



Enhanced 2+2 Agreement between College of DuPage and Lewis University leading to a **Bachelor of Arts degree in Middle Level Education in Science.**

Who Can Enroll in the Program?

- Students who have completed an associate's degree with the selected courses required.
- New students interested in completing a Bachelor of Arts degree in Middle Level Education in Science from Lewis University in partnership with COD.
- Students who graduated from COD and went elsewhere can be considered for the program if they complete an associate's degree with the required courses. A transcript evaluation needs to be completed by both schools.

Program Overview

- This program offers a bachelor's degree in Middle Level Education in Science. Graduates of the program are eligible to apply for a state of Illinois Professional Educator License with an endorsement in Middle Level Education in Science.
- The first semester of Lewis University classes are held on the COD campus.
- All required field experiences are able to be completed in the COD area.
- Lewis University College of Education programs are approved by the Illinois State Board of Education.
- With this 2+2 program, students pay College of DuPage tuition for College of DuPage courses.
- Lewis University courses are offered at a significantly reduced tuition rate.

(Academic Plan on back.)

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Academic Plan

College of DuPage Courses				CREDITS	Lewis University BA in Middle Level Education Science				CREDITS
Semesters 1 to 4					Semesters 5 to 8				
ENGLISH	1101	English Composition I	3	SCED	20000	Field Experience 1		1	
ENGLISH	1102	English Composition II	3	SCED	30000	Field Experience II		1	
SPEECH	1100	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3	SCED	22100	Foundational Literacy for Middle School Teachers		3	
CHEMISTRY	1551	Principles of Chemistry I	5						
BIOLOGY	1151	Principles of Biological Science I	5	SCED	22500	Curriculum & Instruction in the Middle School		3	
MATH	1218	General Education Math	3						
IAI Humanities			3	SCED	30400	Technology for Teaching & Learning		3	
IAI Humanities (fine arts recommended)			3	SCED	31200	Instructional Strategies & Learning Communities for Adolescents		3	
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Social Science			3	SCED	31500	Communication for Teachers		3	
Social Science			3	SCED	32200	Characteristics & Development of the Adolescent Learner		3	
Social Science			3	SCED	34600	Special Methods: Teaching Science to Adolescents		3	
EDUCATION	2201	Education for Exceptional Children	3						
PHILOSOPHY	1110	Ethics	3	SCED	33100	Methods of Teaching Reading in the Content Areas to Adolescents		3	
BIOLOGY	1110	Environmental Biology	4						
PHYSICS	1150	Physics and Society	3	SCED	39400	Pedagogy & Assessment for Effective Instruction		3	
				ENLE	31000	Foundations of Teaching English Language Learners		3	
RECOMMENDED ELECTIVE:									
EDUCATION	1100	Introduction to Education	3	SCED	48200	Clinical Practice and Seminar: Middle School		9	
Electives and Prerequisite credit hours			10 credit hours	THEO	10600	Search for Faith		3	
Total credits transferring from COD			66			20000-level Theology OR SOCI29000 Cultural Diversity		3	
				PHYS	12000	Integrated Science I		3	
				PHYS	12100	Integrated Science I Lab		1	
				BIOL	12200	Integrated Science II		3	
				BIOL	12300	Integrated Science II Lab		1	
				Electives				7 credit hours	
				Total credits completed at Lewis University				62	

- It is important for students to choose electives to maximize their opportunity to achieve an associate's degree
- College of DuPage students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.75/4.0 scale before enrolling in any Lewis University Education courses
- To be accepted to Lewis University's College of Education students must pass either the State of Illinois Test of Academic Proficiency (TAP) or earn a minimum 22 composite score with a minimum writing score of 16 on the ACT or SAT equivalent
- Lewis University students are required to complete a minimum of 128 credit hours to earn a BA degree