



Moraine Valley Community College Transfer Guide  
 Bachelor of Arts in Physical Education  
 K-12 Licensure

Available at:  
 NEIU Main Campus (Chicago, IL)

**Why Choose Northeastern?**

Northeastern Illinois University is committed to providing an affordable education. That’s why our tuition and fees are among the most affordable of the Illinois public universities. We offer a **tuition guarantee program** that guarantees incoming students the same tuition rate for four years.

Northeastern offers more than 40 undergraduate degree and certificate programs, with classes on weekdays, evenings, weekends, and online. Small class sizes allow for students to pursue a more personal academic experience in one of the most ethnically diverse universities in the nation.

**Physical Education K-12 Licensure Program Description**

The Bachelor of Arts in Physical Education K-12 Licensure prepares students to be a certified teacher in the state of Illinois. The degree program covers the most up-to-date scientific and pedagogical content knowledge relevant to the daily activities of a physical education teacher. The program combines lecture-based courses with hands-on practical clinical experiences in a variety of diverse settings throughout the program. Based on these quality experiences, students will be able to teach in urban and suburban schools. Finally, the program will allow students to create, communicate and utilize unique ideas in K-12 Physical Education.

**Contact Information**

**Northeastern Illinois University Transfer Center:** Students who have questions about the program prior to admission may contact the Northeastern Illinois University Transfer Center at (773) 442-4076 or email: [TransferSteps@neiu.edu](mailto:TransferSteps@neiu.edu).

**Admission Requirements**

- Students must have earned a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or higher for all college or university course work attempted. Students must be in good academic standing at the last college or university attended.
- Required documents are: application for admission, \$30 nonrefundable application fee, and official transcripts from all colleges and universities.
- Additional Admission and application materials, including the option to apply online can be found at [www.neiu.edu/Transfer](http://www.neiu.edu/Transfer).
- Application deadlines are as follows:

| Semester Applying | Deadline to Apply | International Student Deadline to Apply |
|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| Fall              | July 15           | June 15                                 |
| Spring            | November 1        | October 1                               |
| Summer I          | April 1           | March 1                                 |
| Summer II         | May 1             | April 1                                 |

## Admission Requirements for the Daniel L Goodwin College of Education

- C or better in English 101.
- C or better in College Level Math.
- A minimum 2.5 GPA.
- A minimum 30 semester hours (this can be transfer coursework or courses taken at Northeastern).
- Background check.

## General Education Requirements

Three options are available to students who plan to complete their General Education requirements at Moraine Valley Community College.

- **Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree:** Students who transfer with an approved Illinois Community College Board (ICCB) Model Associate of Arts degree will have met Northeastern Illinois University's General Education requirements. Students who transfer with an Associate of Science degree granted December 2016 or later may need to take one additional Humanities course and one additional Social and Behavioral Sciences course to meet Northeastern's General Education requirements.
- **Completion of the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI):** Students who transfer after completing the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) will have met their General Education requirements.
- **Transfer Course Lists for Moraine Valley Community College:** Students may choose to meet their General Education requirements by selecting courses from Northeastern's Transfer Course Equivalency Guides, available at: [www.neiu.edu/Transfer](http://www.neiu.edu/Transfer). *When choosing this option, please use the following Northeastern Illinois University General Education guide:*

| Northeastern Illinois University General Education Program   |         |  |
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| The General Education Program requires <b>42-45 credit hours</b> of courses distributed among 6 areas. |         |  |
| Northeastern Illinois University Requirement   | Credits | Moraine Valley Community College Equivalent (if any)   |
| <b>Math / Quantitative Reasoning – MATH 112</b><br>Statistics in Daily Life (3 hours)                  | 3       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>MTH 139</b> Probability and Statistics</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Social / Behavioral Sciences</b><br>3 courses (9 hours)   | 9       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No more than two courses from the same department may be used.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Natural Sciences</b><br>3 courses (9 hours)   | 9       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No more than two courses from the same department may be used.</li> <li>• One course must be a lab course.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Fine Arts</b><br>2 courses (6 hours)  | 6       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No more than one course from the same department may be used.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Humanities</b><br>3 courses (9 hours)   | 9       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>COM 108</b> Speech Fundamentals</li> <li>• No more than two courses from the same department may be used.</li> <li>• No more than two foreign language courses may be used to fulfill this requirement.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Non-General Education University Requirements</b><br>(6-9 hours)                                    | 6-9     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>COM 101</b> Composition I with a grade of "C" or better.</li> <li>• <b>COM 102</b> Composition II with a grade of "C" or better.</li> <li>• Improving Human Relations requirement will be met through one of many general education courses. Please see the <a href="#">Moraine Valley Transfer Course Equivalency Guide</a> to find courses meeting Human Relations.</li> </ul> |

## Degree Plan\*

| D: Degree<br>GECC: General<br>Education Core<br>Curriculum  |      | Semester-by-Semester Program Plan for Full-Time Students |                         |                             |  |
|---|------|--|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| <i>*All plans can be modified to fit the needs of part-time students by adding additional semesters</i> |      |  |                         |                             |  |
| D   | GECC | Semester 1   | Moraine Valley Category | NEIU Category               | Next Actions   |
| •   | •    | COM 101 – Composition I (3)                              | Communication           | Writing Requirement         | <b>DO THIS</b> – Meet with advisor to discuss academic goals and plan coursework   |
| •   | •    | Social Science Course (3)                                | Social Science          | General Education           |  |
| •   | •    | Fine Arts Course (3)                                     | Fine Arts               | General Education           |  |
| •   | •    | Humanities Course (3)                                    | Humanities              | General Education           |  |
| •   |      | Elective Course (3)                                      | Elective                | Elective                    |  |
| <b>15 Credit Hours</b>  |      |  |                         |                             | <b>DO THIS</b> – Visit your campus Advising Center   |
| D   | GECC | Semester 2   | Moraine Valley Category | NEIU Category               | Next Actions   |
| •   | •    | COM 102 – Composition II (3)                             | Communication           | Elective                    | <b>DO THIS</b> – Mid-term check-in with advisor<br><br><b>DO THIS</b> – <a href="#">Apply</a> to NEIU's Guaranteed Admission Program (GAP)                                       |
| •   | •    | Life Science or Physical Science Course (4)              | Life/Physical Science   | General Education           |  |
| •   | •    | MTH 139 – Probability and Statistics (4)                 | Mathematics             | Math/Quantitative Reasoning |  |
| •   | •    | COM 108 – Speech Fundamentals (3)                        | Communication           | General Education           |  |
| •   |      | Elective Course (3)                                      | Elective                | Elective                    |  |
| <b>17 Credit Hours</b>  |      |  |                         |                             |  |
| D   | GECC | Semester 3   | Moraine Valley Category | NEIU Category               | Next Actions   |
| •   | •    | Life Science or Physical Science Course (4)              | Life/Physical Science   | General Education           | <b>DO THIS</b> – Mid-term check-in with advisor<br><b>DO THIS</b> – Begin seeking additional four-year funding<br><b>DO THIS</b> – <a href="#">Apply for admission</a> to NEIU   |
| •   | •    | Social Science Course (3)                                | Social Science          | General Education           |  |
| •   | •    | Humanities or Fine Arts Course (3)                       | Humanities/Fine Arts    | General Education           |  |
| •   |      | Elective Course (3)                                      | Elective                | Elective                    |  |
| •   |      | Elective Course (3)                                      | Elective                | Elective                    |  |
| <b>16 Credit Hours</b>  |      |  |                         |                             |  |
| D   | GECC | Semester 4   | Moraine Valley Category | NEIU Category               | Next Actions   |
| •   | •    | Social Science Course (3)                                | Social Science          | General Education           | <b>DO THIS</b> – Petition to graduate<br><br><b>COMPLETION</b> of Associate of Arts Degree<br><br><b>DO THIS</b> – <a href="#">Register for NEIU orientation</a> (once admitted) |
| •   |      | Elective Course (3)                                      | Elective                | Elective                    |  |
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| <b>15 Credit Hours</b>  |      |  |                         |                             |  |
| <b>MINIMUM TOTAL AA CREDIT HOURS: 62</b>  |      |  |                         |                             |  |
| <b>WRITTEN DEGREE PLAN CREDIT RANGE: 63</b>   |      |  |                         |                             |  |

**Note:**

- All students who earn an Associate of Arts Degree from Moraine Valley Community College enter Northeastern with 64 hours of transfer credit, even if they earned less than 64 credit hours. See the [NEIU Transfer Policy](#) for further information.
- MTH 139 Probability and Statistics is required for Physical Education K-12 major students.

| <b>Northeastern Illinois University</b>  |   |   |
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| Semester 5   | NEIU Category                           | Next Actions  |
| PEMT 201 Intro to Principles and Methods in PE (3)   | Major Requirement                       | <b>DO THIS</b> – Meet with your advisor   |
| PEMT 203 Fitness Education (3)   | Major Requirement                       |   |
| PEMT 276 Team Sports (3)   | Major Requirement                       |   |
| EDFN 306 Education and Individual Differences (3)  | Major Requirement<br>ELE-X Requirement  |   |
| <b>12 Credit Hours</b>   |   |   |
| Semester 6   | NEIU Category                           | Next Actions  |
| PEMT 305 Functional and Structural Human Anatomy (3)   | Major Requirement                       | <b>DO THIS</b> – Meet with your advisor   |
| PEMT 251 Fundamentals of Rhythms (3)   | Major Requirement                       |   |
| PEMT 303 Adapted Physical Education and Recreation (3)   | Major Requirement                       |   |
| PEMT 307 Assessment in Physical Education (3)  | Major Requirement                       |   |
| PEMT 231 Individual Dual Sports (3)  | Major Requirement                       |   |
| <b>15 Credit Hours</b>   |   |   |
| Semester 7   | NEIU Category                           | Next Actions  |
| PEMT 302 Kinesiology (3)   | Major Requirement                       | <b>DO THIS</b> – Meet with your advisor   |
| PEMT 306 Exercise Physiology (3)   | Major Requirement                       |   |
| PEMT 341 Physical Education Curriculum Design (3)  | Major Requirement                       |   |
| PEMT 343 Foundations of Physical Education for Elementary Schools (3)                                  | Major Requirement                       |   |
| <b>12 Credit Hours</b>   |   |   |
| Semester 8   | NEIU Category                           | Next Actions  |
| HSCI 315 WIP: Writing in the Health Sciences and Physical Education (3)                                | Major Requirement<br>WIP Requirement    | <b>DO THIS</b> – Meet with your advisor   |
| PEMT 300 Adventure Education (3)   | Major Requirement                       |   |
| PEMT 344 Foundations of Physical Education for Middle High Schools (3)                                 | Major Requirement                       |   |
| EDFN 307 Psychology of Instruction and Learning (3)  | Major Requirement                       |   |
| <b>12 Credit Hours</b>   |   |   |
| Semester 9   | NEIU Category                           | Next Actions  |
| PEMT 308 Motor Skill Behavior (3)  | Major Requirement                       | <b>DO THIS</b> – Meet with your advisor<br><b>DO THIS</b> – Meet with Career Services for career counseling |
| PEMT 310 Socio-Cultural Influences on Physical Activity (3)  | Major Requirement<br>ELE-X Requirement  |   |
| PEMT 355 Physical Education Clinical Experience (3)  | Major Requirement<br>ELE-DS Requirement |   |
| <b>9 Credit Hours</b>  |   |   |
| Semester 10  | NEIU Category                           | Next Actions  |
| SCED 305P Secondary Student Teaching and Seminar in Physical Education (12)                            | Major Requirement<br>ELE-DS Requirement | <b>COMPLETION</b> of Bachelor of Arts Degree  |
| <b>12 Credit Hours</b>   |   |   |
| <b>BACHELOR'S DEGREE MINIMUM TOTAL: 136 CREDIT HOURS</b>   |   |   |

## Tuition, Financial Aid and Scholarships

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For information about financing your education at Northeastern, including Financial Aid and Scholarship opportunities, please see our website: <http://neiu.edu/financial-aid/>. You may also contact our Financial Aid Office directly at (773) 442-5016 or email [Financial-Aid@neiu.edu](mailto:Financial-Aid@neiu.edu). If you are completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), Northeastern's federal School code is **001693**.

**Provost and Deans Merit Scholarships for TRANSFER students\*:**

| Scholarship   | Amount Awarded | Credit Hour Requirement | GPA Requirement | Residency Requirement | NEIU Enrollment Requirement  |
|---------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Provost Merit | \$2,000        | 60+ credit hours        | 3.50 GPA        | Illinois Residency    | Full-Time (12+ credit hours) |
| Deans Merit   | \$1,000        | 60+ credit hours        | 3.0 GPA         | Illinois Residency    | Full-Time (12+ credit hours) |

*Until all of the scholarships are awarded, students who meet these qualifications will automatically be considered for the Provost and Deans Merit Scholarships at the time of applying for admission to Northeastern. Completing an additional application is not necessary. The Office of Scholarships may be reached at (773) 442-4606 or [scholarships@neiu.edu](mailto:scholarships@neiu.edu).*