

**KEENE STATE COLLEGE  
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE  
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION**

It is the student's responsibility to follow the official requirements of the degree, found in the Keene State College catalog. This planning sheet is for advising purposes.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student I.D.#: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution(s)  
Attended: \_\_\_\_\_ Credits: \_\_\_\_\_

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I. **GENERAL EDUCATION** 42 credit minimum

A. **English Language Competence:** ENG 101 is required of all students.

ENG 101: \_\_\_\_\_

B. **Arts & Humanities:** A minimum of five courses totaling at least 15 credits as follows:

One course in Literature \_\_\_\_\_  
One course in literature, which may be any 200 or 300-level English course except 202, 203, 204, 208, 301, 302, 303, 304, 308, 312. French 303 and Spanish 303 may also be used to fulfill this requirement.

U.S. HISTORY \_\_\_\_\_ ART, FILM, MU or TAD \_\_\_\_\_

Two courses from Arts & Humanities disciplines: AMST, ART, COMM, ENG, FILM, FR, GER, HIST, JRN, ML, MU, PHIL, SP, or TAD or an approved interdisciplinary course (WS 201\* or an IDAH course ).

C. **Social Sciences:** A minimum of four courses totaling at least 12 credits in **three** or more of the Social Science disciplines: ECON, GEOG, POSC, PSYC, SOC or an approved interdisciplinary course (WS 201\* or an IDSS course)

GEOG \_\_\_\_\_

D. **Sciences/Math:** A minimum of four courses totaling at least 12 credits as follows: One course in BIOLOGY. One course in a PHYSICAL SCIENCE (ASTR, CHEM, GEOL, MET, PHYS). Two courses from Sciences/Math disciplines: ASTR, BIO, CHEM, CS, ENST, GEOL, MATH, MET, PHYS or an approved interdisciplinary course (IDSM) .

BIO \_\_\_\_\_ PHYSICAL SCIENCE \_\_\_\_\_

\*WS 201 may be used only once, to fulfill either an Arts & Humanities or Social Sciences General Education requirement.

II. **MAJOR REQUIREMENTS** 70 credits

**« A. TEACHER EDUCATION 28 credits**

**NOTE:** Minimum Grade Point Average Requirements.

- Teacher Education =2.50. Minimum grade of C in each course.
- Vocational Education Major=2.50. Minimum grade of C in each course.
- Cumulative GPA=2.50

**Orientation**

ESEC 100: Intro to Teaching \_\_\_\_\_ 1

**Learners**

\*\*ESEC 150: Dev. Exceptional Learning I \_\_\_\_\_ 3

**Fundamentals**

\*\*ESEC 282: Literacy in the Content Areas \_\_\_\_\_ 3

**Settings**

This part of the knowledge base is taken within Vocational Education (VE 486).

**Methodology**

This part of the knowledge base is taken within Vocational Education (VE 353, 403).

**Pedagogy**

•ESEC 387: Creating Social Contexts Learning \_\_\_\_\_ 3

**Systems**

•ESEC 450: Seminar - Educational Principles \_\_\_\_\_ 3 taken concurrently with student teaching

**Practice**

•ESEC 460: Student Teaching \_\_\_\_\_ 12

(Practicing teachers may substitute VE 401 (8 credits) plus professional education courses (6 credits) for ESEC 460 upon approval from Director of Teacher Education/ Graduate Programs.

**•Admission to Teacher Education required for these courses.**

Refer to KSC catalog (Teacher Education Programs Section) for guidelines regarding admission to Teacher Education and eligibility for student teaching.

\*\* Requires a minimum of one to three hours field work in the schools or service learning.

**« B. OCCUPATIONAL COMPETENCE 30 credits**

Evidence of occupational competence may be demonstrated by (1) completion of standardized occupational competency examination (e.g., the National Occupational Competency Testing Institution Exams), (2) professional licensure or certification, or (3) formal course work at a post-secondary institution. Credits (1-36) will be awarded after the student has completed 60 credit hours in the program.

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**« C. PROFESSIONAL ELECTIVES 6 credits**

Selected from Vocational Education, vocational specialty, or human service offerings.

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**« D. WORK EXPERIENCE**

Required for certification and graduation. Complete two years (4000 hours) of documented, paid work in student's specialty; 3000 hours of supervised cooperative work experience; or a combination of the above to equal 4000 hours. Students lacking required/approved work experience in individual vocational specialty may take college supervised VE 209 Cooperative Occupational Internship (120 hours = 1 cr. to max 25 crs).

• Work Experience Satisfied: \_\_\_\_\_

III. **ELECTIVES**

Select additional courses of your choice to bring your total number of credits earned to 126.

If you wish to use transferred courses toward major/minor requirements you must use the Course Substitution process. Contact the Academic and Career Advising Center for more information.