Bachelor of Science in Education:
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(Residential & Online)

I. General Education Requirements: 39 Hours

1. Chapel

I. HLG 010 Chapel (in-seat only; 0 credits)

2. Bible

I. Bible BIB 113 Old Testament Survey (3 credits) or BIB 123 New Testament Survey (3 credits)

II. BIB 153 Biblical Worldview (3 credits)

Students may take BIB 132 & BIB 133 (Land of the Bible I & II) as a substitute for either BIB 113 or BIB 123.

3. Written & Public Communication

I. ENG 104 English Composition I (3 credits)

II. ENG 106 English Composition II (3 credits)

III. CAS 101 Introduction to Public Speaking (3 credits)

Academic advisors will use the composition course placement policy to ensure enrollment in the appropriate course. (See Composition Placement Policy in Academic Section.)

4. Fine Arts and Humanities

I. Select three credit hours from LIT (3 credits)

II. Select six credit hours from HST and/or PLS (6 credits)

III. Select three credit hours from ART, MUS, or THR (3 credits)

IV. Natural Sciences Life & Non-Life Science Courses (7 credits)

Students must take at least one course from each of two science areas: one in the life sciences (for example: biology, ecology) and one in non-life science (for example: chemistry, physics, earth science); at least one of these courses must be a lab course. Transfer students with six credit hours of science with no lab should contact the Chair of the Natural Science Department.

5. **Mathematics** Select appropriate mathematics course (3 credits)
    I. *For BAS programs, only MTH 127, MTH 131, 143, 153, or 185 will meet this requirement. For BS or BA programs, only MTH 127, MTH 131, 143, 153, or 185 will meet this requirement. Several mathematics-intensive majors require the completion of MTH 143 or higher to complete this requirement. MTH 127, and MTH 131 cannot be used as a prerequisite to any other mathematics course. Academic advisors will use the mathematics placement policy to ensure enrollment in the appropriate course. (See Mathematics Placement Policy in Academic Section.)*
6. **Physical Education**
    I. PHE 110 Health & Fitness for Life (1 credit)
    II. PHE/VAR Activity Courses (1 credit)
    One-credit-hour PHE or VAR courses designated as an activity course in the course description fulfill this requirement. (EXS and SRM courses do not fulfill this requirement.)

II. Professional Education Requirements: 88.5 Hours

I. EDU 100 Field Experience I (.5 credits)
II. EDU 203 Curriculum & Instruction (3 credits)
III. EDU 213 Literacy for Diverse Learners (3 credits)
IV. EDU 223 Psychology of Learning (3 credits)
V. EDU 273 Psych. & Education of the Exceptional Child (3 credits)
VI. ECE 201 Infant/Toddler Practicum (1 credit)
VII. ECE 243 Org. & Administration of ECE Programs (3 credits)
VIII. ECE 253 Health, Nutrition, and Safety (3 credits)
IX. EED 222 Language Acquisition and Development (3 credits)
X. EED 233 Utilizing Community Resources (3 credits)
XI. EED 253 Literature for Children (3 credits)
XII. EED 263 Collaboration with Families (3 credits)
XIII. PSY 263 Child & Adolescent Psychology (3 credits)

Admission to the Teacher Education Program is a prerequisite for taking 300-level and 400-level courses.

XIV. EDU 383 Assessment and Evaluation in Education (3 credits)
XV. ECE 321 PreK/Kindergarten Practicum (1 credit)
XVI. ECE 352 Curriculum, Methods, & Materials (3 credits)
XVII. EED 302 Teaching Science in Elem. School (3 credits)
XVIII. EED 311 Teaching Language Arts in Elem. School (3 credits)
XIX. EED 312 Teaching Social Studies in Elem. School (3 credits)
XX. EED 321 Mathematics Practicum (1 credit)
XXI. EED 331 Integrating Health & Phys Ed in Elem Class (1 credit)
XXII. EED 341 Integrating Art in Elementary Classrooms (1 credit)
XXIII. EED 351 Integrating Music in Elementary Classrooms (1 credit)
XXIV. EED 333 Teaching Reading in Elem. School (3 credits)
XXV. EED 343 Teaching Math in Elem. School I (3 credits)
XXVI. EED 346 Teaching Math in Elem. School II (3 credits)
XXVII. EDU 403 Classroom Management w/ Char. Develop (3 credits)
XXVIII. EED 423 Reading Diagnosis & Correction (3 credits)
XXIX. EED 453 Literacy Practicum (3 credits)
XXX. EDU 479 Student Teaching (12 credits)

III. Electives: As Needed

I. Graduation requires a minimum of 124 credit hours and a minimum of 40 upper-level credit hours. Only eight credit hours of activity courses may be applied to these minimums.

Total Hours: 124 hours