## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE <br> EDUCATION

EARLY EDUCATION AND CARE CONCENTRATION


Free Electives ( 25 credits total)
Additional free electives beyond the credits listed may be required based on the use of support courses to satisfy General Education Category requirements

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## COURSES IN MAJOR (45 credits total)

Required ( 45 credits)

| EEC | 105 | Approaches to Early Childhood <br> Education | 3 |  |
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| EEC | 205 |  <br> Instruction | 3 |  |
| EDC | 400 | Literacy Development I | 3 |  |
| EDC | 405 | Culturally Responsive Teaching | 3 |  |
| EDC | 415 | Teaching Exceptional Learners | 3 |  |
| EDU/ <br> OR <br> ENL | $307 E$ | Foundations of Teaching ESL | 3 |  |

The following four pre-practicum courses (with field experience) must be taken together

| EEC | 301 | Integrating Arts \& Social Studies | 3 |  |
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| EEC | 302 | Integrating Math \& Science | 3 |  |
| EEC | 303 | Integrated Approach to Literacy | 3 |  |
| EEC | 304 | Integrated Curriculum Lab | 3 |  |


| Student Teaching |  |  |  |  |
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| EEC | 401 | Preschool Practicum I | 3 |  |
| EEC | 401 S | Preschool Practicum Seminar I | 3 |  |
| EEC | 402 | Preschool Practicum II | 3 |  |
| EEC | $402 S$ | Preschool Practicum Seminar II | 3 |  |


| Capstone Seminar |  |  |  |
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| EEC | 410 | Capstone Seminar | 3 |

- Required Support Courses ( 15 credits total)

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| ENL | 334 | Literature for Young Children | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |
| HST | 204 | U.S. History \& Const. Government | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |
| PSY | 251 | Child Growth | 3 |  |
| SOC | 220 | Sociology of Children | 3 |  |
| SMS | 225 | Intro to Health \& Physical Activity | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |

$\checkmark$ Students may choose to use support courses to satisfy general education categories, but may not be required to do so. Note: If a course is used to satisfy two or more requirements (for example, a support course and Scientific Reasoning requirement), the credits are counted in only one place. Using a course to satisfy more than one requirement does not reduce the credit total required for graduation.

Courses used to satisfy the general education requirements of the university must be taken from a minimum of six different academic disciplines. First Year Seminar and Level I Written Communications courses are exempt from this restriction. Courses may not be used to fulfill both major discipline and general education requirements.
These Scientific Reasoning General Education Category courses do not have to be a sequence or be from the same discipline.
$\ddagger \quad$ Level II and Level III Written Communications Courses may be used to satisfy requirements anywhere else in a student's program of study where they may apply. The credits are counted only in one area.
** Alternative SMS course may be taken with approval of education department chair.
$\bullet$ COMPETENCIES - TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN THE FIRST 30 CREDITS GENERAL EDUCATION CATEGORIES - TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN THE FIRST 30 CREDITS

