With an associate degree in education, you will acquire knowledge of the teaching profession as well as a strong background in general education subjects required of teachers. You will also be prepared, if you choose, to transfer to a four-year institution.

By completing a Gen Ed Transfer core and your Education courses, you will also be ready to enter baccalaureate degree programs as a junior.

Degrees & Certificates Offered (Southwest Region):
Associate of Science (AS)

Typical Careers:
Substitute Teacher
Teaching Assistant
Child Care worker

POINTS OF PRIDE

- Students work in flipped classes to utilize hands-on manipulatives and project-based learning that promotes critical thinking application through cooperative groups.

- The Education program prepares students to become pre-service teachers by having them complete 20 hours of an actual real-time classroom learning practicum in the local school district, a charter school, and the local high school so that the pre-service teachers can have a wide range of experience from these schools and the grade level of their choice.

- Established onsite lab class that meets monthly on the premises where students can connect real world application to the career path of education at a local charter school.

- Established mentor program that allows students to volunteer at a local elementary school to tutor students in grades 3-6.

- T-SAP degree transfer track to four year universities.