

SUNY SCHENECTADY
CURRICULUM WORKSHEET

PROGRAM: **TEACHING ASSISTANT (CERTIFICATE)**

HEGIS #5503

Program Code # **63**

Program Entry Date:

Student Name:

Former College(s) Attended:

ID Number:

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS	CR	GRADE	IN PROGRESS	COMMENTS
ENG 123 College Composition	3			
FYS 100 First Year Seminar	1			
PSY 121 Introduction to Psychology	3			
Restricted Humanities Elective (a)	3			
Restricted Psychology Elective (b)	3-4			
CIS OR Liberal Arts Elective (c)	3-4			
Mathematics 123 Quantitative Reasoning OR Science Elective (d)	3-4			
Arts OR Foreign Language (e)	3			
TET 221 Foundations of Education	3			
Minimum Credit Hours	25			

Additional Comments: Please refer to the footnotes on the reverse side.

Students planning on transferring should become familiar with the particular requirements of the transfer institution as they choose electives.

Reviewed by _____

Date _____

TEACHING ASSISTANT

CERTIFICATE

Suggested Course Sequence (Part-time Students)

FIRST YEAR

Fall Semester	CR	Spring Semester	CR
ENG 123 College Composition	3	Restricted Humanities Elective (a)	3
FYS 100 First Year Seminar	1	Restricted Psychology Elective (b)	3-4
PSY 121 Introduction to Psychology	3		6-7
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SECOND YEAR

Fall Semester	CR	Spring Semester	CR
Arts OR Foreign Language (e)	3	CIS OR Liberal Arts Elective (c)	3-4
Mathematics 123 Quantitative Reasoning	3-4	TET 221 Foundations of Education	3
OR Science Elective (d)			
	6-7		6-7

Suggested Course Sequence (Full-time Students)

Fall Semester	CR	Spring Semester	CR
ENG 123 College Composition	3	Restricted Humanities Elective (a)	3
PSY 121 Introduction to Psychology	3	Restricted Psychology Elective (b)	3-4
Arts OR Foreign Language (e)	3	CIS OR Liberal Arts Elective (c)	3-4
Mathematics 123 Quantitative Reasoning	3-4	TET 221 Foundations of Education	3
OR Science Elective (d)			
	12-13		12-14

Minimum Credit Hours required for certificate: **25**

NOTES: Students planning on transferring should become familiar with the particular requirements of the transfer institution as they choose electives.

- (a) **Restricted Humanities Elective:** ENG 124 Literature and Writing, **OR** COM 105 Public Speaking.
- (b) **Restricted Psychology Elective:** PSY 230 Child Development, PSY 223 Adolescent Psychology, **OR** PSY 155 Introduction to Special Education.
- (c) Students may use this elective to complete a mathematics, science, history, **OR** other liberal arts requirement that meets a transfer or career need.
- (d) MAT 123 or MAT 145 or above **OR** Science Elective.
- (e) Arts: Three credits of course work in ART or MUS (except MUS 231) **OR** Foreign Language: SPA.

Information about the Assessment of Teaching Assistant Skills (ATAS), formerly called the New York State Assessment of Teaching Assistant Skills (NYSATAS), may be accessed at <http://www.nystce.nesinc.com>

Before working in a public educational setting, prospective employees will be required to undergo a fingerprint check. Individuals with a criminal history should be aware that they may have difficulty obtaining clearance for a New York State Teaching Assistant Certificate. Students with questions in this area may want to consult an advisor or college counselor before pursuing the Teaching Assistant Program