



The Associate of Arts degree (A.A.) at JCCC is a general transfer degree and partners with the first two years of most bachelor degree programs. Students pursuing the A.A. may select courses that satisfy both the A.A. degree requirements and lower division requirements for a bachelor's degree at four-year institutions. The 33 hours of electives within the A.A. allows students to complete additional general education and lower division courses required for specific majors. The A.A. degree requires completion of 64 credit hours. Meeting with a JCCC counselor is strongly recommended for selection of appropriate courses.

The Kansas State University Athletic Training Education Program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education. It is a cooperative program housed in the Department of Human Nutrition, with support from the Division of Intercollegiate Athletics. Upon completion of the program, a Bachelor of Science degree is awarded.

The Athletic Training Education Program prepares students for careers as allied-health professionals and prepares them for the National Athletic Trainers' Association Board of Certification examination, leading to certification and the credential of certified athletic trainer.

Admission to the practicum phase of the Athletic Training program is selective and competitive. Transfer students must have 2.75 overall grade point average for admission to the Athletic Training major. No more than 20 students are selected to advance due to the limited number of approved clinical instructors in the practicum placements. The following criteria, listed in order of importance, are used to select students for advancement. All transfer athletic training students will be evaluated using these same criteria.

- ❖ Major GPA: The GPA which combines grades from the following classes will be considered the most important criteria for admission: Chemistry, Basic Nutrition, Principles of Biology and Introduction to Athletic Training.
- ❖ Recommendations: Three recommendations are submitted with the application packet. They will be evaluated for the qualities listed on the form provided by the program director.
- ❖ Overall GPA: The overall GPA from all collegiate coursework will be considered. The minimum is a 2.75 but the average athletic training student has at least a 3.0.
- ❖ Observation Hours: For transfer students, this requirement may be waived if adequate competency is shown with athletic training room hours under a certified athletic trainer.
- ❖ Statement of Interest: Submitted as part of the application materials. The letter that indicates a strong interest and understanding of the athletic training profession would be considered most advantageous to admission.
- ❖ Prior Athletic Training Experience: Experiences under a certified athletic trainer prior to entering the athletic training education program would be considered in the admission process. This does not include the observation hours.
- ❖ Completion of HN 120, 121 and 320 (or equivalent) with a grade of B or above.
- ❖ Completion of application (available from program director) and interview.

The B.S. in Athletic Training requires 124 hours. **The maximum number of hours from a community college that will be applied toward this degree is 62.** Each student must complete 20 of the last 30 hours of resident credit at K-State. A minimum of 45 hours must be at a course level of 300 or higher.

Note: Grades of C or higher are required in all Professional Studies courses, with grades of "B" or higher required in HN 120, 121 and 320.

All K-State students are required to complete a specified number of University General Education (UGE) credits at Kansas State University. The minimum number of UGE credit hours required is based upon total number of completed transfer and advanced placement (AP, IB, CLEP, DANTES) credit hours accepted by Kansas State University.

Number of completed transfer credit hours
 accepted at K-State on initial date of entry

0-7
 8-29
 30-44
 45 or more

Minimum UGE credit hours
 to be taken at K-State (6 hours must be upper division)

18 (in 4 different areas)
 12 (in 4 different areas)
 9 (in 3 different areas)
 6 (in 2 different areas)

K-State Requirements**JCCC Equivalents (Select 62 hours from the following)**

I. Communications (11-12 hours) ENG 100 Expository Writing I 3 ENG 200 Expository Writing II 3 ENG 300 Expository Writing III <u>OR</u> 3 ENG 516 Written Commun/Sciences 3 SPCH 105/106 Public Speaking 2-3	___ ENGL 121 Composition I 3 ___ ENGL 122 Composition II 3 No equivalent No equivalent ___ SPD 121 Public Speaking 3
II. Social Sciences (9 hours) ECON 110 Principles of Macroeconomics 3 PSYCH 150 General Psychology 3 SOCIO 211 Intro to Sociology 3	___ ECON 230 Economics I 3 ___ PSYC 130 General Psychology 3 ___ SOC 130 Intro to Sociology 3
III. Humanities (6 hrs)	Select two courses from the following: ___ ARCH 240 Arch History: Anc/Mid Ages 3 ___ ARCH 241 Arch History: Ren/Enlight 3 ___ ARTH 180 Art History: Anc/Ren 3 ___ ARTH 182 Art History: Ren/Modern 3 ___ ENGL 130 Introduction to Literature 3 ___ ENGL 215 U.S. Latino and Latina Literature 3 ___ ENGL 217 Literature by Women 3 ___ ENGL 230 Introduction to Fiction 3 ___ ENGL 231 American Prose 3 ___ ENGL 232 Introduction to Children's Literature 3 ___ ENGL 235 Drama as Literature 3 ___ ENGL 236 British Literature I 3 ___ ENGL 237 British Literature II 3 ___ ENGL 243 Literature of Science Fiction 3 ___ ENGL 244 Literature of American Popular Music 3 ___ ENGL 250 World Masterpieces 3 ___ Any beginning level FL course except ASL 5 ___ Any JCCC HIST course 3 ___ MUS 121 Introduction to Music Listening 3 ___ MUS 126 Introduction to World Music 3 ___ PHIL 121 Introduction to Philosophy 3 ___ PHIL 124 Logic and Critical Thinking 3 ___ PHIL 143 Ethics 3 ___ PHIL 154 History of Ancient Philosophy 3 ___ PHIL 161 Elementary Symbolic Logic 3 ___ PHIL 176 Philosophy of Religion 3 Additional courses may be acceptable. Contact K-State College of Human Ecology.
IV. Natural Sciences (20 hours) BIOL 198 Principles of Biology 4 BIOL 340 Structure/Function Human Body 8 CHM 110/111 General Chemistry/Lab 3/1 <u>OR</u> CHM 210 Chemistry I 4 PHYS 113 General Physics I 4	___ BIOL 135 Principles of Cell and Molecular Biology 4 ___ BIOL 140 Human Anatomy <u>AND</u> 4 ___ BIOL 225 Human Physiology 4 ___ CHEM 122 Principles of Chemistry 5 <u>OR</u> ___ CHEM 124/125 General Chemistry I/Lab 4/1 ___ PHYS 130 General Physics 5 <u>Note:</u> BIOL 140 plus BIOL 225 will substitute for BIOL 340 for this major.
V. Quantitative Studies (7-9 hours) MATH 100 College Algebra <u>AND</u> 3 MATH 150 Plane Trigonometry 3 <u>OR</u> MATH 220 A/G Calculus I 5 STAT 325 Introduction to Statistics 3	___ MATH 171 College Algebra <u>AND</u> 3 ___ MATH 172 Trigonometry 3 <u>OR</u> ___ MATH 241 Calculus I 5 ___ MATH 181 Statistics 3

K-State Requirements**JCCC Equivalents**

VI. Professional Studies (61 hours)								
Equivalents of the following courses may be take at JCCC								
HN	120/121	Intro to Athletic Training/Lab	2/1	_____	HPER	195	Intro to Athletic Training	3
HN	132	Basic Nutrition	3	_____	HMEC	151	Nutrition and Meal Planning	3
HN	320	Care & Prevention of Athletic Injuries	3	_____	HPER	204	Care & Prevention of Athletic Injuries	3
HN	583	Practicum I in Athletic Training	1	_____	HPER	198	Practicum I	1
HN	584	Practicum II in Athletic Training	1	_____	HPER	207	Practicum II	2
Grade of "C" or higher required for all Professional Studies courses, with a grade of "B" or higher in HN 120, 121 and 320 or equivalent courses.								

VII. Integrative Studies (3 hours)

Complete at K-State to apply toward UGE requirement.

VIII. Unrestricted Electives (7-10 hours)

Any transferable JCCC course (as needed)

Recommended Program at JCCC**First Semester (Fall)**

ENGL	121	Composition I	3
MATH	171	College Algebra	3
BIOL	135	Principles of Cell and Molecular Biology	4
HPER	195	Intro to Sports Med	3
HPER	198	Practicum I	1
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Summer Semester

Humanities Course	3
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Third Semester (Fall)

SPD	121	Public Speaking	3
BIOL	140	Human Anatomy	4
HPER	204	Care & Prevention of Athletic Injuries	3
HPER	207	Practicum 2	2
Humanities course			3
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Second Semester (Spring)

ENGL	122	Composition II	3
MATH	172	Trigonometry	3
PSYC	130	General Psychology	3
HMEC	151	Nutrition & Meal Plan	3
Chemistry Course		(See note below)	5
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Fourth Semester (Spring)

PHYS	130	General Physics	5
SOC	122	Intro to Sociology	3
ECON	230	Economics I	3
BIOL	225	Human Physiology	4
Elective			1
			<u>16</u>

TOTAL: 64 hours for AA; 62 hours will apply toward BS in Athletic Training.

Note: Students planning to complete pre-physical therapy requirements should take CHEM 124/125 General Chemistry I/Lab and CHEM 131/132 General Chemistry II/Lab.

Students should select Humanities courses that satisfy both K-State B.S. and JCCC A.A. degree requirements.
Students may take courses during the summer to lighten the load in other semesters.