



The Workforce Development and Education section offers an academic degree program emphasizing adult learning, career and technical education, human resource development, and workforce development policy; conducts research on topics in these areas; and provides professional development opportunities to meet the needs of individuals, organizations and government agencies. The WDE section values scholarly research and quality instruction as a means to model and improve theory and professional practice, nationally and internationally.

Licensure/Certification Programs

- Career Based Intervention Program
- Career and Technical Education Teacher Licensure Program
- School Nurse Licensure Program
- Business Education Teacher Licensure Program (with post-baccalaureate options)
- Family and Consumer Sciences Teacher Licensure Program (with post-baccalaureate options)

Undergraduate Program

B.S. in Technical Education and Training specializing in:

- Integrated Business Education Licensure
- Corporate Training and Development
- Career and Technical Education

B.S. in Family and Consumer Sciences Education

Graduate Program

M.A. in Workforce Development and Education, specializing in:

- Adult Learning and Teaching
- Human Resources and Development
- Policy Studies
- Career and Technical Teacher Education
- Family and Consumer Sciences Education
- Business Education Teacher Education

Doctoral program

Ph.D. in Workforce Development and Education, specializing in:

- Adult Learning and Teaching
- Human Resources and Development
- Policy Studies
- Career and Technical Teacher Education

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Associate of Arts Degree in General Studies

with a Specialization in
Career and
Technical Education

The Ohio State University

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About the Ohio State specialization in Career and Technical Education

Degree Requirement For Route B Career-Technical Licenses

In 2004, the office of Career-Technical and Adult Education at ODE recommended amending Chapter 3301-24-08 of the Teacher Education and Licensure Standards, Professional or Associate License Renewal. This recommendation resulted in a change regarding Route B career-technical licenses:

The second renewal of the professional career-technical license obtained pursuant to the provisions in paragraph (D)(7) of rule 3301-24-05 of the Administrative Code shall require completion of a degree applicable to the career field, classroom teaching, or area of licensure.

Implementing this change to the new licensure standards (a minimum of an associate degree from the second renewal of the professional license) will apply only to individuals who were issued their first two year provisional Route B career-technical license after the effective date of the rule revision (December 30, 2004).

Description of Route B Career-Technical Program

- The program consists of 40 quarter hours of coursework, located at OSU's Columbus campus.
- New teachers hired in the summer take a three week licensure clinic before teaching begins.
- Teachers are then mentored by a teacher educator during their first year of teaching.
- Additional courses may also be taken during the first year.
- Twenty quarter hours of coursework must be completed to renew the provisional license.
- Teachers complete the entry year and Praxis III during their third year of teaching.
 - All requirements must be completed by the end of their fourth year to be eligible for the five years professional license.

Associate of Arts in General Studies with a Specialization in Career and Technical Education 90-100 Hours of Curriculum Content

The following Career-Technical courses will be completed at Ohio State University's Columbus campus. Upon completion of these Career-Technical courses and an entry-year assessment, students will receive their 5-year professional license in Career and Technical Education.

Career-Technical Licensure Courses – 40 hours

ED PAES 668.01	Pre-Service Career Technical Teacher Licensure Clinic (6)
ED PAES 575.02	Career & Technical Teacher Licensure (2)
ED PAES 575.03	Career & Technical Teacher Licensure (2)
ED PAES 575.04	Career & Technical Teacher Licensure (2)
ED PAES 575.06	Career & Technical Teacher Licensure (1)
ED P&L 309	Psychological Perspectives on Education (5)
ED T&L 642	Teaching Reading Across the Curriculum (3)
ED PAES 650	Introduction to Exceptional Children (3)
ED PAES 667	Essentials of Career & Technical Education (3)
ED PAES 675	Measuring Student Outcomes in Career and Technical Education (3)
<i>Choose one:</i>	
ED PAES 622	Business Technology Education I (3)
ED PAES 623	Business Technology Education II (3)
ED PAES 632	Software Application for Business/ Industry Teacher and Trainers (3)

Career-Technical teachers from programs at other universities can petition to transfer Career-Technical courses.

To pursue the Associate of Arts degree, students will first complete the Career-Technical Licensure courses. In addition, the following General Education and Additional Courses will be completed at any Ohio State regional campus. At least 15 of the 90-100 credit hours must be completed on a regional campus.

General Education Courses

<i>Writing and Related Skills</i> (5 credit hours) English Composition (ENG 110.01)
<i>Quantitative and Logical Skills</i> (0-10 credit hours) Score of "R" on Math Placement Test, or completion of Math coursework through Math 075 Remedial math courses do not count toward degree requirements.
<i>Natural Sciences</i> (15 credit hours) Complete a Biological Science sequence or a Physical Science sequence and one additional course.
<i>Arts and Humanities</i> (15 credit hours) Three approved College of Education GEC Arts and Humanities courses
<i>Social Sciences</i> (15 credit hours) Three Social Science courses Economics 200, 201 and Psychology 100 recommended to fulfill this requirement

Career-Technical Licensure Courses	40
General Education Courses	50-60
Total Quarter Hours	90-100

at The Ohio State University