

## Content Course Eligibility Checklist for Early Childhood, Elementary Education or Special Education ARL Applicants

Use the following checklist to complete your own transcript review. (See sample transcript review on the ARL website.)

List all applicable courses, credits and grade received. Only count up to the maximum allowed credits. Courses must be applicable to teaching elementary-aged students.

Not all courses on a transcript apply. General Education courses are most applicable.

To be eligible to participate in Alternative Routes to Licensure to earn an Early Childhood, Elementary Education, or Special Education license, **your transcript must show between 27-38 total semester credits** directly related to the Utah elementary education core curriculum **and each subject area must have at least one applicable course.**

Only the maximum number of credits can be counted in each category. Courses not related to the elementary core or grades which are lower than a “C” will not be counted.

Note: Grades posted on the quarter system must be converted into semester credits by multiplying by .66. (i.e. 3 credits on quarter system = 1.98 semester credits)

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**All courses recorded from transcript must be applicable to teaching Elementary Education K-6**

<b>Maximum Credit Hrs.</b>	<b>No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Subjects</b>	<b>Transcript Courses</b>	<b>Semester Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Credits Counted</b>
<b>6</b> maximum	<b>Science Department Courses:</b> * Earth Science, Physical Science or Biology, Chemistry, Physics				
<b>9</b> maximum	<b>English Department Courses:</b> * Writing and Literature Courses				
<b>9</b> maximum	<b>Mathematics Department Courses:</b> *Must have documentation of <i>Intermediate or College Algebra</i> (i.e. <i>Math 1010 or 1050</i> , or BYU Math 110 coursework) or <i>Calculus I</i> . Math ACT 23+, SAT 546+, or CLEP “College Algebra” test 50+ can count for the Intermediate or College Algebra requirement with official documentation. (See ** below for Statistics Course info.)				
<b>9</b> maximum	<b>Social Studies Courses:</b> *History, Government, Geography, Economics, Political Science. (Psychology, sociology, philosophy, and anthropology courses do <u>not</u> count for core here.)				
<b>3</b> maximum	<b>Fine Arts Courses:</b> *Dance, Drama, Music, Art.				
<b>2</b> maximum	<b>Physical Education or Health:</b> * PE Fitness for Life, Health, Nutrition. <i>Must be applicable to Elementary Education core curriculum. (Specific sports such as Basketball, Bowling, Swimming, Tennis, etc. do <u>not</u> count for Elem. Ed. core curriculum here.)</i>				
Total 27- 38 Credits			<b>TOTAL</b>		

Notes: No credit is counted in this worksheet if the course is not applicable to teaching elementary (K-6) curriculum or the grade earned is lower than a “C”.

\*\* Statistics courses (if taken from the Math Dept.) may count for additional math credits once the minimum Intermediate or College Algebra has been documented. 11/13