



ELEMENTARY EDUCATION, GRADES 1-6

EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM NAME MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY	EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM CODE 119119
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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 36 semester hours)

1. Content Planning and Delivery

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Curriculum and Instructional Planning	ELE410 ELE500	Teaching and Learning in the Elementary Classroom Current Issues and Applications in Elementary Education	1(3) 1.25(4)
b. Instructional Strategies and Techniques in Content Area Specialty	ELE425 ELE429 ELE434 ELE438 RDG318	Methods of Teaching Communication Arts in Elementary Schools Methods of Teaching Mathematics in Elementary Schools Methods of Teaching Science in Elementary Schools Methods of Teaching Social Studies in Elementary Schools Foundations of Literacy Instruction	1(2) 2(3) 2(3) 2(3) 0(3)
c. Assessment, Student Data, and Data-Based Decision-Making	ELE510 ELE410	The Reflective Practitioner Teaching and Learning in the Elementary Classroom	3 0(3)
d. Strategies for Content Literacy	RDG318 RDG420	Foundations of Literacy Instruction Methods of Assessing and Personalizing Reading and Writing	0(3) 0(3)
e. Critical Thinking and Problem Solving	ELE429 ELE434 ELE438	Methods of Teaching Mathematics in Elementary Schools Methods of Teaching Science in Elementary Schools Methods of Teaching Social Studies in Elementary Schools	1(3) .5(3) .5(3)
f. English Language Learning	ELE530	Teaching English Language Learners in the Elementary Classroom	2

2. Individual Student Needs

	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Psychological Development of the Child and Adolescent	PSY360 or PSY710	Educational Psychology, Psychology of Education	1.5(3)
b. Psychology/Education of the Exceptional Child	SPE310 or SPE715	Introduction to Special Education, Foundations in Special Education	2(3)
c. Differentiated Learning	ELE302 ELE410 ELE500	Introduction to Elementary Education and Clinical/Field Experience Teaching and Learning in the Elementary Classroom Current Issues and Applications in Elementary Education	2(3) 1(3) 1.25(4)

d. Classroom Management	ELE410	Teaching and Learning in the Elementary Classroom	1(3)
	ELE500	Current Issues and Applications in Elementary Education	.5(4)
	ELE501	Home/School/Community Relationships with Elementary Children and their Families	1(2)
e. Cultural Diversity	ELE530	Teaching English Language Learners in the Elementary Classroom	0(2)
	EDC345	Introduction to Multicultural Education and Diversity	3
f. Educational Psychology	PSY360 or PSY710	Educational Psychology, Psychology of Education	1.5(3)
3. Schools and the Teaching Profession			
	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Consultation and Collaboration	ELE501	Home/School/Community Relationships with Elementary Children and their Families	1(2)
b. Legal/Ethical Aspects of Teaching	SPE310 or SPE715	Introduction to Special Education, Foundations in Special Education	1(3)
	ELE495	Supervised Teaching	1.5(6)
	ELE496	Supervised Teaching	1.5(6)
4. Content Knowledge for Teaching and Teaching and Learning Strategies for the Young Child (Minimum of 21 semester hours)			
	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
a. Teaching Method Competencies shall include:			
i. Elementary Literacy (Minimum of 12 semester hours) to include Children's Literature, English Language Arts, and Language Acquisition	RDG318	Foundations of Literacy Instruction	3
	RDG420 and	Methods of Assessing and Personalizing Reading and Writing	3
	RDG421	Practicum-Methods of Assessing and Personalizing Reading and Writing	2
	ENG334	Literature for Children	3
	ELE425	Methods of Teaching Communication Arts in Elementary Schools	1(2)
ii. Mathematics (Minimum of six semester hours)	MTH320	Foundations of Mathematics for Teachers	3
	MTH360	Foundations of Geometry for Teachers	3
	ELE429	Methods of Teaching Mathematics in Elementary Schools	0(3)
iii. Science	ELE434 and	Methods of Teaching Science in Elementary Schools	.5(3)
	GRY240 or	Earth Science for Teachers	4
	GLG110 or	Principles of Geology	4
	GRY135 or	Principles of Weather and Climate	4
	GRY142 or	Introductory Physical Geography	4
	PHY101 or	Physics by Inquiry for Educators	4
	GLG171	Environmental Geology	3
iv. Social Science	ELE438	Methods of Teaching Social Studies in Elementary Schools	.5(3)
b. Integration of the following areas:			
i. Art	ELE500	Current Issues and Applications in Elementary Education	0(4)
ii. Music	ELE500	Current Issues and Applications in Elementary Education	0(4)
iii. Health and Physical Education	ELE500	Current Issues and Applications in Elementary Education	0(4)
iv. Technology in Education	EDT365 or EDT662	Educational Applications of Technology and Media, Educational Applications of Computers for Teaching	3
Professional Requirements - Total Semester Hours			BSED/PB=57-58

B. Field and Clinical Experiences (Minimum of ten semester hours)			
	Course Number	Course Title	Semester Hours
1. Early Field Experiences (Minimum of one semester hour with a minimum of 30 clock hours)	ELE302	Introduction to Elementary Education and Clinical/Field Experience	1(3)
2. Mid-Level Field Experiences (Minimum of one semester hour with a minimum of 45 clock hours)	ELE500	Current Issues and Applications in Elementary Education	1(4)
3. Culminating Clinical Experiences (Minimum of eight semester hours with a minimum of 12 weeks in one placement)	ELE495 ELE496	Supervised Teaching Supervised Teaching	4.5(6) 4.5(6)
Field and Clinical Experiences - Total Semester Hours			11

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