Pratt Community College and Fort Hays State University have partnered to offer a 2 + 2 Elementary Education Agreement for teacher education candidates. Candidates have the opportunity to complete an elementary education degree in Team K-6 with a Special Education minor. Students are encouraged to work with their advisor to ensure a smooth transition to FHSU.

This brochure is a working document. After completion of approximately 45 credit hours at PCC, the student and advisor should sign the brochure and send it to the Fort Hays State University Department of Teacher Education Chairperson.

Completion of this degree will provide candidates the opportunity to seek Kansas licensure in Elementary Education with anendorsement in Special Education.

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2+2 agreement requires that the student work with their advisor and follow the program of study as outlined in this brochure to ensure a smooth transition to FHSU.

Signing this brochure indicates your intent to participate in the 2+2 program between PCC and FHSU. Students are required to successfully complete the curriculum listed in this brochure and meet any college, university, and/or state requirements in order for the program to be completed. Programs of study are subject to minor changes on the basis of program improvement.

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Student

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Community College Advisor

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Chair, Department of Teacher Education

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EDUCATION DEGREE AGREEMENT

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Pratt Community College
Associate of Science - Elementary Education

Year 1

Course Name	*Credit Hours*	*Grade*
Foundations of Education	3	
Observation and Participation	3	
Children's Literature	3	
Developmental Psychology	3	
Elementary School Art	3	
Children's Play and Games	3	
Multicultural Study	3	
English Composition I	3	
English Composition II	3	
College Algebra	3	
Statistics	3	
Physical Science	4	

Year 2

Microcomputer Applications I	3	
World Regional Geography	3	
General Psychology	3	
Introduction to Sociology	3	
American Government	3	
Personal and Community Health	3	
Introduction to Literature	3	
Introduction to Music	3	
Art Appreciation	3	
Speech Communication	3	
Biology	5	

*shading indicates required grade of "C" or better

IMPORTANT ITEMS TO REMEMBER

- prior to each semester meet with academic advisor
- cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher
- be aware of courses that must have minimum grade of "C"
- prior to the last semester at PCC, apply for:
  - -Admission to FHSU, www.fhsu.edu
  - -Teacher Education Program, www.fhsu.edu/coe
- priority scholarship deadline December 15
- send transcripts by June 1st

Fort Hays State University
Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education - TEAM K - 6 with a Special Education Minor

IMPORTANT ITEMS TO REMEMBER

- check schedule for any courses needed
- minimum PPST or ACT scores required for admission to Teacher Education program:

	PPST		ACT
Reading	173	or	22
Math	172	or	22
Writing	172	or	22

Year 3

Course Name	*Credit Hours*	*Grade*
Educating Exceptional Students	3	
Introduction to Instructional Technology	3	
Diverse Learners	3	
Programs, Procedures & Issues in Special Education	3	
Behavior Strategies & Support	3	
Technology Applications in Special Education	3	
Curriculum and Assessment	3	
Reading and Language Arts Methods	4	
Mathematics Methods	4	
Internship 1 (40 clock hours)	1	
Integrative Studies Upper Level Elective	3	
Elementary School Music	2	
Internship 2 (40 clock hours)	1	

Year 4

Elem. School Social Studies Methods	3	
Educational Psychology	3	
Elementary School Science	3	
Internship 3 (40 clock hours)	1	
Correction of Reading Disabilities	2	
Correction of Reading Disabilities Internship	1	
Assessment in Special Education	3	
Principles of Instruction in Special Education	3	
The Elementary School	2	
Student Teaching	9	
Student Teaching: Special Education	3	

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Fort Hays State University
Helpful Links

Virtual College
www.fhsu.edu/virtualcollege

Application for Admission
www.fhsu.edu/admissions/information/application.shtml

Department of Teacher Education
www.fhsu.edu/te/

Pratt Community College - Fort Hays State University transfer equivalencies
www.fhsu.edu/registrar/CourseEquiv/Pratt.html

Admission to Teacher Education program
www.fhsu.edu/cert/adte.shtml

FHSU Teacher Education Faculty
www.fhsu.edu/te/facstaff

FHSU Financial Aid
www. fhsu.edu/finaid

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