

Program Drop Proposal

Elementary Education, MEd, with Early Childhood Teacher Certification

Admission Requirements for the Option in Elementary Teacher Certification:

- A passing score on the designated Missouri Content Examination or an approved program of study
- A 2.75 or higher overall GPA
- Approved results of the Family Care Safety Registry
- A clear TB test or chest x-ray, if appropriate
- Students must meet the application deadlines set by the Graduate School

Education Core Courses

TCH ED 6010	Examining History, Community and Social Justice in Education	3
TCH ED 6200	Building Character and Competence with Diverse Learners	3
ED PSY 6030	Instruction, Learning, and Assessment	3
TCH ED 6909	Teacher Action Research I	3
TCH ED 6910	Teacher Action Research Capstone	3
Total Hours		15

Early Childhood Education (39 Hours): These are the courses required for the early childhood teaching (Birth to 3rd Grade)

Related Area Requirements:

TCH ED 6565	Enriching Learning through Multicultural Arts, Music, Physical Education and Health	1
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TCH ED 6566	Cross-Curricular Connections with Multicultural Arts, Music, Physical Education and Health	1
Level I Courses		
ED PSY 6215	Psychology of Early Childhood Development	3
TCH ED 5310A	Instructional Design: Lesson Planning for Teachers	1
Level II Courses		
SPEC ED 6412	Psychology of Exceptional Children	3
ECH ED 6412	Foundations of Early Childhood Education	3
ED TECH 6135	Technology for Preparing Inquiry-Based Teaching	1
ELE ED 6337	Teaching and Learning Literacy in the Elementary Classrooms	4
LEVEL III Courses		
SPEC ED 6325	Advanced Studies in Classroom & Behavior Management	3
ELE ED 6338	Literacy Assessment for Guided Instruction	3
ECH ED 6348	Understanding and Supporting Children's Math and Science Inquiry	2
ECH ED 6535	Assessment Curriculum and Research Practice Birth through Grade Three	2
ECH ED 6536	Early Childhood Pre-primary Practicum	2
ECH ED 5989	Practicum I: Early Childhood/Early Childhood Special Education Site Based Experience	2
ECH ED 5990	Practicum II: Early Childhood/Early Childhood Special Education Site Based Experience	8

Total Hours

39

Rationale Program is no longer offered for alternative certification.