

Early Childhood Education (PreK/Age 3 – Grade 3/Age 8)

Date:

Catalog Year: 2026-27

Name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Student ID#:

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University Requirements - 10							
COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR	COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR
Freshman Orientation	USW 1001	1		Religion:		3	
Servant Leadership	USW 2233	3		Religion:		3	

Core Curriculum - 41							
COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR	COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR
ENGLISH/COMMUNICATION				SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES			
Rhetoric & Composition	ENG 1113	3				3	
Rhetoric & Literature	ENG 1123	3				3	
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MATHEMATICS				HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS			
College Algebra	MAT 1403	3				3	
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LAB SCIENCES						3	
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*Course includes 10 field observation hours.							
Professional Education Requirements – 45							
COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR	COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR
Health, Safety and Nutrition*	ECE 1123	3		Foundations of Early Literacy Development*	EDU 3453	3	
Guiding Young Children*	ECE 2123	3		Culturally Responsive Teaching	EDU 3213	3	
Family and Community Collaboration*	ECE 2133	3		Young Children with Diverse Abilities*	ECE 3403	3	
Assess. of Children & Eval. of Programs*	ECE 2143	3		Teaching & Learning SS, Fine Arts & Mvmt.	ECE 4203	3	
Child Growth, Dev. and Learning*	ECE 2203	3		Teaching & Learning Math & Science	ECE 4303	3	
Tech. Integration & Personalized Learning*	EDU 2203	3		Literacy Instruction in Upper Elementary & Middle Grades*	EDU 4453	3	
Curriculum Dev. through Play (B – PreK)	ECE 2303	3		Prof., Ethics, & Frameworks for Teaching	EDU 4403	3	
Curriculum Dev. (PreK – Grade 3)	ECE 2403	3					

Electives - 6							
COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR	COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR
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<i>All coursework and student teaching must be completed, Essential Academic Skills (Subtests I, II, III) and Early Childhood Education (Age 3–Age 8) tests must be passed to be eligible for state licensure application. Award of a degree does not ensure licensure. To be eligible for student teaching, student must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA.</i>							
Field Experience - 6/Student Teaching - 12							
COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR	COURSE TITLE	COURSE	HR	GR
Practicum (Birth - PreK)	ECE 2162	2		Student Teaching I – ECE Setting	ECE 4006	6	
Practicum (PreK – Grade 3)	ECE 2172	2		Student Teaching II – ECE Setting	ECE 4016	6	
Teaching & Learning Practicum	ECE 3182	2					

Additional Degree Requirements:
3.0 Cumulative GPA/45 Completed SCH required for admission to EPP
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39 upper level (3000-4000) hours
30 hours must be completed in residence
120 hours minimum to complete degree