**Success Marker Courses**  
*Data derived from ODU’s EAB partnership.*

The majority of students who successfully graduated with the Bachelor of Arts degree earned the following grades or higher in the identified semesters:

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<th>COURSE</th>
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<tr>
<td>ENGL 110C</td>
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<td>MATH 302</td>
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Minimum requirements for admission to the program:
— Students must earn a grade of C or better in ENGL 110C; additional requirements needed for Teacher Education.

**Areas of Employment:**
Primary/Elementary Education  
Middle School Education  
Special Education

**Parallel Plans (areas of study) for those interested in this major are:**
Human Services  
Interdisciplinary Studies (Non-Teach)  
English  
Psychology  
History  
Physical Education  
Criminal Justice  
Speech Pathology/Audiology  
Communication  
Sociology  
Occupational/Tech Studies

**Salaries (based upon national data)**

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<th>Experience</th>
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<td>Less than 1 year</td>
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<td>5-9 years</td>
<td>$43,708</td>
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<td>10-19 years</td>
<td>$50,136</td>
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<td>20 years or more</td>
<td>$57,960</td>
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Currency: USD | Updated 8 August 2015 | Individuals Reporting: 13,864  
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Students admitted to the interdisciplinary studies program can be expected to complete course requirements, which necessitate the physical and mental abilities listed below. Any student who thinks he or she does not possess one or more of the following skills should seek assistance from an academic counselor or faculty advisor and Educational Accessibility concerning any flexibility in program requirements and possible accommodation through technical aids and assistance.

1. Assimilate large amounts of material communicated through lectures, discussions, readings, and library resources.
2. Understand and apply abstract concepts.
3. Communicate effectively and organize thoughts to prepare written documents that are correct in style, grammar and mechanics.
4. Work independently to formulate a degree program.
5. Meet the technical standards established by those departments in which the concentration area is taken.
6. Students in the B.A. program must achieve at least an intermediate level of competence in a foreign language.

**IMPORTANT RESOURCES**

**Academic Enhancement**
- [https://www.odu.edu/academicenhancement](https://www.odu.edu/academicenhancement)
- Student Success Center
- 757-683-3699 (Information Desk)
- [sscdesk@odu.edu](mailto:sscdesk@odu.edu)
- **Academic Coaching**
  - [https://www.odu.edu/success/academic/coaching](https://www.odu.edu/success/academic/coaching)
- **Peer Educator Program**
  - [https://www.odu.edu/peereducator](https://www.odu.edu/peereducator)
- **Student Support Services**
  - [http://uc.odu.edu/sss/](http://uc.odu.edu/sss/)
- **University Testing Center**
  - [https://www.odu.edu/testing-center](https://www.odu.edu/testing-center)
- **Upward Bound**
  - [https://www.odu.edu/partnerships/community/programs/upwardbound](https://www.odu.edu/partnerships/community/programs/upwardbound)
- **Writing for College Success**
  - [https://www.odu.edu/academicskills](https://www.odu.edu/academicskills)

**Advising and Transfer Programs**
- [https://www.odu.edu/advisingprograms](https://www.odu.edu/advisingprograms)
- 757-683-3699 (office); [advisor@odu.edu](mailto:advisor@odu.edu)

**Career Management Center**
- [https://www.odu.edu/cmc](https://www.odu.edu/cmc)
- 757-683-4388 (office); 800-937-6381 (cell)
- [cmc@odu.edu](mailto:cmc@odu.edu)

**Center for Major Exploration**
- [https://www.odu.edu/success/academic/majorexploration](https://www.odu.edu/success/academic/majorexploration)
- 757-683-4805 (office); [cme@odu.edu](mailto:cme@odu.edu)

**Counseling Services, Office of**
- [https://www.odu.edu/counselingservices](https://www.odu.edu/counselingservices)
- 757-683-4401 (office)

**Education Accessibility, Office of**
- [https://www.odu.edu/educationalaccessibility](https://www.odu.edu/educationalaccessibility)
- 757-683-4655 (office)

**Financial Aid, Office of**
- [https://www.odu.edu/finaidoffice](https://www.odu.edu/finaidoffice)
- 757-683-3683 (office)

**Math and Science Resource Center**
- [http://sci.odu.edu/msrc/](http://sci.odu.edu/msrc/)
- Math + Psych Tutoring
  - Library: 1312
- Chemistry Tutoring
  - OSPNS: 146
- 757-683-6776
- [msrc@odu.edu](mailto:msrc@odu.edu)

**Writing Center**
- [http://al.odu.edu/writingcenter/](http://al.odu.edu/writingcenter/)
- Room 1307 of the Learning Commons in Perry Library
- 757-683-4013