

New Jersey Coastal Community  
 Brookdale Community College - Georgian Court University

**B. A. - English/Dual Certification Elementary Education (K-5 or K-8) with Special Education Endorsement**

See attachment for K-8 certification options in Mathematics, Science or Social Studies

Degree Plan -- Revised Jul 16, 2011 -- For students w/A.A.

Georgian Court University	Credits	Brookdale Community College	Comments
Requirements	Credits	Satisfies GCU Requirement for Transfer Students	(A particular course cannot be used to satisfy more than one requirement unless otherwise indicated)
<b>General Education</b>		<b>31 cr.</b>	
1. Acad Writing & Research I EN111	3	ENGL121	
2. Acad Writing & Research II EN112	3	ENGL122	
(OR Argmnt:Craft&StyleEN221 instead of EN111,112)		No BCC Equivalent	EN221 can count as an Engl major course if taken after EN111,112
3. History (American or European) HI131 or 132	3	HIST135, HIST136	
4. Literature (American or British) EN113 or 114		ENGL245 or 246	Also count as Engl. major courses
5. Mathematics	3	MATH 136 OR 146	Students will receive credit for EITHER MATH136 or MATH146, not both. Other math courses may fulfill the requirement. Those listed are preferred.
6. Natural Science with Laboratory	4	One of the following: BIOL 101**,102,105**, 111,112, 215; CHEM 100,101,102, 116; PHYS105***, 108***,111,112, 121,122	**Students will receive credit for EITHER BIOL101 OR BIOL105, not both. ***Students will receive credit for EITHER PHYS105 or PHYS108,not both.
7. Philosophy (Philosophical Inquiry PL245)		PHIL115	RECOMMENDED BUT NOT GCU REQUIREMENTS FOR AA DEGREE HOLDERS.
8. Visual and Performing Arts		ARTH105, 106, 107, 201, MUSI115, CINE105, THTR105	
9. World Language		Two semesters of the same language at the elementary level or one semester of an intermediate or higher level course	
10. Philosoph or Theolog Ethics (PL300 or RS334)	3	No BCC Equivalent	
11. Religious Studies (RS208 or RS220)	3	No BCC Equivalent	
12. Shaping Lives: Women and Gender (WS311)	3	HUMN129	
13. Social Sciences	3	PSYC105 or 106	Brookdale prereq for PSYC206
14. World Perspectives	3	ANTH105, 106, ECON105, 107, ENGL255, HIST107, PHIL225, POLI109, 227	ANTH105 can be double-counted for this Gen. Ed. and the Multicultural Relations requirement.
<b>Graduation Requirements</b>		<b>2 Cr.</b>	
1. Physical Education	1	FITN105, 106, 116, 117, 118, 121, 122, 131, 132, 141, 142, 151, 152, 157, 158, 161, 167, 235, DANC111, 121, 122, 131, 141, 142	
2. Transfer Student Seminar	1	No BCC Equivalent	
3. Experiential Learning (two: one option must be a designated core or major course that has a service learning component; the second option is selected from an internship, a designated study abroad or travel abroad experience, or another course with a service learning component)	0	Determined on an individual basis.	

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<b>School of Education Additional Requirements</b>	<b>19 cr.</b>		
1. Multicultural Relations	3	ANTH105, SOCI105, 216	ANTH105 can be double-counted for Gen. Ed. and Multicultural Relations requirements.
2. PS221 Child & Adol. Development	3	PSYC206	
3. PS225 Educational Psych	3	PSYC218	
4. World Literature EN115 or EN116	3	ENGL235 or 236	ENGL235, 236 also count as English Major Electives.
5. Natural Science	4	One of the following: BIOL 101**, 102, 105**, 111, 112, 215; CHEM 100, 101, 102, 116; PHYS105***, 108***, 111, 112, 121, 122	**Students will receive credit for EITHER BIOL101 OR BIOL105, not both. ***Students will receive credit for EITHER PHYS105 or PHYS108, not both.
6. Mathematics	3	MATH145	Other math courses may fulfill the requirement. Those listed are preferred.
7. Geography	3	HGEO105	

<b>Liberal Arts Major - English - Requirements</b>	<b>39Cr.</b>		
1. English Electives	15	Choose 5 from among: ENGL128, 155, 156, 158, 168, 175, 206, 221, 231, 232, 235, 236, 245, 246, 255, 265, 266, (one of the five may be chosen from among 223, 224, 225, 227).	ENGL231, 232, 235, 236, 245 or 246 must be completed prior to enrolling in any GCU EN course. A maximum of two courses may be counted both as a General Education Requirement and as an English major course.
2. Renaissance Literature: One of the following: EN301, EN302, EN315	3	ENGL275	ENGL275 is in lieu of EN301/EN302.
<b>Required GCU English Courses - No BCC Equivalents</b>			
1. EN300 Intro/Gateways to Literary Study	3		<b>At least 21 of the 39 credits required for the English major must be GCU courses.</b>
2. Anglo-Saxon & Medieval Literature: One of the following: EN312, EN313, EN314	3		
3. British Literature: One of the following: EN316, EN317, EN318, EN319, EN325, EN326	3		
4. American Literature: One of the following: EN310, EN321, EN322, EN323, EN324, EN327	3		
5. Multi-ethnic Literature: One of the following: EN370, EN375, EN376, EN418	3		
6. EN429 Coordinating Seminar I	3		
7. EN430 Coordinating Seminar II	3		

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**Electives -- Required by BCC -- NO GCU Equivalent**

		39 Cr.		
1. ED 3105 Intro. to Inclusive Education	3		EDUC105	EDUC105 = ED3105 and EDUC217 = ED3110 if completed before/during Spring 2006; student must matriculate at GCU before/during Spring 2007 because of course content changes. Students taking BCC education courses in Summer 2006 or after must complete three Brookdale courses, EDUC105/ EDUC217/EDUC199, to fulfill GCU's ED3105 & ED3110 requirement.
2. ED3110 Foundations of Inclusive Education	3		EDUC217	
60 Hour Field Experience			EDUC199	
<b>Required GCU Education Courses - No BCC Equivalents</b>				
3. ED3100 Instruct. Tech for Inclusive Educ.	3			
4. ED3201 Assess./Instr Dsgn Stu w/Spec. Needs	3			
5. ED3205 Instr. Literacy Inclusive El. Ed I	3			
6. ED3206 Instruct. Literacy Inclusive El Ed II	3			
7. ED3220 Instruct. Numeracy Inclusive Educ.	3			
8. ED4202 Instruct. Design for Inclusive Elem. Educ.	3			
9. ED4213 Co-Plan & Co-Teach Includ. Ed. •	3			Also fulfills second experiential learning requirement.
10. ED4301 Student Teaching	12			Also fulfills second experiential learning requirement.
<b>•Passing Praxis II scores required prior to Student Teaching</b>				

**Total Program Credits (Minimum)** 133

**CGPA Required for Teacher Certification** 2.75

Georgian Court University will accept all Brookdale courses listed as requirements on the Community English/Elementary Education degree plan (typically 72 credits) in addition to Brookdale requirements not part of the degree plan [e.g., Oral Communications course]. Georgian Court University will accept up to 75 credits from Brookdale Community College or other community colleges. Up to 15 additional credits will be accepted from 4-year institutions. At least 30 credits must be earned at Georgian Court University, including at least 21 credits in the English major. Ordinarily, all Education courses except GCU's ED3105 and 3110 must be taken at GCU.

Georgian Court University prefers that students complete the general education program as outlined above. However, please note the following: Effective Fall 2007, Brookdale Community College students who have earned an A.A. or A.S. degree with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 and have completed the general education requirements established in the statewide agreement are able to transfer those general education credits in full to satisfy a minimum of 45 (A.A.) or 30 (A.S.) credits of the Georgian Court University General Education Requirements. Only courses in which a grade of "C" or higher has been achieved are eligible for transfer. Courses transferred have Georgian Court University general education equivalents will be transferred as those equivalent courses. Other general education courses required by Brookdale Community College will be transferred as general education electives. If an equivalency is not transferred, all three of the following general education courses must be taken: **a designated Religious Studies course, the Shaping Lives: Women and Gender course, and a Philosophical Ethics or Theological Ethics course.**

Effective Fall 2011, students who have not earned a total of 43 credits in the general education area after completing the three courses listed above must earn the remaining general education credits by choosing courses that satisfy general education categories for which the students did not transfer equivalent courses.