# 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) |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Code $\quad$ Title | Credits |

## Related Content Courses

Candidates must complete coursework in the following related content courses:

| MTCH 2000 | MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| MTCH 2010 | TEACHERS I | 3 |
|  | MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY | 3 |

## Professional Education 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 Professional Requirements |  |  |
| Candidate for a degree or teaching endorsement must complete the following Elementary 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: ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY LEVEL

## Concentration Area

Select a concentration area

## 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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For courses in this major/ endorsement that require a grade of $C$ or higher, $C R / N C$ is not permissible.

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


## Family and Community (non-certification education

 option)| Code | Title | Credits |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Introduction to Professional Education Core (2.5 cumulative GPA required) |  | 45 |
| TED 2100 | EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS |  |
| TED 2200 | HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS |  |
| TED 2300 or PSYC 3520 | HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING 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 |  |



## Inclusive Practices Concentration

| Code | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| SPED 4010 | MENTAL HEALTH IN SCHOOLS: RISK | 3 |
|  | FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS |  |
| SPED 4150 | READING AND WRITING INSTRUCTION | 3 |
|  | FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES |  |
| SPED 4710 | INTERACTIONS AND COLLABORATION | 3 |
| SPED 4810 | BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND | $\mathbf{3}$ |
| Total Credits |  | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |

School Librarian Concentration

| Code | Title | Credits |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| TED 2060 | EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL | 3 |
|  | LITERACY |  |
| TED 2160 | INTRODUCTION TO LIBRARY SERVICES | 3 |
| TED 2500 | DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP | 3 |
| TED 4660 | YOUNG ADULT LITERATURE | 3 |
| Total Credits |  | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |


| STEM Concentration |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Code | Title | Credits |
| BIOL 1020 | PRINCIPLES OF BIOLOGY | 4 |
| Select one of the following sets of lab courses: | $4-5$ |  |
| CHEM 1140 |  | FUNDAMENTALS OF COLLEGE |
| \& CHEM 1144 | CHEMISTRY |  |
|  | and FUNDAMENTALS OF COLLEGE |  |
|  | CHEMISTRY LABORATORY |  |
|  |  |  |

## CHEM 1010 CHEMISTRY IN THE ENVIRONMENT AND \& CHEM 1014 <br> SOCIETY <br> and CHEMISTRY IN THE ENVIRONMENT AND SOCIETY LABORATORY

Select one of the following sets of lab courses:

| TED 2800 | SCIENCE EXPERIMENTATION AND <br> ENGINEERING DESIGN |
| :--- | :--- |
| PHYS 1030 | PHYSICS OF EVERYDAY LIFE |
| \& PHYS 1034 | and PHYSICS OF EVERYDAY LIFE <br> LABORATORY |
| PHYS 1350 | PRINCIPLES OF ASTRONOMY <br> \& PHYS 1354 |
| and INTRODUCTORY ASTRONOMY LAB |  |

Select one of the following: 3
GEOL 1010 ENVIRONMENTAL GEOLOGY
GEOL 1100 EARTH SYSTEM SCIENCE
Total Credits

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

## Early Childhood

| 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 |


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

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

| 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

## Special Education

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

Total Credits ..... 36

Candidates must have satisfactorily completed all required coursework prior to clinical practice.

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For courses in this major/ endorsement that require a grade of C or higher, $C R / N C$ is not permissible.

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

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 |
| CMST 1110 | PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS | 3 |
| Social Science |  | 3 |
| Natural/Physical |  | 3 |
| Attend Welcom | eek events; other campus events |  |
| Advising appo | t for spring: Sept. - Oct. |  |
| Note: ENGL 11 approved math taken and pass | ENGL 1160, CMST 1110 or 2120 , and uantitative Literacy) course should be the first academic year |  |
|  | Credits | 15 |
| Spring |  |  |
| ENGL 1160 | ENGLISH COMPOSITION II | 3 |
| Natural/Physical | ce with Lab | 4-5 |
| Social Science |  | 3 |
| Humanities and Fi | Arts | 3 |
| Humanities and Fi | Arts | 3 |
| MUST establish order to enroll | + NU GPA (by end of summer courses) in ED 2100 \& TED 2200 for fall semester |  |
| Advising appoin | ent for fall: February - March |  |
| Join a student | nization |  |
| Make a plan to | e the Praxis Core |  |

## Sophomore

Fall
TED 2100 EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS 3
TED 2200 HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE 3
TED 2050 INTRODUCTION TO TEACHING ENGLISH 3

AS A SECOND LANGUAGE
Social Science 3

Humanities and Fine Arts with Global Diversity 3
Elective for Degree 2
Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct.
Apply to Educator Preparation Program October 1 deadline
Identify professional organization to get involved with. Begin resume development.
Credits 17

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

| TED 2060 | EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL LITERACY | 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TED 3050 | FOUNDATIONS OF TEACHING ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL) | 3 |
| Advising appointment for fall: February - March |  |  |
|  | Credits | 15 |
| 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 D |  | 3 |
| Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct. |  |  |
| MUST attempt PRAXIS Core by January 10th 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 |
| TED 4120 | READING \& WRITING IN ELEMENTARY CONTENT AREAS | 3 |
| Summer optional- TED 4120 Reading \& Writing in Elementary Content Area |  |  |
| Advising appointment for fall: February - March |  |  |
|  | Credits | 15 |
| 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 |
| SPED 3800 | DIFFERENTIATION AND INCLUSIVE PRACTICES | 3 |
| Take Praxis II- EECIA \#5017 |  |  |
| Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct. |  |  |
| Apply for clinical practice at beginning of fall term. |  |  |
|  | Credits | 15 |
| Spring |  |  |
| TED 4600 | CLINICAL PRACTICE AND SEMINAR: ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY LEVEL | 12 |
| Apply for graduation |  |  |
|  | Credits | 12 |
|  | Total Credits |  |
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3 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
**Transfer credit or placement exam scores may change suggested plan of study

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 |  | Credits |
| ENGL 1150 | ENGLISH COMPOSITION I | 3 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { CMST } 1110 \\ & \text { or CMST } 2120 \end{aligned}$ | PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS or ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE | 3 |
| MATH 1300 | COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT | 3-4 |
| or MATH 1530 | or INTRODUCTION TO APPLIED |  |
| or MATH 1120 | PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS |  |
| or MATH 1130 | or INTRODUCTION TO |  |
|  | MATHEMATICAL AND |  |
|  | COMPUTATIONAL THINKING |  |
|  |  |  |

Social Science 3
Humanities and Fine Arts 3

Attend welcome events; other campus events
Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct.
Credits
15-16
Spring
ENGL 1160 ENGLISH COMPOSITION II 3
TED 2250 INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD 3
EDUCATION
Social Science 3
Natural/Physical Science with Lab 4
Global Diversity 3

Advising appointment for fall: February - March
Join student group
Given number of elective hours needed, explore adding minor to degree; this is a chance for a student to customize their program of study to their career goals.

Credits

## Sophomore

Fall

| SPED 1500 | INTRODUCTION TO SPECIAL | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | EDUCATION | 3 |


| TED 2200 | HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS | 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Natural/Physical Science without Lab |  | 4 |
| Social Science |  | 3 |
| Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct. |  |  |
| Gain employment or volunteer work with populations that serve children, families, youth, individuals with disabilities, etc. in the community/nonprofit sector. |  |  |
| Apply to Family \& Community, non-teacher certification program by fall 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 Fine Arts |  | 3 |
|  | Credits | 15 |
| Summer |  |  |
| Humanites and Fine Arts |  | 3 |
| Elective \#1 to reach 120 credit hours |  | 3 |
| Advising appointment for fall: February - March. |  |  |
|  | Credits | 6 |
| Junior |  |  |
| Fall |  |  |
| SPED 4010 | MENTAL HEALTH IN SCHOOLS: RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS | 3 |
| TED 2060 | EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL LITERACY | 3 |
| TED 2350 | PLAY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD INCLUSIVE EDUCATION | 3 |
| Family \& Community Core course. Pick from approved list. \#1 of $5^{1}$ |  | 3 |
| Elective \#2 to reach 120 credit hours |  | 3 |
| Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct. |  |  |
| Visit Academic \& Career Development Center for resume/ cover letter building and editing |  |  |
| Begin to identify where you would like your community internship to be. |  |  |
|  | Credits | 15 |
| Spring |  |  |
| TED 2500 | DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP | 3 |
| Family \& Community Core course. Pick from approved list. \#2 of $5^{1}$ |  | 3 |
| Family \& Community Core course. Pick from approved list. \#3 of $5^{1}$ |  | 3 |
| Elective \#3 to reach 120 credit hours |  | 3 |
| Elective \#4 to reach 120 credit hours |  | 2 |
| Advising appointment for fall: February - March |  |  |
| IF applying to graduate school, prepare to apply to graduate schools in summer prior to senior year: Take GRE exam junior summer, write personal statement, update resume, get application process organized, and think about who would write letters of recommendation. |  |  |

## Credits

| Senior |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fall |  |  |
| SPED 4800 or COUN 2020 | SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL <br> DEVELOPMENT OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH <br> or INTRODUCTION TO COUNSELING THEORY AND PSYCHOTHERAPY | 3 |
| Family \& Commun $5^{1}$ | re course. Pick from approved list. \#4 of | 3 |
| Elective \#5 to reach | 20 credit hours | 3 |
| Elective \#6 to reach | 20 credit hours | 3 |
| Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct. |  |  |
| Submit internship application by September 15. Must have internship finalized and internship forms signed and submitted to advising office (Roskens Hall 204) by November 1st. |  |  |
| Attend internship orientation in late November/early December. |  |  |
| IF applying to a graduate program, prepare to submit graduate school applications by December or prior to university deadline. Ask for letters of recommendation in October. |  |  |
|  | Credits | 12 |
| Spring |  |  |
| TED 4700 | EDUCATION CAPSTONE | 6 |
| Family \& Community Core course. Pick from approved list. \#5 of $53^{1}$ |  |  |
| Elective \#7 reach 1 | credit hours | 3 |
| Apply for graduation by deadline. |  |  |
|  | Credits | 12 |
|  | Total Credits | 121-122 |
| 1 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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This plan is not a contract and curriculum is subject to change

## 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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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 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 S |  | 3 |
| Attend Welcome Week events; other campus events |  |  |
| Advising appointment 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 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Spring $\quad$ ENGLISH COMPOSITION II | 3 |
| ENGL 1160 | 4 |
| Natural/Physical Science with Lab | 3 |
| Social Science | 3 |
| Humanities and Fine Arts | 3 |
| Humanities and Fine Arts |  |
| MUST establish 2.5+ NU GPA (by end of summer courses) in <br> order to enroll in TED 2100 \& TED 2200 for fall semester |  |
| Advising appointment for fall: February - March |  |
| Join a student organization. Consider joining Student Council <br> for Exceptional Children. |  |
| Make a plan to take 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 | rts with Global Diversity | 3 |

Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct.
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resume development
Credits

## Spring

TED 2300
MTCH 2000

TED 2360
HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNINGMATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARYTEACHERS ICHILDREN'S LITERATURE3

| Elective for Degree | 2 |
| :--- | ---: |
| May take elective over summer |  |
| Advising appointment for fall: February - March | $\mathbf{1 1}$ |
| Credits |  |


| Junior |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fall |  |  |
| TED 2400 | PLANNING FOR EFFECTIVE TEACHING | 6 |
| MTCH 2010 | MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS II | 3 |
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|  | 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 4810 | BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS | 3 |

Advising appointment for fall: February - March
Credits 15

| Summer |  | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SPED $4710 \quad$ INTERACTIONS AND COLLABORATION |  |  |


| Elective required for degree | 2 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Credits | 5 |

## 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 |
| SPED 4150 | READING AND WRITING INSTRUCTION FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES | 3 |

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Apply for clinical practice at beginning of fall term.
Credits
15
Spring
TED 4600 CLINICAL PRACTICE AND SEMINAR: 12 ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY LEVEL

Apply for graduation

| Credits | 12 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Total Credits | $119-120$ |

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Graduation Requirements: 2.75 minimum NU GPA

## School Librarian

## Freshman

Fall
Credits
ENGL 1150 ENGLISH COMPOSITION I 3
MATH 1120 INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL 3-4
or MATH 1300 AND COMPUTATIONAL THINKING or COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT
CMST 1110 PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS 3
Social Science 3
Natural/Physical Science
Attend Welcome Week events; other campus events
Advising appointment 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 | $\mathbf{1 5 - 1 6}$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| Spring $\quad$ ENGLISH COMPOSITION II | 3 |
| ENGL 1160 | $4-5$ |
| Natural/Physical Science with Lab | 3 |
| Social Science | 3 |
| Humanities and Fine Arts | 3 |
| Humanities and Fine Arts |  |
| MUST establish 2.5+ NU GPA (by the end of summer courses) <br> in order to enroll in TED 2100 \& TED 2200 for fall semester |  |
| Advising appointment for fall: February - March |  |
| Join a student organization |  |

## Sophomore

Fall

| TED 2100 | EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| TED 2200 | HUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE | 3 |
|  | CLASSROOMS | 3 |
| TED 2160 | INTRODUCTION TO LIBRARY SERVICES | 3 |
| Social Science |  | 3 |


| Humanities and Fine Arts with Global Diversity |
| :--- |
| Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct. |
| Apply to Educator Preparation Program October 1 deadline |
| Identify professional organization to get involved with. Begin <br> resume development. |


|  | Credits | $\mathbf{1 5}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Spring |  |  |
| TED 2300 | HUMAN GROWTH AND LEARNING |  |
| MTCH 2000 | MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY | 3 |
| TED 2360 | CHILDREN'S LITERATURE | 3 |
| TED 2060 | EQUITY, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURAL | 3 |
| TED 4660 | LITERACY | 3 |
| Advising appointment for fall: February - March |  | 3 |


| Junior <br> Fall |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| TED 2400 | PLANNING FOR EFFECTIVE TEACHING | 6 |
| MTCH 2010 | MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY <br>  <br> HEKI 2400 | HEALTH ED. \& PHYSICAL ED. FOR THE |
| Elective for Degree |  | 3 |

Advising appointment 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 optional- TED 2500 Digital Citizenship to lighten course load
Advising appointment for fall: February - March

## Credits

18

## Senior

Fall
TED 4310 ASSESSMENT AND CLASSROOM 3
MANAGEMENT FOR THE ELEMENTARY TEACHER

| TED 4320 | TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES: | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | ELEMENTARY | 6 |

LANGUAGE ARTS
Elective for Degree 2

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Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct.
Apply for clinical practice at beginning of fall term.

## Credits

## Spring

TED 4600

| Apply for graduation |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Credits | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |
| Total Credits | $\mathbf{1 2 0 - 1 2 2}$ |

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Graduation Requirements: 2.75 minimum NU GPA

## 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 |  |  |
| Natural/Physical Science |  |  |
| Attend Welcome Week events; other campus events |  |  |
| Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct. |  |  |
| Note: ENG approved taken and | ENGL 1160, CMST 1110 or 2120 , and antitative Literacy) course should be the first academic year |  |


| Credits | $\mathbf{1 6}$ |
| :--- | ---: |
| Spring $\quad$ ENGLISH COMPOSITION II | 3 |
| ENGL 1160 | 4 |
| Natural/Physical Science with Lab | 3 |
| Social Science | 3 |
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| Advising appointment for fall: February - March |  |
| Join a student organization |  |
| Make a plan to take the Praxis Core |  |
| Credits |  |


| Sophomore |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fall |  |  |
| TED 2100 | EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATIONS | 3 |
| TED 2200 | hUMAN RELATIONS FOR BIAS-FREE CLASSROOMS | 3 |
| CHEM Concentration Course |  | 4-5 |
| Social Science |  | 3 |
| Humanities and Fine Arts with Global Diversity |  | 3 |
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Spring
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## TEACHERS

TED 2360 CHILDREN'S LITERATURE 3
STEM Concentration Course ${ }^{1} 4$
Elective for Degree 2

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| :---: | :---: |
| Credits | 15 |


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| :--- | :--- | :---: |
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STEM Concentraion Course ..... 4Advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct.MUST attempt PRAXIS Core by January 10th and have 2.75minimum NU GPA to progress in Educator PreparationProgram.

|  | Credits | 16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Spring |  |  |
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Summer optional- STEM Concentration Course and elective can be taken in Summer.

## Credits

15Senior

Fall

TED 4310

$\left.\begin{array}{llc}\text { TED } 4320 & l & \text { TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES: } \\ & \text { ELEMENTARY }\end{array}\right]$

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