

# Curriculum Contract

## Middle Grades Education (5-9) Bachelor of Science UNION COLLEGE CURRICULUM PLAN

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Candidate

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Advisor

It is the student's responsibility to consult the College Catalog regarding requirements for admission to the Teacher Education Program and student teaching. These include, but are not limited to, a 2.75 GPA overall, in pre-professional requirements, in professional requirements and in teaching emphasis for admission to student teaching.

This *Program of Study* is valid for 3 years following acceptance into the Teacher Education Program. The program may be altered at any time, however, by state or national accreditation or certification agencies.

UNION COLLEGE LIBERAL EDUCATION CORE(or equivalent)      Completed \_\_\_\_\_

### PRE-PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS (15 hrs)

	Required Course		Hrs.	Transfer/Substitution & Inst.	Grade
1.	SPAN 213	Spanish for Pro. Practice	3		
2.	EDUC 283	Educational Technology	3		
3.	PSYH 200	Introduction to Psychology	3		
4.	MATH 230	Elementary Prob. & Stats.	3		
5.	WELL 131	First Aid and Safety Education	3		

Pre-Professional GPA \_\_\_\_\_

### PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION<sup>2</sup>

	Required Course		Hrs.	Transfer/Substitution & Inst.	Grade
1.	Novice Block	EDUC 231	Schooling in American Culture	3	
2.		EDUC 211	Early Inv. Seminar	2	
3.		EDUC 210	Early Inv. Practicum	1	

	Required Course		Hrs.	Transfer/Substitution & Inst.	Grade
4.	Intermediate Block	EDUC 375	Inst. D&D Middle Sch.	3	
5.		EDUC 470	Learn. Theories for P12	3	
6.		EDUC 310	Inter Inv. Practicum	1	
7.		SPED 321	Survey of Except	3	

CASE EXAM: Reading \_\_\_\_\_; Writing \_\_\_\_\_; Math \_\_\_\_\_

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8.	Advanced Block <sup>3</sup>	EDUC 338	Teaching Read Content Area	3	
9.		EDUC 388	Lit in Elem School	1	
10.		EDUC 410	Adv. Inv. Practicum	3	
11.		EDUC 437	Meth & Mat for Middle	3	

Professional GPA \_\_\_\_\_

PRAXIS TESTS		KY REQUIRED SCORE	DATE	SCORE
Principles of Learning & Teaching (5623) <b>or</b> (0623)		<b>160</b>		
Middle School English (5049) <b>or</b> (0049)		<b>158</b>		
Middle School Math (0069)		<b>148</b>		
Middle School Science (0439)		<b>144</b>		
Middle School Social Studies (5089) <b>or</b> (0089)		<b>149</b>		
Spec. Ed.	Core Content & LBD Mild to Moderate	<b>158</b>		

	Applications (0543) or (5543)			
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12.	Final Block	EDUC 488	Prof Interaction in the school	3		
13.		EDUC 478	Student Teaching Middle Grades	12		

<sup>1</sup> Multiple options available. Check with advisor.

<sup>2</sup> A grade point average of 2.75 is required and no grade below a "C" is acceptable

<sup>3</sup> Student must be admitted to Teacher Education to take Advanced Block Classes (see catalog).

<sup>4</sup> To be eligible for Student Teaching:

(a) All Professional Courses excluding (EDUC 488) must be completed

(b) All PRAXIS II content area and PLT tests must be passed.

Student Teaching Portfolio Approval Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## ACADEMIC EMPHASES

Each student must complete a minimum of 23 semester hours in two fields of study. A GPA of 2.75 is required in the Academic Area for graduation.

### ENGLISH/COMMUNICATIONS (24 HOURS)

	Course	Course Name	Hrs.	Transfer/Substitution & Inst.	Grade
1.	COMM 221	Intro to Media Studies	3		
2.	ENGL 310	Major Authors	3		
3.	EDUC 363	Language Arts for Elementary & Middle Grades Teachers	3		
4.	ENGL 315	Creative Writing	3		
	English Genre Course (3 hrs) Select one of the following:				
5.	ENGL 351	The Engl. Novel I	3		
6.	ENGL 352	The Engl. Novel II	3		
7.	ENGL 451	Modern Poetry	3		
8.	ENGL 452	American Novel	3		
	English Period Course (3 hrs) Select one of the following:				
9.	ENGL 320	Medieval English Literature	3		
10.	ENGL 321	Early Modern Literature	3		
11.	ENGL 322	Restoration/18 <sup>th</sup> Century Lit	3		
12.	ENGL 323	19 <sup>TH</sup> Century Literature	3		
13.	ENGL 431	Contemporary American Fiction	3		
14.	ENGL 421	History of the English Language	3		
15.	ENGL 471	Shakespeare	3		

Academic Emphasis GPA \_\_\_\_\_

### MATHEMATICS (22-23 HOURS)

	Course	Course Name	Hrs.	Transfer/Substitution & Inst.	Grade
1.	MATH 230	Elementary Prob. & Stats.	3		
2.	MATH 110	Topics in Contemporary Math	3		
3.	MATH 131	College Algebra	3		
4.	MATH 241	Into Calculus & Anal Geometry	4		
5.	MATH 301	Principles of Geometry	3		
6.	EDUC 305	Elementary Mathematics for Teachers			
	Select one of the following courses:				
7.	MATH 133	Trigonometry & Analytic Geometry	3		

8.	MATH 242	Intermediate Calculus & Analytic Geometry	4		
9.	MATH 321	Discrete Mathematics	3		

Academic Emphasis GPA \_\_\_\_\_

### SCIENCE (24 HOURS)

	Course	Course Name	Hrs.	Transfer/Substitution & Inst.	Grade
1.	BIOL 111	General Biology	4		
2.	BIOL 232	General Zoology	4		
3.	BIOL 112	Organismic Biology	4		
5.	PHYS 111/113	College Physics I & Lab I	4		
6.	GNSC 105/106	Physical Science & Lab	4		
7.	One	CHEM 121	4		
		PHYS 112/114			

Academic Emphasis GPA \_\_\_\_\_

### SOCIAL STUDIES (24 HOURS)

	Course	Course Name	Hrs.	Transfer/Substitution & Inst.	Grade
1.	INSS 103	Cultural Geography	3		
2.	HIST 311	American History to 1848	3		
3.	HIST 312	Am His from 1848 to 1919	3		
4.	One	ANTH 221	3		
		SOCI 131			
5.	One	PLSC 101	3		
		PLSC 231			
6.	Elective (300+)		3		
7.	One	ECON 203	3		
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8.	1	Non-U.S. History Course or HIST 110 Roots of Civilization	3		

Academic Emphasis GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

A total of 120 semester hours is required for graduation. Thirty-two of the last 38 hours must be earned at Union. Appropriate Praxis II and PLT tests must be successfully completed for certification.

Teacher certification requirements are subject to change. Before registering for the test(s), please refer to the Education Professional Standards Board website at [www.epsb.ky.gov](http://www.epsb.ky.gov) for current requirements or call 502-564-4606 or toll free at 888-598-7667.

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