

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION (BSED)

Program Map

Course	Title	Credit Hours
First Year		
Fall		
ENGL 1101	English Composition I (minimum grade of C)	3
Mathematics and Quantitative Skills	MATH 1001 Quantitative Skills and Reasoning (or higher level math class) (minimum grade of C) ¹	3
Technology, Mathematics, and Sciences	Science with a Lab (minimum grade of C) ¹	4
EDUC 2130	Exploring Learning and Teaching (minimum grade of C)	3
Arts, Humanities, and Ethics	Fine Arts	3
Credit Hours		16
Spring		
Technology, Mathematics, and Sciences	Science without a Lab (minimum grade of C) ¹	3
Technology, Mathematics, and Sciences	Math/Tech/Science (preferred class is CPSC 1105 Introduction to Information Technology)(minimum grade of C) ¹	3
ENGL 1102	English Composition II (minimum grade of C)	3
EDUC 2110	Investigating Critical & Contemporary Issues in Education (minimum grade of C)	3
EDUC 2120	Exploring Socio-Cultural Contexts on Diversity in Educational Settings (minimum grade of C)	3
Institutional Priorities	ITDS 1779 (2), LEAD 1705 (2), PERS 1506 (1; may be repeated with different topic), PERS 1507 (2)	2
Credit Hours		17
Second Year		
Fall		
ISCI 2002	Physical Science (minimum grade of C)	3
Arts, Humanities, and Ethics	Humanities	3
POLS 1101	American Government	3
HIST 2111 or HIST 2112	U. S. History to 1865 or U. S. History since 1865	3
Social Sciences	World Culture	3
Institutional Priorities	COMM 1110 Public Speaking or foreign language 1001, 1002, 2001, 2002	3
Credit Hours		18
Spring		
ISCI 2001	Life and Earth Science (minimum grade of C)	3

KINS 1106 or PHED 1205	Lifetime Wellness or Concepts of Fitness	2
MATH 2008	Foundations of Numbers and Operations (minimum grade of C)	3
Social Sciences	Behavioral Science	3
ELEM 2000	Induction into Elementary Education ²	0
EDRG 2156	Diverse Children's Literature	2
Health and Wellness	PEDS	1
SPED 2256	Introduction to the Exceptional Learner in General Education (minimum grade of C; see note below)	3

There is a recent rule change for certification from the GaPSC. As of July 1, 2019, students must make a B or higher in the Exceptional Children's course. The course could be any of the following depending on your major: SPED 2256, EDCI 6228, KINS 4245, SPED 4115, PHED 6219

This rule change will not affect your graduation but you cannot become a certified educator with the state of Georgia until you receive the grade of B or higher in this course.

Credit Hours **17**

Third Year

Fall

Requires Admission to Teacher Education

ELEM 3255	STEAM Education for Young Children (minimum grade of C)	3
ELEM 4155	Cognitive and Language Development in Elementary Education (minimum grade of C)	2
EDRG 3215	Teaching Children to Read (minimum grade of C)	3
MAED 5131U	Algebra & Proportionality (minimum grade of C)	3
KINS 3218	Developing Movement Skills in Elementary Education (minimum grade of C)	3

Credit Hours **14**

Spring

ELEM 3256	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment (minimum grade of C)	4
ELEM 4217	Teaching Language Arts in Elementary Education (minimum grade of C)	4
EDRG 4218	Reading in the Content Areas: Concentration in Social Studies (minimum grade of C)	3
MAED 5133U	Understanding Geometry and Measurement (minimum grade of C)	3

Credit Hours **14**

Fourth Year

Fall

ELEM 4235	Science in Elementary Education (minimum grade of C)	4
ELEM 4247	Math in Elementary Education (minimum grade of C)	4
EDRG 4219	Diagnostic Assessment and Prescriptive Reading Instruction (minimum grade of C)	4

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MAED 5132U	Understanding Data Analysis and Probability (minimum grade of C)	3
Credit Hours		15
Spring		
EDCI 4485	Student Teaching	10
EDUF 4115	Classroom Management (minimum grade of C)	2
Credit Hours		12
Total Credit Hours		123

¹ C or better is a pre-requisite for ISCI 2001 Life and Earth Science and ISCI 2002 Physical Science.

² ELEM 2000 Induction into Elementary Education is co-requisite of EDRG 2156 Diverse Children's Literature.