

<p>Physical Science: includes lab (4 hours)</p> <p>Humanities (8 hours) Three courses preferably from two or more of the following fields: art, music, philosophy, or literature.</p> <p>Social Science (15 hours) PSYCH 1003, General Psychology POL SCI 1100, Introduction to American Politics, or equivalent and one of the following history courses HIST 1001, American Civilization HIST 1002, American Civilization and the following courses: POL SCI 1850, Global Ecology SOC 1010, Introduction to Sociology, or any Anthropology course</p> <p>Degree Requirements Students are required to take the general education requirements as indicated for early childhood education above.</p> <p>Note: All classes listed are 3 credit hours unless otherwise noted</p>	<p>Physical Science: includes lab (4 hours)</p> <p>Humanities (9 hours) Three courses from two of the following fields: art, music, philosophy, and literature.</p> <p>Social Science (15 hours) PSYCH 1003, General Psychology HIST 1001, American Civilization or HIST 1002, American Civilization ANTHRO 1011, Introduction to Cultural Anthropology or ANTHRO 1025, World Cultures GEOG 1001, Introduction to Geography or GEOG 1002, World Regions ECON 1000, Introduction to the American Economy or POL SCI 1100, Introduction to American Politics or SOC 1010, Introduction to Sociology</p> <p>Related Area Requirements EDUC 1000, Effective Career Decision Making for Educators ENGL 3100, Advanced Expository Writing HLTH PE 3432, Teaching Health and Physical Education in the Elementary School (4) PHY ED 3282, Growth and Motor Development</p> <p>Program Requirements All students must complete the program requirements as well as the emphasis area courses.</p>	<p>We added Anthropology 1011 or 1025, and Geography 1001 or 1002 as they are more relevant to our contemporary program of study. We are also giving students a wider range of choices in other areas of social science.</p> <p>We added a career/orientation course to our programs of study, in order to provide students focused orientation to UMSL academic resources, social /emotional support, and career exploration that can validate their choice of Education as the most appropriate career choice.</p> <p>We moved ENGL 3100 from General Education requirements to Related Areas because it is a required junior level writing course.</p>
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<p>Level I: Exploring Education as a Profession TCH ED 2209, Foundations of Teaching in American Schools (3) ED PSY 2212, Introduction to Learners and Learning</p> <p>Level II: Analyzing the Nature and Process of Education ECH ED 3300, Introduction to Early Childhood PHY ED 3282, Physical Growth and Motor Development PHY ED 3430, Teaching Health in the Elementary School TCH ED 3310, Introduction to Instructional Methods ED PSY 3312, Psychology of Teaching and Learning TCH ED 3313, Introduction to Learners with Disability and Inclusive Education Child TCH ED 3315, Literacy Learning and Instruction EDUC 1000, Effective Career Decision Making for Educators</p>	<p>Level I: Education in Community Contexts (6 hours) TCH ED 2209, Foundations of Teaching in American Schools ED PSY 2212, Introduction to Learners and Learning</p> <p>Level II: Teaching and Learning Across Context and Clinical Experiences (17 hours) ECH ED 3300, Introduction to Early Childhood ECH ED 3332, Literacy, Learning and Instruction for the Young Child ED PSY 3312, Psychology of Learning, Instruction, and Assessment ED TECH 3135, Technology for Educators (1) ELE ED 3337, Teaching and Learning Literacy in the Elementary Classroom (4) SPEC ED 3318, Inclusive Classrooms</p>	<p>We changed the name of the level I category to better reflect the content of the courses in the category.</p> <p>We changed the name of the level II category to better reflect the content of the courses in the category.</p> <p>We combined PHY ED 3430 and PHY ED 3465 because we feel the necessary content for students in this program could be covered in fewer credit hours and moved it to related area</p> <p>We moved EDUC 1000 to related area requirements because it is not a general education course.</p> <p>We dropped TCH ED 3310, due to the redundancy of content provided by currently-offered methods courses.</p> <p>Name change (ED PSYCH 3312) reflects course content change and content additions required in 2013 by DESE to better prepare pre-service educators.</p> <p>New Course: ED TECH 3135 added to introduce and engage students in greater technology emphasis that gives them more contemporary instructional platform options.</p> <p>New Literacy course ELE ED 3337 replaces ELE ED 3330, 3336 and TCH ED 3315, as a more streamlined and effective delivery of required literacy and literacy pedagogy content.</p> <p>SPEC ED 3318 replaces TCH ED 3313 to reflect current and more robust content</p>
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<p>Level III: Synthesizing Theory and Practice in Education</p> <p>ELE ED 3330, Literacy, Literature and the Learner</p> <p>ELE ED 3336, Communication Arts Learning and Instruction</p> <p>Note: ECH ED 4990 and ECH ED 4991 must be taken during the same semester.</p> <p>ECH ED 3303, Curriculum and Practice Laboratory: Infant/Toddler</p> <p>ECH ED 3304, Curriculum and Practice Laboratory: Preschool</p> <p>ECH ED 3313, Curriculum and Practice: Infant/Toddler</p> <p>ECH ED 3314, Curriculum and Practice: Preschool</p> <p>ECH ED 3332, Literacy, Learning and Instruction for the Young Child</p> <p>ECH ED 3350, Child/Family and Education and Community Involvement</p> <p>ECH ED 4317, Assessing Individual Needs for Early Childhood</p> <p>ECH ED 4320, Classroom Management</p> <p>ECH ED 4346, The Acquisition of Mathematical Concepts</p> <p>ECH ED 4989, Early Childhood Primary Internship</p> <p>ECH ED 4990, Student Teaching in Early Childhood Education I (6 hrs)</p> <p>ECH ED 4991, Student Teaching in Early Childhood Education II (6 hrs)</p> <p>Attention education majors : Professional education courses must be completed with a grade point average of 2.50 and no grade lower than a C (2.0).</p> <p>Total: A minimum of 123 hours</p>	<p>Level III: Instructional Application in Studio Schools (21 hours)</p> <p>ECH ED 3303, Curriculum and Practice Laboratory: Infant/Toddler (1)</p> <p>ECH ED 3304, Curriculum and Practice Laboratory: Preschool (1)</p> <p>ECH ED 3313, Curriculum and Practice: Infant/Toddler (2)</p> <p>ECH ED 3314, Curriculum and Practice: Preschool Education (2)</p> <p>ECH ED 3350, Child/Family Education and Community Involvement</p> <p>ECH ED 4317, Implementation, Evaluation and Assessment in Early Childhood Education</p> <p>ECH ED 4348, Acquisition of Mathematical and Scientific Concepts</p> <p>ELE ED 3338, Literacy Assessment and Learning</p> <p>SPEC ED 4323, Classroom Management and Positive Behavioral Supports in Inclusive Educational Settings</p>	<p>We changed the name of the level III category to better reflect the content of the courses in the category.</p> <p>New Literacy course ELE ED 3338 replaces ELE ED 3330, 3336 and TCH ED 3315, as a more streamlined and effective delivery of required literacy and literacy pedagogy content.</p> <p>Course name change reflects current content.</p> <p>Course number was changed but not reflected in the bulletin</p> <p>New course (SPEC ED 4323) replaces ECH ED 4320 to reflect change in content</p> <p>Student teaching courses moved to emphasis area.</p>
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Emphasis in Early Childhood Special Education

All candidates must enroll in a program that includes levels I, II, and III course work above in the College of Education. In addition, students must complete the following Early Childhood Special Education courses:

ECH ED 3301, Early Childhood Special Education Process and Trends

SPEC ED 4315, Speech and Language of Exceptional Children

SPEC ED 3346, Literacy Assessment and Reading for Students with Special Needs

TCH ED 3212, Sociolinguistics and Communication in the Classroom

ECH ED 4989, Practicum I: Early Childhood/Early Childhood Special Education Site Based Experience

ECH ED 4990, Practicum II: Early Childhood/Early Childhood Special Education Site Based Experience (12)

Total for the B.S.Ed. in Early Childhood: minimum of 129 hours

Professional education courses must be completed with a grade point average of 2.5 and no grade lower than a C.

Beginning with those students graduating in May, 2017 and receiving teacher certification, the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education requires a 3.0 GPA in professional education courses, a 3.0 GPA in the teaching content field, and a 2.75 overall GPA.

Students must pass the relevant exit test to receive the B.S.Ed. degree.

Emphasis area added to provide early childhood majors with content and pedagogical knowledge in special education.

New courses added to reflect early childhood special education content

New name reflects the change to studio schools, emphasis area and the combination of ECH ED 4990 and ECH ED 4991 into one 12 credit hour course, providing students best and most contemporary pre-service educator preparation.

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