



ELEMENTARY COUNSELOR, GRADES K-8

EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM NAME WEBSTER UNIVERSITY	EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM CODE 300335
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INSTRUCTIONS

Please complete Educator Preparation Program (EPP) Name & EPP Code above.

Certification Requirements:

- Course Number – List the course number(s) for the course(s) or groups of competencies that align with the specific section of the requirements. It is possible to have more than one course or group listed.
- Course Title – List the course title(s) for the course(s) or groups of competencies that align with the specific section of the requirements. It is possible to have more than one course or group listed.
- Semester Hours – List the number of semester hours for each specific section. It is possible to use decimals (to the nearest tenth) to indicate partial use of a course to meet a requirement. The total number of semester hours must meet or exceed the minimum required number of semester hours.

Email the completed cover sheet, curriculum matrix, and advising/program information to DESE.MoSPETransition@dese.mo.gov on or before the date established in the Transition Plan.

QUESTIONS: Contact Educator Preparation, 573-751-1668 or DESE.MoSPETransition@dese.mo.gov

A. Professional Requirements (Minimum of 42 semester hours at the graduate level with at least 12 semester hours focused on guidance in elementary schools)

1. Knowledge and/or competency in each of the following areas:

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Student Development			
i. Human Growth and Development	COUN 5050	Human Growth and Development	3
ii. Counseling Theories and Interventions	COUN 5200	Theories of Counseling	3
iii. Helping Relationships	COUN 5020	Foundations of Counseling	3
iv. Social and Cultural Diversity	COUN 5100	Social and Cultural Foundations of Counseling	3
v. Appraisal of Student Growth and Achievement	COUN 5220	Assessment	3
vi. Career Development and Planning	COUN 5700	Lifestyle and Career Development	3
b. Program Implementation			
i. Structural Components	COUN 5865	Program Development for School Counselors	3
ii. Program Components	COUN 5685	Program Development for School Counselors	0
iii. Technology	COUN 5685	Program Development for School Counselors	0
iv. Program, Personnel, and Results Evaluation	COUN 5685 and COUN 5850	Program Development for School Counselors and Research and Evaluation	3
c. Professional Relationships			
i. Interpersonal Skills	COUN 5600	Theories of Group Counseling	3
ii. Collaboration	COUN 5110 COUN 5840	Foundations of School Counseling School Counseling Methods and Skills	3 0
iii. Consultation Theories and Strategies	COUN 5840 COUN 5020	School Counseling Methods and Skills Foundations of Counseling	3 0
iv. School and Community Involvement	COUN 5110	Foundations of School Counseling	0

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d. Leadership and Advocacy			
i. Personal Well-Being	EPSY 6501	School Counseling Internship	3
ii. Leadership and Professionalism	COUN 5110	Foundations of School Counseling	0
iii. Student Advocacy	COUN 5840	School Counseling Methods and Skills	0
iv. Program Leadership	COUN 5840	School Counseling Methods and Skills	0
v. School Climate and Culture	COUN 5110	Foundations of School Counseling	0
e. Ethical and Professional Conduct			
i. Ethical Standards	COUN 5800	Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice	3
ii. Professional Standards	COUN 5800	Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice	0
iii. District and School Policies	EPSY 6104	School Counseling Practicum	3
iv. Legal Requirements	COUN 5800	Professional Orientation and Ethical Practice	0
Professional Requirements - Total Semester Hours			42
B. Field and Clinical Experiences (Three (3) semester hours with a minimum of 300 clock hours)			
	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
1. Culminating Clinical Experience in Elementary School Placement	EPSY 6501	School Counseling Internship	3
Field and Clinical Experiences - Total Semester Hours			3
C. Individuals who do not possess a bachelor's degree in education from a state-approved educator preparation program must complete the following additional coursework requirements:			
	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
1. Teaching Methods and Practices	CMAT 5020	Inquiry Methods for STEM and Social Sciences	3
2. Classroom Management	EPSY 5170	Behavior Management	3
3. Psychology of the Exceptional Child	SPED 5860	Psychology of the Exceptional Student	3
Additional Coursework - Total Semester Hours			9

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