major		1
Total Units		**4**	**4**

● At Heartland, if possible choose a (G) Global Diversity course from recommended list to meet IWU graduation requirements.

● AP scores with 4 of higher, or higher level IB scores of 5 or higher, can be used to meet general education requirements at IWU, but not major or minor requirements.

● Remedial math courses may be needed to prepare for the math requirement. However, remedial courses will not transfer to IWU. Adjust schedule and hour requirements accordingly to complete degree.

● Completion of any 201 language course would complete the 2nd language requirement.

● Students should complete a minimum of 64 semester hours, not including remedial or equivalent PE courses, at Heartland to be on track to complete their bachelor's degree in a total of four years.

● Students are required, at minimum, to complete 16 units of coursework at IWU including half of all major requirements.

● Graduation requirements: 32 total courses and 32 total units with 9 courses and 9 units of upper level courses, and 18 courses and 18 units outside the major. (1 IWU unit = 4 semester hours)