

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF BEAVER COUNTY – A.S. IN SPECIAL EDUCATION

LA ROCHE UNIVERSITY – B.A. IN PreK-4 EDUCATION WITH PreK-12 SPECIAL EDUCATION

ASSOCIATE DEGREE ADVANTAGE (9 CREDITS) Students with an associate degree awarded on their community college transcript have satisfied all but 9 credits of LRU's AcademicCore Requirements. The 9 credits required for the LRU Academic Core may be completed at CCBC. Courses listed below for the abbreviated 9 credit core satisfy program requirements at LRU and CCBC. Students without an associate degree must complete LRU's academic core.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF BEAVER COUNTY COURSES:	LA ROCHE UNIVERSITY COURSES:
1. A course in English Composition WRIT101 English Composition.....3	ENGL1011 Academic Reading & Writing 3
2. A course in English Composition or Communication WRIT102 English Composition II.....3	ENGL1012 Academic Writing & Research..... 3
3. A course in Mathematics MATH112 Math for Elementary Ed I.....3	MATH1002 Foundations of Quantitative Reasoning..... 3

CCBC SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (36 CREDITS)

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF BEAVER COUNTY COURSES:	LA ROCHE UNIVERSITY COURSES:
ERCH100 Intro to Early Childhood Education.....3	EDEL2000 Foundations of Early Childhood Education..... 3
ERCH105 Children's Development, Health, and Safety3	PSYC2022 Child Development..... 3
PSYC101 General Psychology3	PSYC1021 Introduction to Psychology..... 3
ERCH101 Observation & Guidance3	EDUC2010 Initial Field Experience..... 3
ERCH103 Creative Content in Early Childhood.....3	EDUC2015 Integrating the Arts Throughout the Curriculum..... 3
ERCH205 Language and Literature.....3	EDUC2025 Children's Literature 3
EDUC220 Teaching English Language Learners.....3	EDUC2000 Supporting Multilingual Learners in the Classroom... 3
EDUC230 Intro to Special Education.....3	EDSP2015 Intro to High Incidence Disabilities..... 3
EDUC232 Assessment Strategies for Special Education.....3	EDSP4015 Devel of the IEP & Inclusion in Least Restr Envir 3
MATH114 Math for Elementary Ed II.....3	MATH2000 Math for Liberal Arts 3
EDUC231 Intro to Special Education Law3	*EDUC1010 Introduction to Education 3
EDUC233 Teaching in the Inclusive Classroom.....3	*EDUC2020 Teaching Social Studies..... 3

*These courses are not direct equivalencies, but equivalent content is covered in a variety of coursework in the associate degree making it suitable to waive the requirement, and substitute credits for the course listed.

ASSOCIATE DEGREE AT CCBC CREDITS

Complete additional credits needed to earn an associate degree from CCBC **17-18**

LRU REQUIREMENTS AND ELECTIVES THAT MAY BE TAKEN AT CCBC OR LRU (11-12 CREDITS)

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF BEAVER COUNTY COURSES:	LA ROCHE UNIVERSITY COURSES:
PSYC205 Educational Psychology.....3	PSYC2061 Educational Psychology..... 3
SOCI115, SOCI210, or SOCI231.....3	SOCL3027 Family Relations 3
General Elective Credits5-6	General Elective Credits.....5-6
CREDITS AT CCBC.....74	CREDITS THAT TRANSFER TO LRU74

COMPLETION OF THE B.A. IN PreK-4 ED WITH PreK-12 SPECIAL ED AT LRU **52**

LA ROCHE UNIVERSITY COURSES: PreK-4 ED WITH PreK-12 SPECIAL ED MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

EDUC2030 Integrating Health & Wellness through Curriculum1	EDUC4005 Educational Partnerships & Professionalism 3
EDSP2025 Learning Environments & Behavior Management.....3	EDSP3010 Literacy Instruction & Intervention for Diverse Learn 3
EDSP3015 Intro to Low Incidence Disabilities.....3	EDSP3025 Effective Instruc Strategies for Students with Disabil 3
EDUC3005 Primary Literacy Methods & Practicum3	EDSP3035 Special Education Practicum 3
EDUC3020 Intermediate Literacy Methods & Practicum3	EDSP3040 Evaluation & Assessment 3
EDUC3010 Primary Math Methods & Practicum.....3	EDSP4010 Transition Planning for Secondary Stu with Disabilit .. 3
EDUC3025 Intermediate Math Methods & Practicum.....3	EDEL4075 Student Teaching & Seminar (PK-4) 6
EDUC3030 Inquiry Based Science Methods & Practicum3	EDEL4070 Special Ed Student Teaching & Seminar (PK-12)..... 6

TOTAL CREDITS FOR BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PreK-4 ED WITH PreK-12 SPECIAL ED **126**

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. Both institutions agree to accept transferrable courses from each other and from other regionally accredited institutions.

2. Students with an associate degree conferred on their community college transcript will be awarded a waiver of LRU's full Academic Core and will be required to complete only a 9-10 credit abbreviated Academic Core to include: ENGL1011, ENGL1012 and Quantitative Methods. These courses may be transferred from the community college; however, a waiver or placement exemption at the community college will not fulfill the requirement at LRU.

To receive the abbreviated academic core, students must have an official community college transcript, with the associate degree conferred, sent to LRU's Transfer Admissions Office. Students who do not have an associate degree conferred on their community college transcript will be required to satisfy LRU's academic core requirements. The associate degree may be completed after admission to LRU; however, students should inform their advisor or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the academic core program.

3. Only courses with a grade of C or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer. Courses offered as non-credit continuing education units, developmental courses (usually numbered below 100-level) and courses graded on a P/F basis without verification of a C or better will not be accepted for transfer.

4. La Roche University acknowledges that some credits earned toward the associate degree at CCBC may have been completed as a result of transfer or prior learning assessment, to include standardized examinations, military coursework or portfolio credit. This agreement maintains that the associate degree will be honored in its entirety. These individual credits are eligible for transfer with an official transcript from the original credit-granting institution, and will be evaluated by La Roche University on a per-course basis.

5. A minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed in LRU courses, and at least 50 percent of the major credits must be completed at LRU. The last 30 credit hours completed before graduation must be completed at LRU. A minimum of 120 credit hours is required for graduation with a bachelor's degree.

6. Students must satisfy all admission requirements at the time of application for admission to LRU, including submitting official transcripts from all previously attended colleges.

7. Students are encouraged to contact LRU's Transfer Admissions Office prior to application. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, let us know you intend to follow this agreement so that we can provide information along the way.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

LA ROCHE UNIVERSITY | TRANSFER ADMISSIONS

200 Zappala Campus Center | 412-536-1260 | transferadmissions@laroche.edu

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