Associate of Science in Teaching Degree Checklist

1. Successfully complete course requirements (http://catalog.mssc.edu/preview_program.php?catoid=12&poid=1474&returnto=750)
2. Earn a final cumulative collegiate G.P.A. of 2.75.
3. In consultation with your advisor, complete an Intent to Graduate form and submit it to the Admissions & Records Office by November 1 of your sophomore year.
4. Order your cap and gown through the Admissions & Records Office.
5. By April 1 prior to graduation:
   1. Pass the Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators (CASE) exam with scores greater than or equal to 156 in Reading, 162 in Writing, and 150 in Mathematics. Students who enter Motlow College with a composite ACT score of 22 or greater are exempt from this requirement.
   2. Please note: It may take 3 to 6 weeks to receive the scores, so please test early. This will also allow time for retakes, if necessary. Your first attempt at the Praxis should occur no later than fall term of your sophomore year. Students should have PRAXIS scores sent to both Motlow College and the University to which they plan to transfer.
6. By April 1 of your sophomore year, have three people complete the disposition forms (www.mssc.edu/forms)
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   1. You should ask two Motlow instructors and one teacher teaching in elementary, middle school, or high school with whom you have worked as part of a class assignment in an Education course to complete this form for you. They should return it directly to the address on the form.
   Copperweld Arena on the Moore County Campus.

PROGRAM INFO
The Associate of Science in Teaching transfers into any elementary licensure teaching program in the Tennessee Board of Regents system.

Students who plan to enter the 2+2 with TTU should also complete the process for entering the Tennessee Technological University 2 + 2 Teacher Education Program outlined on the following TTU website:
https://www.tntech.edu/education/2plus2/

Students who plan to enter the 2+2 with MTSU should complete the process for entering the Middle Tennessee State University 2 + 2 Teacher Education Program on the following MTSU websites:

Checklist:
http://www.mtsu.edu/2plus2/first_steps.php

Admission to Teacher Ed:
http://www.mtsu.edu/elementary/