Transfer agreement Prairie State College AA degree and Trinity Christian College Adult Studies BA Education and/or teacher certification (elementary)

Required courses toward elementary certification:
AT PSC YOU TAKE:

I. AREA A: Communications (9 credits for AA degree)*
   - ENG 101 - Composition I (3)
   - ENG 102 – Composition II (3)
   - COMM 101 – Principles of Communication (3)

II. AREA B: Humanities and Fine Arts (9 credits for AA degree)*
   - ENG 211, 212, 215, 231, 232, 261, 262 (3)
   - IAI Approved Fine Arts Course (3)
   - IAI Approved Humanities/Fine Arts (3)
   *Recommend IAI approved non-western

III. AREA C: Mathematics (4 credits for AA degree)*
    - MATH 206 – Mathematics for Elementary Teaching II (4)

IV. AREA D: Physical and Life Sciences (8 credits for AA degree)*
    - BIOL 100 – General Education Biology (4)
      or BIOL 111 – Cellular and Molecular Biology
    - PHYSC 111 – Physical Science (4)

V. AREA E: Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 credits for AA degree)*
    - POLSC 140 – Intro to US Government & Politics (3)
    - HIST 201 – U.S. History: 1492-1877 (3)
      or HIST 202 – U.S History: 1877-Present
    - HIST 151 or 152 – History of Western Civilization I or II (3)

VI. Additional Courses/Electives (23 hours for AA degree)*
    - Math elective – any course 100 or higher (3)
    - MATH 200 – Mathematics for Elementary Teaching I (4)
    - PHYSC 112 – Earth Science (4)
      or GEOLO 101 - Physical Geology
    - ENG 220 – Children’s Literature (3)
    - GEOG 101 - Cultural Geography (3)
    - PSYCH 102 - Human Growth & Development: Lifespan (3)
    - Cross Cultural Elective (Met with A.A. or A.S. degree) (3)
    *Course should provide insights to societal structures and development of cultures that are fundamentally non-western. One semester of a modern foreign language will also fulfill requirement.

VII. TOTAL CREDIT REQUIRED FOR ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE: 62 credits
    *Indicates the minimum credit hours needed for an Associate in Arts degree at PSC for students pursuing this degree.

NOTE: A MINOR is required for elementary certification. Minimum 18 semester hours in one subject area. Minimum 9 semester hours must be at 200 level or above. Cumulative GPA for minor must be 2.7

AT TRINITY CHRISTIAN COLLEGE YOU TAKE:

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Program Total 45 sem. hrs.

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Minimum Total Credit Hours needed in addition to Adult Studies Education and AA degree which may be comprised of your MINOR courses. 18*  

Program Notes:
- Admission Requirements include:
  - Minimum 65 semester hours of previous college, minimum 2.0 GPA
  - Age 23 or over
  - Credit Transfers: 100 level or higher “C” or better, Military training, CLEP testing may apply
  - Coursework completed one night per week, 6:00 – 10:00 pm
  - Program begins 3 times a year: January, June, September at our Palos Heights campus
    - At the Addison center and Chicago center, the program begins in January and September only
  - Students are encouraged to contact Trinity Christian College early for a transcript evaluation

This agreement is renewable on a yearly basis, subject to review by Trinity Christian College.

Information subject to change. Consult with transfer school for verification of course selections.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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