



Career Exploration (2) Team-Based Challenge * **Educators Rising**

Team-Based Challenge *

US Government & Politics >>

Science

Sequence

US History >>

Geometry

Algebra 2

English

Sequence

Sequence

Foreign/World Language

Pre-Calculus

Career Development Experience or Youth Apprenticeship **Educators Rising**

Team-Based Challenge **Career Development Experience** or Apprenticeship

General Education Statistics

Mathematics for Elementary

English Composition

Oral Communication

Science 📑

Psychology 🕞

Sociology 🖺

Teaching I & II

* May be offered through Career and Technical Student Organizations (CTSOs) such as Educators Rising, Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), and SkillsUSA Illinois

Science >>

Psychology >>>

Literacy Statistics

Transitional English

English Composition >>

Foreign/World Language

Pre-Calculus

Sequence (

Calculus >>

Transitional Math: Quantitive

General Education Statistics



Science Sequence



Social Science Sequence

SCIENCE

Algebra Geometry

√x MATH



English Sequence



AP or

Dual Credit

Dual

Foreign/World Language Sequence



Credit With IAI Code Course





Course/Program Prepares for

Industry Credential



with IAI Code



Earned

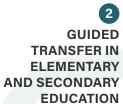


College and Career Pathway Endorsement Earned



If courses in this column were accomplished through early college credit, students should take the next required course in the sequence or, if none, additional AAS or Major Courses





K-12 Teaching

Elementary, Secondary, or Special Education AA 🕢

Bachelor of Elementary, Secondary, or **Special Education**

> **Professional Educator** License 📀



Early Childhood Education (Birth through 2nd Grade)

Early Childhood **Education AAS** (Gateways ECE Credential 4)

Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Gateways ECE Credential Level 5)



SELECTED OCCUPATIONS, WAGES, & JOB GROWTH

		Program	Typical Job	Near or Above Living Wage Threshold for 1 Adult + 1 Child ¹	Median Annual Wage ²	Growth in IL: Annual Job Openings ²	Growth in IL: % Change Over 10 years ²	Stackable?
	1	AAS Early Childhood Education	Preschool and Childcare Center/ Program Teachers, Except Special Education	N	\$29,720	2,230	10%	Typically Stacks to Bachelor's Program
			Education Administrators, Preschool and Childcare Center/Program	Y	\$50,830	250	9%	
		Paraprofessonal or Teaching Assistant	Teacher Assistants	N	\$27,310	6,090	5%	
	2	AA Elementary Education	Elementary School Teachers	Y	\$60,250	4,330	4%	Typically Stacks to Bachelor's Program
		AA Secondary Education	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	Υ	\$69,610	3,110	4%	
		AA Special Education	Special Education Teachers, Kindergarten and Elementary School	Y	\$65,190	450	3%	

1. Living wage calculations are based on: Glasmeier, Amy K. Living Wage Calculator. 2020. Massachusetts Institute of Technology: livingwage.mit.edu. As of January 2021 for the state of Illinois, the "Living Wage" for 1 Adult + 1 Child equaled \$26.27/hour and "near," defined as 85% of that statewide living wage, was \$22.33/hour. In March of 2021, the Living Wage calculator updated its calculations for Illinois, but information presented in this guide reflects the wage levels as of January 2021, when the project team conducted its analysis. 2. U.S. Department of Labor, CareerOnestop (careeronestop.org/explorecareers), Illinois Department of Employment Security Virtual Labor Market Information (ides.illinois.gov), Illinois Department of Employment Security Virtual Labor Market Information (www2.illinois.gov/ides)