

Curriculum Contract

Elementary Education (P-5) Bachelor of Science UNION COLLEGE CURRICULUM PLAN

Candidate

ID #

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 (27 hrs)

Required Course		Credit Hours	Transfer/Substitution Institution	Grade
SPAN 113	Spanish for Pro. Practice	3		
EDUC 271	Teaching Art in Elementary School	3		
EDUC 305	Elementary Math For Teachers	3		
EDUC 363	Language Arts For Elementary/Middle School	3		
PSYH 200	Introduction to Psychology	3		
WELL 131	First Aid and Safety Education	3		
PHED 261	PE: Elementary School	3		
MUSC 373	Elementary School Music	3		
INSS 103	Cultural Geography	3		

Pre-Professional GPA _____

PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION (53 hrs)²

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

Required Course			Credit Hours	Transfer/Substitution Institution	Grade
Intermediate Block	EDUC 283	Educational Technology	3		
	EDUC 310	Intermediate Inv. Practicum	1		
	EDUC 374	Instructional D&D ES	3		
	EDUC 388	Literacy in the Elementary School	3		
	EDUC 470	Learning Theories for P-12	3		
	SPED 321	Survey of Exceptional	3		

Code	Praxis Exam	KY Required Score	Or ACT	Date	Score
5713	CASE Reading	150	20		
5723	CASE Writing	158	18		
5733	CASE Math	144	19		

Cum. GPA _____

Date Admitted to Teacher Education _____

Required Course			Credit Hours	Transfer/Substitution Institution	Grade
Advanced Block	EDUC 318	Teaching Math in the Elementary School	3		
	EDUC 328	Elementary School Social Studies	3		
	EDUC 338	Teaching Reading Content	3		
	EDUC 348	Teaching Science in Elementary Grades	3		
	EDUC 389	Literacy in the Elementary School II	3		
	EDUC 410	Adv. Inv. Practicum	1		

Professional GPA _____

Code	Praxis Exam (Code)	KY Required Score	Date	Score
5622	Principles of Learning & Teaching K-6	155		
5001	Elementary Education: Multiple Subjects			
5002	Reading & Language Arts Subtest	151		
5003	Mathematics Subtest	148		
5004	Social Studies Subtest	148		
5005	Science Subtest	152		

Required Course			Credit Hours	Transfer/Substitution Institution	Grade
Final Block	EDUC 458	Student Teaching in ES	12		
	EDUC 488	Prof. Interaction in the School	3		

² A grade point average of 2.75 is required and no grade below a “C” is acceptable

³ Students must be admitted to Teacher Education to take Advanced Block Classes (see catalog). ⁴

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 EMPHASIS

A GPA of 2.75 is required in the Academic Area for graduation. No grade below "C" is acceptable.

ELEMENTARY GENERALIST (25 ADDITIONAL HOURS)

	Course	Course Name	Hrs	Transfer/Substitution & Inst.	Grade
1	EDUC 305	Elementary Mathematics for Teachers	3	Course part of Pre-Professional Requirements	
2	EDUC 318	Teaching Math in Elementary Schools	3	Course part of Advanced Block	
3	EDUC 328	Elementary School Social Studies	3	Course part of Advanced Block	
4	EDUC 348	Teaching Science in Elementary Grades	3	Course part of Advanced Block	
5	EDUC 363	Language Arts for Elementary & Middle Grades	3	Course part of Pre-Professional Requirements	
6	EDUC 388	Literature in Elementary School Methods	3	Course part of Advanced Block	
7	HIST 313	Twentieth Century America (Spring Only)	3		
8	Choose One	ECON 203: Principles of Macroeconomics ECON 204: Principles of Microeconomics	3		
9	HIST 110	Roots of Civilization	3		
10	PLSC 101	American National Government	3		
11	HIST 311	US History to 1848	3		
12	HIST 312	US History from 1848 to 1919	3		
14	BIO 109	Elements of Biology	3		
15	GNSC 105	Physical Science (ENVS 101: People and the Environment will substitute for BIO 109 Elements of Biology and BIO 110: Elements of Biology Lab) (On Demand) (4)	3		
16	Choose One	BIO 110: Elements of Biology Lab GNSC 106: Physical Science Lab	1		

Academic Emphasis GPA _____

Program Exit Requirements:

- Students must read and sign the KY Code of Professional Ethics document prior to being admitted into the teacher education program.
- Candidates must demonstrate proficiency in 21st Century Skills for Learning (“4Cs” - Collaboration, Creativity, Communication, Critical Thinking) by successful completion of all admission’s requirements for the teacher education program.
- 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 exam(s), please refer to the Education Professional Standards Board website at www.epsb.ky.gov for current requirements or call 502-564-4606 or toll free at 888-598-7667. It is the student’s responsibility to register and receive passing scores on the correct Praxis II exam(s) for their intended certification area.

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Advisor	Date	Advisee	Date