Maryland's Community Colleges Program Directory: Associate of Arts in Teaching (A.A.T.)

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Introduction

Maryland's 16 community colleges all have designated transfer degree pathways that lead to initial Maryland teacher licensure/certification. The Associate of Arts in Teaching (A.A.T.) degree is an articulated transfer pathway into the corresponding undergraduate degree program in teacher education across all Maryland public and private four-year institutions with approved teacher education programs.

The A.A.T. degree is intended to fulfill the first two years of a four-year degree program. Per Code of Maryland Regulation (COMAR) 13B.02.03.24, the A.A.T. degree satisfies all lower-division teacher education program outcomes without further review from the four-year institution and may transfer up to 70 credits forward into any four-year education program into which the student has been admitted.

The directory is only listing approved A.A.T. degree options with the corresponding teacher certification grade band in Maryland. **However, the directory is not listing the Associate of Arts (A.A.) transfer degree pathways into four-year teacher education, which are available at every community college.** The A.A. transfer degree pathways represent additional PreK-12 areas of teacher certification not reflected in this directory. **All prospective community college students should contact the individuals listed throughout the directory for all admissions, advising and program information.** Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) degrees and non-degree certificate programs are available too at Maryland's community colleges.

Allegany College of Maryland

Locations: Cumberland, MD and Bedford, PA

A.A.T. Program Areas*
    Elementary Education (1-6)

*Early Childhood (PreK-3) and Secondary (7-12) programs are available in the associate of science (A.S.) program

[Allegany College of Maryland Teacher Education website](#)

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Anne Arundel Community College

Locations: Arnold & Arundel Mills

A.A.T. Program Areas
    Chemistry (grades 7-12)
    Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
    Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
    English (grades 7-12)
    Mathematics (grades 7-12)
    Physics (grades 7-12)
    Spanish (grades 7-12)

[Anne Arundel Community College Teacher Education website](#)

For all programs:
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Baltimore City Community College

Location: Liberty campus

A.A.T. Program Areas*
    Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; PreK-12)

*Early Childhood (PreK-3) and Secondary (7-12) programs are available in the associate of arts (A.A.) program

Baltimore City Community College Teacher Education website

For all programs:
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Carroll Community College

Location: Westminster

A.A.T. Program Areas
    Chemistry (grades 7-12)
    Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
    Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
    English (grades 7-12)
    Mathematics (grades 7-12)
    Spanish (grades 7-12)

Carroll Community College Teacher Education website

For early childhood education (PreK-3) programs:
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Cecil College

Locations: North East and Elkton

A.A.T. Program Areas
    Chemistry (grades 7-12)
    Early Childhood Education (PreK-3)
    Elementary Education (1-6)
    English (grades 7-12)
    Mathematics (grades 7-12)
    Physics (grades 7-12)

[Cecil College Teacher Education website](#)

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Chesapeake College

Locations: Wye Mills and Cambridge

A.A.T. Program Areas
    Chemistry (grades 7-12)
    Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
    Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
    English (grades 7-12)
    Mathematics (grades 7-12)
    Physics (grades 7-12)
    Spanish (grades 7-12)

[Chesapeake College Teacher Education website](#)

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College of Southern Maryland

Locations: LaPlata, Leonardtown, and Prince Frederick

A.A.T. Program Areas*
   Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
   Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)

*Secondary (7-12) programs are available in the associate of arts (A.A.) program

[College of Southern Maryland Teacher Education website](#)

For all programs:
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Community College of Baltimore County

Locations: Dundalk, Essex, Catonsville, Owings Mills, Hunt Valley, Randallstown

A.A.T. Program Areas
   Chemistry (grades 7-12)
   Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
   Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
   English (grades 7-12)
   Mathematics (grades 7-12)
   Physics (grades 7-12)
   Spanish (grades 7-12)

[Community College of Baltimore County Teacher Education website](#)

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Frederick Community College

Location: Frederick

A.A.T. Program Areas
   Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
   Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
   English (grades 7-12)
   Mathematics (grades 7-12)
   Spanish (grades 7-12)

Frederick Community College Teacher Education Website

For early childhood education (PreK-3) programs:
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Garrett College

Location: McHenry

A.A.T. Program Areas*
   Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
   Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)

*Secondary (7-12) programs are available in the associate of arts (A.A.) program

Garrett College Teacher Education website

For all programs:
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Hagerstown Community College

Location: Hagerstown

A.A.T. Program Areas
Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
English (grades 7-12)

[Hagerstown Community College Teacher Education website](#)

For early childhood education (PreK-3) programs:
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Harford Community College

Locations: Bel Air

A.A.T. Program Areas
Chemistry (grades 7-12)
Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
English (grades 7-12)
Mathematics (grades 7-12)
Physics (grades 7-12)
Spanish (grades 7-12)

[Harford Community College Teacher Education website](#)

For all programs:
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Howard Community College

Locations: Columbia and Laurel College Center

A.A.T. Program Areas
    Chemistry (grades 7-12)
    Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
    Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
    English (grades 7-12)
    Mathematics (grades 7-12)
    Spanish (grades 7-12)

[Howard Community College Teacher Education website](#)

For all programs:
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Montgomery College

Locations: Rockville, Germantown, and Takoma Park/Silver Spring

A.A.T. Program Areas
    Chemistry (grades 7-12)
    Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
    Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
    English (grades 7-12)
    Mathematics (grades 7-12)
    Physics (grades 7-12)
    Spanish (grades 7-12)

[Montgomery College Teacher Education website](#)

For early childhood education (PreK-3) programs:
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Prince George's Community College

Location: Largo

A.A.T. Program Areas
Chemistry (grades 7-12)
Early Childhood Education/Special Education (PreK-3; birth-grade 3)
Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; 1-8)
English (grades 7-12)
Mathematics (grades 7-12)
Physics (grades 7-12)
Spanish (grades 7-12)

Prince George's Community College Teacher Education website

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Wor-Wic Community College

Location: Salisbury

A.A.T. Program Areas*
Early Childhood Education (PreK-3)
Elementary Education/Special Education (1-6; PreK-12)

*Secondary (7-12) programs are available in the associate of arts (A.A.) program

Wor-Wic Community College Teacher Education website

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