

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION Grades K- 6
Effective: Fall 2019

Graduates of the Elementary Education Program will be prepared to demonstrate acquired knowledge, skills, and dispositions associated with child development and learning:

- provide equitable treatment to diverse student populations;
- plan and implement developmentally appropriate curriculum that includes interdisciplinary units with technology;
- incorporate prevailing theories of teaching and learning into their practice;
- align instruction with assessment;
- adjust teaching practices based on authentic/informal and formal assessments; demonstrate awareness of culture and context on behavior; and foster students' self-esteem and respect for learning.

Freshman Fall Semester					Freshman Spring Semester				
Course	Course Name	Sem	Cr	Gr	Course	Course Name	Sem	Cr	Gr
EDUC-191	University Seminar I		1		EDUC-192	University Seminar II		1	
ENGL-101	English Comp I		3		ENGL-102	English Comp II		3	
MVSC-101	Lifetime Fitness & Wellness		2		MTSC 202	Math for Teachers II		3	
____-101	Foreign Language I		3		EDUC 205	Child Growth & Development		3	
MTSC 201	Math for Teachers I		3		ART 101 Or MUSC101	Art Education Theory and Practice Or Integrated Music in the Elementary School Curr.		3	
BIOL101 or BIOL105 or BIOL 110	General Biology or Basic Ecology or Essential Topics in Biology (spring only)		4		PSYC 201	General Psychology		3	
			Total Credits	16				Total Credits	16
Sophomore Fall Semester					Sophomore Spring Semester				
Course	Course Name	Sem	Cr	Gr	Course	Course Name	Sem	Cr	Gr
ENGL-205	African American Lit 1 OR		3		PSED 207	Earth/Space Science		3	
EDUC 204	Philo. Found. of Education		3		GEOG-201	World Regional Geography		3	
MTSC 205	Math for Teachers III		3		HIS 202	American History from 1865		3	
HIST 201	American History to 1865		3		EDUC-313	Intro to the Educ. of Children w/Excep. Needs		3	
EDUC 315	Parents, Families & Community Partnership		3		EDUC-344	Instructional Technology		3	
			Total Credits	15	ENGL 200	Speech		3	
			Total Credits	15				Total Credits	18
Junior Fall Semester					Junior Spring Semester				
Course	Course Name	Sem	Cr	Gr	Course	Course Name	Sem	Cr	Gr
PSED 201	Physical Science Survey		3		EDUC 303	Methods of Teaching Social Studies Elementary/ Middle School		3	
EDUC 318/ GLOB 395	Multicultural Educ/ Global Societies #		3		EDUC 335	Developing Reading in Elem School (K-6)		3	
EDUC 321	Diagnostic Assessment & IEP Development		3		EDUC 346	Behavior Analysis and Modification		3	
DUC 306	Methods of Teaching Math Elementary/ ML		3		EDUC 340	Integrating Children's Lit. through Lang. Arts		3	
EDUC 305	Language and Literacy Development		3		EDUC 257	Motor Development/ Movement Education for Young Children		3	
			Total Credits	15	EDUC 311	Curriculum and Instructional Methods for Teaching Children with Exceptional Needs, K-12		3	
			Total Credits	15				Total Credits	18

Senior Fall Semester					Senior Spring Semester				
Course	Course Name	Sem	Cr	Gr	Course	Course Name	Sem	Cr	Gr
EDUC 416	Analysis of Student Teaching		1		EDUC 400	Student Teaching**		12	
EDUC 423	Assessment Strategies		3						
EDUC 324	Integrating the Diagnostic Teaching of Literacy into Classroom Instruction, K-12		3						
EDUC 331A	Methods of Teaching Science in Elementary/ Middle Level		3						
+EDUC 357	Effective Teaching Strategies Classroom Management (with Student Teaching I only)		4						
			Total Credits	14				Total Credits	12

+ EDUC 357 must be taken with EDUC 416 during Student Teaching I. Students must apply for the Teacher Education Program by the end of the sophomore year and pass Praxis II before student teaching.

Education Majors must take EDUC 318 Multicultural Education.

There is no concentration for this major.

Non-courses requirements for the major: Minimum GPA 2.5, Praxis I/Core scores: Reading – 156, Writing – 162, Mathematics – 150.

Major courses:

Subject Code	Course Number	Course Name	Number of Credits
EDUC	191	University Seminar I for Education Majors	1
EDUC	192	University Seminar II for Education Majors	1
EDUC	204	Philosophical Foundations of Education	3
EDUC	205	Child Growth & Development	3
EDUC	303	Methods of Teaching Social Studies Elementary/Middle School	3
EDUC	306	Methods of Teaching Mathematics Elementary/Middle School	3
EDUC	313	Intro to Education of Children w/ Exceptional Needs	3
EDUC	315	Parents, Families, & Community Partnerships	3
EDUC	318	Multicultural Education	3
EDUC	321	Diagnostic Assessment & IEP Development	3
EDUC	324	Integrating Diagnostic Teaching of Literacy into K-12 Classroom Instruction	3
EDUC	325	Language & Literacy Development	3
EDUC	331A	Methods of Teaching Science Elementary/Middle School	3
EDUC	335	Developing Reading in Elementary Schools (K-6)	3
EDUC	340	Integrating Children's Literature Through Language Arts	3
EDUC	344	Instructional Technology in Education	3
EDUC	346	Behavioral Analysis & Modification	3
EDUC	357	Effective Teaching Strategies/ Classroom Management	4
EDUC	400	Student Teaching	12
EDUC	416	Analysis of Student Teaching	1
EDUC	423	Assessment Strategies	3
PSED	201	Physical Science Survey	3
PSED	207	Earth/Space Science	3

General Education Breadth courses:

Breadth Area	Any Approved Course or list course/courses
Literature (three credits)	ENGL 201, ENGL 202, ENGL 205

History (three credits)	HIST 202
Mathematics (three or four credits)	MTSC 201, MTSC 202, MTSC205
Natural Science with Laboratory (three or four credits)	PSED 207, BIOL 101, BIOL 105, BIOL 110
Social Science (three credits)	GEOG 201, PSYC 201
Arts/Humanities (two three-credit courses)	ART 101, MUSC 101

Across-the-Curriculum (A-t-C)

Program/Major		Elementary Education
Concentration (if applicable)		
Effective Date		Fall 2017
A-t-C Outcome	Course(s)	Course Name(s)
Reading	EDUC 204 EDUC 335	Philosophical Foundations of Education Dev'tl Reading Practicum Elem Schools (K-8)
Writing Intensive or Writing in Major (outside Capstone)	EDUC 423	Assessment Strategies
Speaking – Oral Communication – Presentation	EDUC 204 EDUC 335	Philosophical Foundations of Education Dev'tl Reading Practicum Elem Schools (K-8)
Speaking – Oral Communication – Discussion	EDUC 204 EDUC 335	Philosophical Foundations of Education Dev'tl Reading Practicum Elem Schools (K-8)
Listening	EDUC 204 EDUC 335	Philosophical Foundations of Education Dev'tl Reading Practicum Elem Schools (K-8)
Computer Competency	EDUC 344	Instructional Technology in Education
Information Literacy	EDUC 204	Philosophical Foundations of Education
Critical Thinking/Problem Solving	EDUC 357	Effective Teaching Strategies & Classroom Management
Quantitative Reasoning	MTSC 202, 205 EDUC 306	Math II, III for Teachers Methods of Teaching Math Elementary/Mid Level
Multicultural 6 credits (choose two)	Foreign Language I AND Foreign Language II	Foreign Language I AND Foreign Language II
African American Experience	ENGL 205	African American Literature I
Self-Evaluation	EDUC 204	Philosophical Foundations of Education
Wellness	PSYC 201	Introduction to Psychology
Global Issues	GEOG 201	World Regional Geography