

New Jersey Coastal Communitiversity
 Brookdale Community College - Georgian Court University

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

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Degree Plan -- Revised Jul 07 2011 -- For students w/A.A.

| Georgian Court University | Credits | Brookdale Community College | Comments |
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| Requirements | Credits | Satisfies GCU Requirement for Transfer Students | (A particular course cannot be used to satisfy more than one requirement) |
| General Education | 31 | | |
| 1. Acad Writing & Research I EN111 | 3 | ENGL121 | |
| 2. Acad Writing & Research II EN112 (OR Argmnt:Craft&StyleEN221 instead of EN111,112) | 3 | ENGL122 No BCC Equivalent | |
| 3. History (American or World) HI131 or 132 | 3 | HIST135, HIST136 | |
| 4. Literature (American or British) EN113 or 114 | 3 | ENGL245 or 246 | |
| 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 | 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 (Geography) | 3 | HGEO105 | |
| 14. World Perspectives | | | PS300 is "triple counted" as a <i>Psych Major course</i> and as the <i>World Perspectives Gen Ed</i> and <i>Multicultural Relations-Beh. Sci. Teacher Cert. requirement.</i> |
| Graduation Requirements | 2 Cr. | | |
| 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. | |
| School of Education Additional Requirements | 10 cr. | | |

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| 1. Multicultural Relations PS300 | | | Triple-counted for World Perspectives Gen Ed & Psych major. |
| 2. PS221 Child & Adol. Development | | PSYC206 | Double-counted for Psych major. |
| 3. PS225 Educational Psych | | PSYC218 | Double-counted for Psych major. |
| 4. World Literature EN115 or EN116 | 3 | ENGL235 or 236 | |
| 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. |

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| Liberal Arts Major - Psychology - Requirements | 36Cr. | | |
| 1. PS111 Intro to Psyc | 3 | PSYC 105 or 106 | |
| 2. Psych Major Elective - PS221 Child & Adol. Devel | 3 | PSYC 206 | |
| 3. PS310 Personality | 3 | PSYC 209 | |
| 4. PS235 Dynamics of the Group I | 3 | PSYC 235 | |
| 5. Psych Major Elective - PS 225 Educ Psych | 3 | PSYC 218 | |

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| Required GCU Psych Courses - No BCC Equivalents | | | |
| 1. PS114 Issues in Psychology | 3 | | 21 of the 36 credits required for the Psych major must be GCU courses. |
| 2. PS300 Multicultural Psychology | 3 | | |
| 3. PS433 Behavior Modification | 3 | | |
| 4. PS423 Exceptional Child | 3 | | |
| 5. PS410 Applied Statistics & Research Methods | 3 | | |
| 6. PS360 Cognitive Psy or PS432 Psy of Learning | 3 | | |
| 7. PS455 Senior Seminar | 3 | | |

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| | 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 | |

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| Required GCU Education Courses - No BCC Equivalents | | | |
| 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 |

***Passing Praxis II scores required prior to Student Teaching**

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| Other Requirements -- Electives | 2cr | |
| Total Program Credits (Minimum) | 120 | |
| CGPA Required for Teacher Certification | 2.75 | |

Georgian Court University will accept all Brookdale courses listed as requirements on the Communiversitiy Psychology/Elementary Education degree plan (typically 58 credits) plus Brookdale requirements that are 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 Psychology 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.