



For OCC student graduating with their A.A. in Liberal Arts (Communications)



KEAN UNIVERSITY – COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
(22105 - Communication Standard) B.A. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION - CERTIFICATION FOR PRESCHOOL (P-3) TEACHERS 130 S.H.
With an Endorsement in Teachers of Students with Disabilities (TSD)

For students graduating from Ocean County College with the A.A. in Liberal Arts and transferring to Kean University

Kean Declaration, Major and Graduation GPA 3.0

Kean University Courses are in Blue (69-70 S.H.) Ocean County College Courses are in Green (60-61S.H.)

Effective Date: Fall 2019

See the Current Academic Catalog for Requirements to Graduate with Honors

GENERAL EDUCATION: Foundation Requirements			41-42 S.H. 13 S.H.	ACADEMIC CONTENT AREA: COMM. (Standard Option) see academic advisor in your content area for advisement.		30 S.H.
GE 3000 Transfer Transitions ¹			1	COMM 2405 Advanced public Speaking		3
ENG 1030 College Composition ²	ENGL 151 English I		3	ID 2415 Small Group Comm		3
MATH 1000 College Algebra ²	MATH 151 or Higher		3	COMM 2503 Mass Media	COMM 281 Mass Comm	3
COMM 1402 Speech Comm ²	COMM 154 Public Speaking		3	COMM 3510 Persuasive Comm		3
GE 2022 Research & Technology ³	ENGL152 English II		3	COMM 3720 Comm and Media Theory		3
Disciplinary and Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirements:**				COMM 4962 Comm Research Seminar		3
Humanities:			9 S.H.	COMM Elective	FILM 190 World Cinema	3
*ENG 2403 World Literature	ENGL 255 ³ World Lit		3	COMM Elective	SOCI 232 Social Justice	3
Performing Arts 6 S.H. (Choose TWO of the following):				COMM Elective	Any COMM elective	3
FA 1000 or ID 1500	Any GHUM Course		3	Comm Elective		3
MUS 1050 or Music	Any GHUM Course		3	PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION²		
Social Sciences:			9 S.H.	Sophomore Level (recommended during second semester)		
*HIST 1062 Worlds of History	HIST 181 World Civ. to 1600		3	EC 2900 Field Experience		3
PSY 1000 General Psychology	PSYC 172 Gen. Psychology		3	SPED 2200 Multicultural Learner in Diverse Settings		3
SOC 1000 Intro to Sociology	HIST 182 World Civ from 1660 or Any HIST Gen Ed		3	Students must pass Praxis Core prior to taking courses below:		
Science and Mathematics:			10-11 S.H.	Junior Level		
MATH 1010 Foundations of Math ³	MATH 156 Statistics		3	First Semester		
BIO 1000 Principles of Biology ²	BIOL 114 or higher		4	EC 3250 Perspectives on EC Practice ⁴		3
Second Science Course	CSIT 110 Intro to Computers		3	EDUC 3400 La/Rdg in Preschool/Elementary		3
ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES:			15 S.H.	Second Semester		
PSY 2100 Child Psychology	EDUC 261 Dev. of the Learner or PSY 173		3	EC 4260 Supporting Emergent Literature		3
ID 2052 Human Exceptionality ²	EDUC 178 Exceptional St.		3	All Ed & major/content classes should be completed prior to senior level classes.		
ID 3051 Computer Tech Today's Society ²				Senior Year First Semester⁷		
ID 3162 Families as Collab Classroom School Comm						
ID 3210 Working with Infants and Toddlers				EC 3300 Teaching & Learning Education I		3
Free Electives			0- 2 S.H.	EC 3401 ECE Clinical Practice I (Two day field) ⁹		3
1000-2000 Level Free Elective ⁸	STSC 150 Student Succ Sem		1-2	EC 4300 Teaching & Learning EC Education II (WE)		3
Special Notes:				ID 3163 Classroom Management ⁶		3
*GE Distribution Course required of all students.				SPED 3000 Principle & Practice		3
**See prerequisite and equivalencies.				Senior Year Second Semester		
1 University requirement for graduation for all undergraduate students: complete GE 3000 (transfers entering with 30 credits or more).				EC 4401 ECE Clinical Practice II ^{5,9}		9
2 Requires a grade of B- or better.				EC 4000 Teacher & the Early Elementary Classroom (WE) ⁵		3
3 Grade of C or better required.						
4 Take course before EC 3300.						
5 EC 4000 & EC 4401 MUST be taken together.						
6 Co-req SPED 3000.						
7 Must submit passing EC Praxis II scores prior to Clinical II.						
8 Course is only necessary if you have not met the 120 credit requirement toward degree completion.						



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9 Clinical I and Clinical II must be done back-to-back and in consecutive semesters.

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