CUNICAL PRACTICE AND CENTINAR

EDUCATION -ELEMENTARY EDUCATION, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Candidates completing the elementary education program are eligible for initial teacher certification and endorsement to teach in K-6 classrooms. The program of study is divided into five areas: General Education, Professional Education Sequence, Related Content Courses, Elementary Professional requirements, and a concentration area. The concentrations enhance the knowledge, skills, and marketability of the prospective teacher.

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Requirements

Courses Required for Major (Core Curriculum)

Title

Related Conten	t Courses	
Candidates must content courses:	complete coursework in the following related	
MTCH 2000	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS I	3
MTCH 2010	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS II	3
Professional Ed	ucation Sequence	
TED 2100	EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS	3
TED 2200	HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS	3
TED 2300	HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING	3
TED 2400	PLANNING FOR EFFECTIVE TEACHING	6
Elementary Pro	fessional Requirements	
	egree or teaching endorsement must complete nentary Professional requirements:	
SPED 3800	DIFFERENTIATION AND INCLUSIVE PRACTICES	3
HEKI 2400	HEALTH ED. & PHYSICAL ED. FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER	3
TED 2360	CHILDREN'S LITERATURE	3
TED 3350	TEACHING AND ASSESSING READING IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS	6
TED 4310	ASSESSMENT AND CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT FOR THE ELEMENTARY TEACHER	3
TED 4320	TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 4330	TEACHING OF MATHEMATICS: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 4340	TEACHING OF SCIENCE: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 4350	TEACHING OF READING AND LANGUAGE ARTS	6

TED 4600	CLINICAL PRACTICE AND SEMINAR:	12
	ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY LEVEL	
Concentration Area		

ED 4600

Credits

Select a concentration area 12-17

Optional Endorsement

A candidate in elementary education may elect to complete an additional endorsement program, instead of or in addition to a concentration.

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Candidates must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher in order to be eligible for clinical practice.

English as a Second Language Concentration

Code	Title	Credits
TED 2050	INTRODUCTION TO TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	3
TED 2060	EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL LITERACY	3
TED 3050	FOUNDATIONS OF TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL)	3
TED 4120	READING & WRITING IN ELEMENTARY CONTENT AREAS	3
Total Credits		12

Family and Community (non-certification education antian)

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C	ode	Title	Credits
	ntroduction to Pro sumulative GPA rec	fessional Education Core (2.5 quired)	45
	TED 2100	EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS	
	TED 2200	HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS	
	TED 2300	HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING	
	or PSYC 3520	CHILD PSYCHOLOGY	
	TED 2500	DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP	
	TED 2050	INTRODUCTION TO TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	
	TED 2060	EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL LITERACY	
	TED 2360	CHILDREN'S LITERATURE	
	TED 2250	INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	
	TED 2310	FAMILY-CENTERED PARTNERSHIPS	
	TED 2350	PLAY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD INCLUSIVE EDUCATION	
	SPED 1500	INTRODUCTION TO SPECIAL EDUCATION	
	SPED 4010	MENTAL HEALTH IN SCHOOLS: RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS	

SPED 4800	SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH	
or COUN 2020	INTRODUCTION TO COUNSELING THEORY AND PSYCHOTHERAPY	
TED 4700	EDUCATION CAPSTONE	
Family and Commu	nity Concentration	
Select five from the fo	llowing:	15
COUN 2020	INTRODUCTION TO COUNSELING THEORY AND PSYCHOTHERAPY	
HEKI 2400	HEALTH ED. & PHYSICAL ED. FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER	
HEKI 3090	APPLIED NUTRITION	
PHHB 3310	INJURY PREVENTION IN PUBLIC HEALTH	
PHHB 4650	GLOBAL HEALTH	
ACCT 2000	ACCOUNTING BASICS FOR NON- BUSINESS MAJORS	
CMST 2010	INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION	
or CMST 2410	SMALL GROUP COMMUNICATION AND LEADERSHIP	
CMST 4150	CORPORATE TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT	
CMST 4160	COMMUNICATION FOR INSTRUCTIONAL SETTINGS	
SOWK 1500	SOCIAL WORK AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT	
PA 3500	NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND MANAGEMENT	

Inclusive Practices Concentration

Total Credits

Code	Title	Credits
SPED 4010	MENTAL HEALTH IN SCHOOLS: RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS	3
SPED 4150	READING AND WRITING INSTRUCTION FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES	3
SPED 4710	INTERACTIONS AND COLLABORATION	3
SPED 4810	BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS	3
Total Credits		12

School Librarian Concentration

Code	Title	Credits
TED 2060	EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL LITERACY	3
TED 2160	INTRODUCTION TO LIBRARY SERVICES	3
TED 2500	DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP	3
TED 4660	YOUNG ADULT LITERATURE	3
Total Credits		12

STEM Concentration

Code	Title	Credits
BIOL 1020	PRINCIPLES OF BIOLOGY	4
Select one of the follo	owing sets of lab courses:	4-5
CHEM 1140 & CHEM 1144	FUNDAMENTALS OF COLLEGE CHEMISTRY and FUNDAMENTALS OF COLLEGE CHEMISTRY LABORATORY	

CHEM 1010 & CHEM 1014	CHEMISTRY IN THE ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY and CHEMISTRY IN THE ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY LABORATORY	
Select one of the follo	wing sets of lab courses:	4
TED 2800	SCIENCE EXPERIMENTATION AND ENGINEERING DESIGN	
PHYS 1030 & PHYS 1034	PHYSICS OF EVERYDAY LIFE and PHYSICS OF EVERYDAY LIFE LABORATORY	
PHYS 1350 & PHYS 1354	PRINCIPLES OF ASTRONOMY and INTRODUCTORY ASTRONOMY LAB	
Select one of the follo	wing:	3
GEOL 1010	ENVIRONMENTAL GEOLOGY	
GEOL 1100	EARTH SYSTEM SCIENCE	
Total Credits		15-16

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Early Childhood

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Code	Title	Credits
TED 2250	INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3
TED 2310	FAMILY-CENTERED PARTNERSHIPS	3
TED 2370	THE CREATIVE ARTS IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3
TED 4250	GUIDANCE OF YOUNG CHILDREN	3
TED 4260	LANGUAGE AND LITERACY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3
TED 4290	INQUIRY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS EDUCATION	3
TED 4220	FINAL PRACTICUM IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3
Total Credits		21

Deaf/Hard of Hearing

Code	Title	Credits
SPED 1500	INTRODUCTION TO SPECIAL EDUCATION	3
SPED 1110	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE I	3
SPED 1114	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE I LAB	1
SPED 1120	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE II	3
SPED 1124	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE II LAB	1
SPED 2110	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE III	3
SPED 2114	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE III LAB	1
SPED 2120	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE IV	3
SPED 2124	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE IV LAB	1
SPED 2200	DEAF STUDIES	3

Credits

Total Credits		62
SPED 4810	BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS	3
SPED 4720	CLINICAL PRACTICE IN SPECIAL EDUCATION	12
SPED 4710	INTERACTIONS AND COLLABORATION	3
CDIS 4370	BASIC AUDIOLOGY	3
SPED 4350	TEACHING CONTENT SUBJECTS TO DEAF/HARD OF HEARING	4
SPED 4330	AURAL REHABILITATION	3
SPED 4240	TEACHING/INTERPRETING LANGUAGE TO DEAF/HARD OF HEARING	5
SPED 4150	READING AND WRITING INSTRUCTION FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES	3
SPED 3114	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE V LAB	1
SPED 3110	AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE V	3

SPED 4720 Competency in sign language is required for student teaching.

English as a Second Language

Code	Title	Credits
TED 2050	INTRODUCTION TO TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	3
TED 2060	EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL LITERACY	3
TED 3050	FOUNDATIONS OF TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL)	3
TED 4120	READING & WRITING IN ELEMENTARY CONTENT AREAS	3
TED 4000	SPECIAL METHODS IN THE CONTENT AREA	3
Total Credits		15

Special Education

Code	Title	Credits
SPED 1500	INTRODUCTION TO SPECIAL EDUCATION	3
SPED 2300	SPECIAL EDUCATION LAW & INDIVIDUAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS	3
SPED 3020	DATA COLLECTION TECHNIQUE: ROLE IN TEACHING LEARNING PROCESS	3
SPED 4000	PRACTICUM IN SPECIAL EDUCATION	3
SPED/COUN 4010	MENTAL HEALTH IN SCHOOLS: RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS	3
SPED 4150	READING AND WRITING INSTRUCTION FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES	3
SPED 4230	LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT AND DISORDERS FOR TEACHERS	3
SPED 4640	METHODS AND MATERIALS IN SPECIAL EDUCATION	3
SPED 4700	CLINICAL PRACTICE IN SPECIAL EDUCATION	6
SPED 4710	INTERACTIONS AND COLLABORATION	3
SPED 4810	BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS	3
Total Credits		36

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English as a Second Language

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Fall

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ENGL 1150	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
MATH 1120 or MATH 1300	INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL THINKING or COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT	3
CMST 1110	PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS	3
Social Science		3
Natural/Physical Sc	ience	3
Attend Welcome	Week events; other campus events	
Advising appoint	ment for spring: Sept Oct.	
approved math (), ENGL 1160, CMST 1110 or 2120, and Quantitative Literacy) course should be d in the first academic year	
	Credits	15
Spring		
ENGL 1160	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3
Natural/Physical Sc	ience with Lab	4-5
Social Science		3
Humanities and Fin	e Arts	3
Humanities and Fin		3
	2.5+ NU GPA (by end of summer courses) in TED 2100 & TED 2200 for fall semester	
Advising appoint	ment for fall: February - March	
Join a student or	ganization	
Make a plan to to	ake the Praxis Core	
	Credits	16-17
Sophomore		
Fall		
TED 2100	EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS	3
TED 2200	HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS	3
TED 2050	INTRODUCTION TO TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	3
Social Science		3
Humanities and Fine	e Arts with Global Diversity	3
Elective for Degree		2
Advising appoint	ment for spring: Sept Oct.	
Apply to Educato	r Preparation Program October 1 deadline	
Identify profession resume developm	onal organization to get involved with. Begin nent.	
	Credits	17
Spring		
TED 2300	HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING	3
	HOWAIT GROWTH AND ELARITING	5
MTCH 2000	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY	3

TEACHERS I

CHILDREN'S LITERATURE

TED 2360

	Credits	12
Apply for gradua		
TED 4600	CLINICAL PRACTICE AND SEMINAR: ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY LEVEL	12
Spring		
	Credits	15
	actice at beginning of fall term.	
	ment for spring: Sept Oct.	
Take Praxis II- EEC	PRACTICES CIA #5017	
SPED 3800	LANGUAGE ARTS DIFFERENTIATION AND INCLUSIVE	3
TED 4350	TEACHING OF READING AND	6
TED 4320	TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES:	3
Fall TED 4310	ASSESSMENT AND CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT FOR THE ELEMENTARY TEACHER	3
Senior	Credits	15
Advising appoint	ment for fall: February - March	45
Content Area		
Summer optional	- TED 4120 Reading & Writing in Elementary	
TED 4120	READING & WRITING IN ELEMENTARY CONTENT AREAS	3
TED 4340	TEACHING OF SCIENCE: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 4330	TEACHING OF MATHEMATICS: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 3350	TEACHING AND ASSESSING READING IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS	6
Spring		
Program.	Credits	15
·	AXIS Core by January 10th and have 2.75 A to progress in Educator Preparation	
	ment for spring: Sept Oct.	
Elective for Degree		3
HEKI 2400	HEALTH ED. & PHYSICAL ED. FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER	3
MTCH 2010	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS II	3
TED 2400	PLANNING FOR EFFECTIVE TEACHING	6
Junior Fall	5.04.10	
Advising appoint	Credits	15
Advising appoint	AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL) ment for fall: February - March	
TED 3050	FOUNDATIONS OF TEACHING ENGLISH	3

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Additional Information About this Plan:

University Degree Requirements: The minimum number of hours for a UNO undergraduate degree is 120 credit hours. Please review the requirements for your specific program to determine all requirements for the program. In order to graduate on-time (four years for an undergraduate degree), you need to take 30 hours each year. Information based on 2023-2024 University of Nebraska at Omaha undergraduate catalog.

Placement Exams: For Math, English, Foreign Language, a placement exam may be required. More information on these exams can be found at https://www.unomaha.edu/enrollment-management/testing-center/ placement-exams/information.php

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GPA Requirements:

2.5 minimum GPA to remain in College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences, 2.5 minimum GPA to apply to Educator Preparation Program, 2.75 minimum GPA to progress in Educator Preparation Program

Professional education course: a grade of C or higher is required to pass the class

Graduation Requirements: 2.75 minimum NU GPA

Family and Community (non-certification education option)

Freshman

Fall

SPED 1500

TED 2100

Fall		Credits
ENGL 1150	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
CMST 1110	PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS	3
or CMST 2120	or ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE	
MATH 1300	COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT	3-4
or MATH 1530	or INTRODUCTION TO APPLIED	
or MATH 1120 or MATH 1130	PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS or INTRODUCTION TO	
OF MAIN 1130	MATHEMATICAL AND	
	COMPUTATIONAL THINKING	
	or QUANTITATIVE LITERACY	
Social Science		3
Humanities and Fine	Arts	3
Attend welcome ev	ents; other campus events	
Advising appointm	ent for spring: Sept Oct.	
	Credits	15-16
Spring	Credits	15-16
Spring ENGL 1160	Credits ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	15-16
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ENGL 1160	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD	3
ENGL 1160 TED 2250	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3
ENGL 1160 TED 2250 Social Science	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3 3
ENGL 1160 TED 2250 Social Science Natural/Physical Science Global Diversity	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	3 3 4
ENGL 1160 TED 2250 Social Science Natural/Physical Science Global Diversity	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION nce with Lab ent for fall: February – March	3 3 4
ENGL 1160 TED 2250 Social Science Natural/Physical Science Global Diversity Advising appointm Join student group Given number of el	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION nce with Lab ent for fall: February – March ective hours needed, explore adding minor	3 3 4
ENGL 1160 TED 2250 Social Science Natural/Physical Science Global Diversity Advising appointm Join student group Given number of el to degree; this is a	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION nce with Lab ent for fall: February – March ective hours needed, explore adding minor chance for a student to customize their	3 3 4
ENGL 1160 TED 2250 Social Science Natural/Physical Science Global Diversity Advising appointm Join student group Given number of el to degree; this is a	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION nce with Lab ent for fall: February – March ective hours needed, explore adding minor chance for a student to customize their o their career goals.	3 3 3 4 3
ENGL 1160 TED 2250 Social Science Natural/Physical Science Global Diversity Advising appointm Join student group Given number of el to degree; this is a	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION nce with Lab ent for fall: February – March ective hours needed, explore adding minor chance for a student to customize their	3 3 4

INTRODUCTION TO SPECIAL

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS

EDUCATION

3

TED 2200	HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS	3
Natural/Physical	Science without Lab	4
Social Science		3
Advising appoi	ntment for spring: Sept Oct.	
serve children,	ent or volunteer work with populations that families, youth, individuals with disabilities, munity/nonprofit sector.	
	/ & Community, non-teacher certification I deadline; Oct. 1.	
	Credits	16
Spring		
TED 2300	HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING	3
TED 2310	FAMILY-CENTERED PARTNERSHIPS	3
TED 2050	INTRODUCTION TO TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	3
TED 2360	CHILDREN'S LITERATURE	3
Humanities and F		3
_	Credits	15
Summer		_
Humanites and Fi	· · · · · · ·	3
	ch 120 credit hours	3
Advising appoi	ntment for fall: February – March. Credits	
Junior	Credits	6
Junior Fall		
SPED 4010	MENTAL HEALTH IN SCHOOLS: RISK	3
0.25 1010	FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS	Ü
TED 2060	EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL LITERACY	3
TED 2350	PLAY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD INCLUSIVE EDUCATION	3
Family & Commun 5 1	nity Core course. Pick from approved list. #1 of	3
Elective #2 to read	ch 120 credit hours	3
Advising appoi	ntment for spring: Sept Oct.	
	& Career Development Center for resume/ ilding and editing	
Begin to identi internship to b	fy where you would like your community e.	
	Credits	15
Spring		
TED 2500	DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP	3
5 ¹	nity Core course. Pick from approved list. #2 of	3
Family & Commur 5 ¹	nity Core course. Pick from approved list. #3 of	3
Elective #3 to read	ch 120 credit hours	3
Elective #4 to read	ch 120 credit hours	2
0 11	ntment for fall: February – March	
schools in sum summer, write application pro	graduate school, prepare to apply to graduate mer prior to senior year: Take GRE exam junior personal statement, update resume, get ocess organized, and think about who would	
write letters of	recommendation.	

Credits

Senior

October.

Fall

SPED 4800 or COUN 2020	SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH or INTRODUCTION TO COUNSELING THEORY AND PSYCHOTHERAPY	3
Family & Community 5 1	Core course. Pick from approved list. #4 of	3
Elective #5 to reach 1	20 credit hours	3
Elective #6 to reach 1	20 credit hours	3
Advising appointn	nent for spring: Sept Oct.	
have internship fir	application by September 15. Must nalized and internship forms signed and sing office (Roskens Hall 204) by November	
Attend internship December.	orientation in late November/early	
graduate school a	raduate program, prepare to submit applications by December or prior to e. Ask for letters of recommendation in	

С	redits	12
Spring		
TED 4700 EI	DUCATION CAPSTONE	6
Family & Community Cor 5 3 ¹	re course. Pick from approved list. #5 of	3
Elective #7 reach 120 cre	edit hours	3
Apply for graduation I	by deadline.	
С	redits	12
To	otal Credits	121-122

Family & Community Core Classes (pick 5 from list): HEKI 2400, HEKI 3090, PHHB 4650, PHHB 3310, ACCT 2000, CMST 2010 or CMST 2410, CMST 4150, CMST 4160, SOWK 1500, PA 3500, COUN 2020

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Additional Information About this Plan:

The BS in Elementary Education – Family & Community Concentration does not lead to teacher certification. Students in the Teacher Education Department have the flexibility to earn an education degree without pursuing teacher certification. Students will complete 120 credit hours of coursework including a capstone course with 270-hour internship (TED 4700 Education Capstone). Flexibility exists for minor programs and elective credits. For list of approved Family & Community concentration courses, view the current degree worksheet and program website here: https://www.unomaha.edu/college-of-education/student-services/certification/non-cert-education.php

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GPA Requirements: 2.5 cumulative and major GPA

Graduation Requirements: Students must have a cumulative and major GPA of at least 2.5, no grade lower than "C" in required courses, and no incomplete in required courses to be recommended for graduation.

Inclusive Practices

Freshman

Fall		Credits
ENGL 1150	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
MATH 1120 or MATH 1300	INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL THINKING or COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT	3-4
CMST 1110	PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS	3
Social Science		3
Natural/Physical Scie	nce	3
Attend Welcome W	/eek events; other campus events	
Advising appointm	ent for spring: Sept Oct.	
Note: ENGL 1150, ENGL 1160, CMST 1110 or 2120, and approved math (Quantitative Literacy) course should be taken and passed in the first academic year		
	Credits	15-16

	Credits	15-16
Spring		
ENGL 1160	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3
Natural/Physical Sci	ence with Lab	4
Social Science		3
Humanities and Fine	Arts	3
Humanities and Fine	Arts	3
	.5+ NU GPA (by end of summer courses) in TED 2100 & TED 2200 for fall semester	
Advising appointr	nent for fall: February - March	
Join a student org for Exceptional Cl	ganization. Consider joining Student Council nildren.	
Make a plan to ta	ke the Praxis Core	

	Credits	16
Sophomore		
Fall		
TED 2100	EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS	3
TED 2200	HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS	3
SPED 1500	INTRODUCTION TO SPECIAL EDUCATION	3
Social Science		3
Humanities and Fir	ne Arts with Global Diversity	3
Advising appoin	tment for spring: Sept Oct.	
Apply to Educate	or Preparation Program October 1 deadline	

	Credits	15
Spring		
TED 2300	HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING	3
MTCH 2000	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS I	3
TED 2360	CHILDREN'S LITERATURE	3

Identify professional organization to get involved with. Begin

resume development

	Total Credits	119-120
	Credits	12
Apply for gradu	ation	
TED 4600	CLINICAL PRACTICE AND SEMINAR: ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY LEVEL	12
Spring	CUNICAL PRACTICE THE COMME	4.5
117	Credits	15
	I practice at beginning of fall term.	
	tment for spring: Sept Oct.	
Take Praxis II- El	FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES ECIA #5017	
SPED 4150	READING AND WRITING INSTRUCTION	3
TED 4350	TEACHING OF READING AND LANGUAGE ARTS	6
TED 4320	TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 4310	ASSESSMENT AND CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT FOR THE ELEMENTARY TEACHER	3
Senior Fall		
	Credits	5
Elective required fo		2
Summer SPED 4710	INTERACTIONS AND COLLABORATION	3
	Credits	15
Advising appoin	tment for fall: February - March	
SPED 4810	BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS	3
TED 4340	TEACHING OF SCIENCE: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 4330	TEACHING OF MATHEMATICS: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 3350	TEACHING AND ASSESSING READING IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS	6
Spring		
	PRAXIS Core by January 10th and have 2.75 PA to progress in Educator Preparation Credits	15
•	tment for spring: Sept Oct.	
SPED 4010	MENTAL HEALTH IN SCHOOLS: RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS	3
HEKI 2400	HEALTH ED. & PHYSICAL ED. FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER	3
MTCH 2010	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS II	3
Fall TED 2400	PLANNING FOR EFFECTIVE TEACHING	6
Junior	0.04.10	
•	Credits	11
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School Librarian

Freshman

Fall		Credits
ENGL 1150	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
MATH 1120 or MATH 1300	INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL THINKING or COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT	3-4
CMST 1110	PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS	3
Social Science		3
Natural/Physical Science		3
Attend Welcome V	Veek events; other campus events	
Advising appointm	nent for spring: Sept Oct.	
Note: ENGL 1150, ENGL 1160, CMST 1110 or 2120, and approved math (Quantitative Literacy) course should be taken and passed in the first academic year		
Credits		15-16

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Spring		
ENGL 1160	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3
Natural/Physical S	cience with Lab	4-5
Social Science		3
Humanities and Fir	ne Arts	3
Humanities and Fir	ne Arts	3
	2.5+ NU GPA (by the end of summer courses) Il in TED 2100 & TED 2200 for fall semester	
Advising appoin	tment for fall: February - March	
Join a student o	organization	
Make a plan to	take the Praxis Core	
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	Credits	16-17
Sophomore		
Fall		
TED 2100	EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS	3
TED 2200	HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS	3
TED 2160	INTRODUCTION TO LIBRARY SERVICES	3
Social Science		3

3

	Credits	15
Spring		
TED 2300	HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING	3
MTCH 2000	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS I	3
TED 2360	CHILDREN'S LITERATURE	3
TED 2060	EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL LITERACY	3
TED 4660	YOUNG ADULT LITERATURE	3
Advising appo	intment for fall: February - March	
	Credits	15

	Credits	19
Junior		
Fall		
TED 2400	PLANNING FOR EFFECTIVE TEACHING	6
MTCH 2010	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS II	3
HEKI 2400	HEALTH ED. & PHYSICAL ED. FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER	3
Elective for Degree		3
Advising appointm	ent for spring: Sept Oct.	

MUST attempt PRAXIS Core by January 10 (during following spring term) and have 2.75 minimum NU GPA to progress in Educator Preparation Program.

	Credits	15
Spring		
TED 3350	TEACHING AND ASSESSING READING IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS	6
TED 4330	TEACHING OF MATHEMATICS: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 4340	TEACHING OF SCIENCE: ELEMENTARY	3
SPED 3800	DIFFERENTIATION AND INCLUSIVE PRACTICES	3
TED 2500	DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP	3
Summer options course load	al-TED 2500 Digital Citizenship to lighten	
Advising appointme	ont for fall: Fohruary March	

	Credits	18
Senior		
Fall		
TED 4310	ASSESSMENT AND CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT FOR THE ELEMENTARY TEACHER	3
TED 4320	TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES: ELEMENTARY	3
TED 4350	TEACHING OF READING AND LANGUAGE ARTS	6
Elective for Degi	ree	2
Take Praxis II	- EECIA #5017	
Advising app	ointment for spring: Sept Oct.	
Apply for clin	ical practice at beginning of fall term.	
	Credits	14

CLINICAL PRACTICE AND SEMINAR:

ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY LEVEL

12

Spring TED 4600

Apply for graduation	
Credits	12
Total Credits	120-122

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STEM

Freshman

Fall		Credits
ENGL 1150	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
MATH 1300	COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT	4
CMST 1110	PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS	3
Social Science		3
Natural/Physical Science		3
Attend Welcome Week events; other campus events		
Advising appo	intment for spring: Sept Oct.	
approved mat	150, ENGL 1160, CMST 1110 or 2120, and h (Quantitative Literacy) course should be ssed in the first academic year	
	Credits	16
Spring		

	Credits	16
Spring		
ENGL 1160	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3
Natural/Physical	Science with Lab	4
Social Science		3
Humanities and Fine Arts		3
Humanities and Fine Arts		
	th 2.5+ NU GPA (by the end of summer courses) roll in TED 2100 & TED 2200 for fall semester	
Advising appo	intment for fall: February - March	
Join a student	organization	
Make a plan t	o take the Praxis Core	

Credits

Sophomore

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ldentify profession resume developr	onal organization to get involved with. Begin nent.	
Apply to Educate	or Preparation Program October 1 deadline	
Advising appoint	ment for spring: Sept Oct.	
Humanities and Fin	e Arts with Global Diversity	3
Social Science		3
CHEM Concentration	on Course	4-5
TED 2200	HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS	3
TED 2100	EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS	3

	Credits	16-17
Spring		
TED 2300	HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING	3
MTCH 2000	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS I	3
TED 2360	CHILDREN'S LITERATURE	3
STEM Concentration Course ¹		4
Elective for Degre	ee	2
Advising appo	intment for fall: February - March	
	Credits	15

16

Junior		
Fall		
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STEM Concentraio	n Course ¹	4
Advising appoin	tment for spring: Sept Oct.	
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Summer option	onal-STEM Concentration Course and elective in Summer.	
	Credits	15
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	Credits	15
Senior		
Fall		
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	Credits	15
Spring		
TED 4600	CLINICAL PRACTICE AND SEMINAR: ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY LEVEL	12
Apply for grad	duation	
	Credits	12
	Total Credits	121-122

¹ STEM Selection Area:

Biology Selection - BIOL 1020 - ENGL1150 placement by the English Placement and Proficiency Exam (EPPE), grade of C- or better in English 1050 or 1100, ACT English subscore of 20 or higher, or permission of the department

Chemistry Selection - CHEM 1140 & CHEM 1144 - MATH 1220 or equivalent within last two years (C- or better); or ACT Math subscore of at least 23 within last two years; or Accuplacer score of at least 4 within last two years. CHEM 1144 concurrent or prior with C- or better Physics Selection - TED 2800 or PHYS 1030 & PHYS 1034 (High School algebra or equivalent) or PHYS 1350 & PHYS 1354 (High School algebra or equivalent)

Geology Selection - GEOL 1010 or GEOL 1100 or TED 1110

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