

INDIANA UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN EDUCATION
A SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION/PREK-GRADE 6 MAJORS
Matriculating in Fall 2004 or after

Students **must** successfully complete the prescribed **6 credits of math and English in the first 48 credits (3 semesters)** to be eligible for the Teacher Certification Program.

FRESHMAN-----

<u>Semester 1</u>			<u>Semester 2</u>		
ENGL 101	College Writing	4	ENGL 121	Humanities Literature	3
COMM 103	Digital Instructional Technology	3	PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
MATH 151	Elements of Mathematics I	3	SCI 102	Fundamentals of Chemistry	2.5
SCI 101	Fundamentals of Physics	2.5	MATH 152	Elements of Mathematics II	3
	Liberal Studies Elective (Do not take CDFR 218)	3	THTR/ARHI/MUHI 101		3
			ECED 180	Orientation to ECED/PreK-Gr. 6 Program 1	1
TOTAL CREDITS		15.5	TOTAL CREDITS		15.5

SOPHOMORE-----

<u>Semester 3</u>			<u>Semester 4</u>		
HPED 143	Health & Wellness OR	3	*With all requirements met for Teacher Certification (Step 1)		
FDNT 143	Nutrition & Wellness		<u>Semester 4 Prof Sequence I (Spring Only)</u>		
ENGL 202	Research Writing	3	ECED 200	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	3
HIST 195	History of the Modern Era	3	ELED 215	Child Development (EC Section)	3
EDSP 102	Educational Psychology	3	EDUC 242	Pre-Student Teaching Experience I	1
SCI 103	Fundamentals of Earth & Space Science	2.5	ECED 280	Maximizing Learning	3
	Social Science Elective	3	ECED 451	Teaching Primary Reading	3
			SCI 104	Fundamentals of Environmental Biology	2.5
TOTAL CREDITS		17.5	TOTAL CREDITS		15.5

JUNIOR-----

<u>Semester 5</u>			<u>Semester 6</u>		
ELED 425	Language Arts Across the Curriculum (w)	3	<u>Prof Sequence II (Spring Only)</u>		
ECED 220	Children's Literature to Enhance Emergent and Beginning Reading (w)	3	EDUC 442	School Law	1
EDEX 300	Education of Students with Disabilities in Inclusive Elementary Classrooms	2	EDUC 342	Pre-Student Teaching Experience II	1
GEOG ____	Geography	3	ECED 310	Integrating Science, Health, Nutrition and Safety	3
ELED 422	Diagnostic and Remedial Reading	3	EDUC 408	Reading in the Content Areas	3
			ECED 314	Creative Experiences to Enhance Literacy Acquisition	3
TOTAL CREDITS		14	EDEX 415	Preschool Education for Children with Disabilities	3
			TOTAL CREDITS		14

SENIOR-----

<u>Semester 7</u>			<u>Semester 8</u>		
LBST 499	Senior Synthesis	3	EDUC 441	Student Teaching	12
PHIL/RLST ____	Philosophy/Religion Course	3	ECED 480	Professional Seminar	1
CDFR 426	Techniques of Parent Education	3			
EDSP 477	Assessment of Student Learning: Design & Interpretation of Educational Measures	3			
ELED 313	Teaching Mathematics in the Elementary School	3			
TOTAL CREDITS		15	TOTAL CREDITS		13

TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED: 120

BOLD denotes courses to be taken as a cohort

A 3.0 cumulative QPA is required to apply for teacher certification starting January 2004. Students entering certification after that date must maintain a 3.0 to take major courses or student teach.

Students will be required to take a Non-Western Cultures course if the courses taken in Geography and Social Science electives do not fulfill this requirement. Some Non-Western Cultures courses can count as liberal studies electives.

