



STUDENT:

STUDENT ID NUMBER:

College of Education

B.S. in Special Education PreK-8 – Elementary Education 4-8 Science & Eng./Lang. Arts & Rdg.

Program Code: UCOESPUSC

Effective Date: August 26, 2013

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GENERAL EDUCATION

I. UNIVERSITY CORE (12 credits) RC CR GR

	RC	CR	GR
A. Oral Communication: COM 010 or above			
COURSE: COM 010 ♦ (suggested)	3		
B. Written Communication: ENG 023, 024 or 025			
COURSE: ENG 023, 024 or 025 ♦ (suggested)	3		
C. Mathematics: MAT 017 or above			
COURSE: MAT 103 ♦ (suggested)	3		
D. Wellness: any 3-credit HEA course			
COURSE: HEA 102 (suggested)	3		

II. UNIVERSITY DISTRIBUTION (15 credits) RC CR GR CAC

	RC	CR	GR	CAC
A. Natural Science: Any lab or non-lab course with prefix AST, BIO, CHM, ENV, GEL, MAR, NSE or PHY; or certain GEG courses (see note at right)				
COURSE: BIO 010/011 (suggested)	3			
B. Social Science: Any course with prefix ANT, CRJ, ECO, GEG (see note at right), HIS, INT, MCS, POL, PSY, SOC, SSE or SWK				
COURSE: HIS 025 or HIS 026 (suggested)	3			
C. Humanities: Any course with prefix ENG, HUM, PAG, PHI, WRI, WGS, or Modern Language				
COURSE: ENG LIT ♦ (suggested)	3			
D. Arts: Any course prefix ARC, ARH, ART, CDE, CDH, CFT, DAN, FAR, FAS, MUP, MUS, or THE				
COURSE:	3			
E. Free Elective: Any course carrying university credit				
COURSE: ENG 100 (suggested)	3			

III. COMPETENCIES ACROSS THE CURRICULUM RC CR GR CAC

	RC	CR	GR	CAC
A. Writing Intensive (WI) (9 credits)				
COURSE:	3			WI
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B. Quantitative Literacy (QL) (3 credits) OR Computer-Intensive (CP) (3 credits)				
COURSE:	3			
C. Visual Literacy (VL) (3 credits) OR Communication-Intensive (CM) (3 credits)				
COURSE:	3			
D. Cultural Diversity (CD) (3 credits)				
COURSE:	3			CD
E. Critical Thinking (CT) (3 credits)				
COURSE:	3			CT

A Competency Across the Curriculum (CAC) course is not a separate course, but rather an overlay that is “double counted” as fulfilling both the CAC requirements and another requirement in either General Education (except for the University Core), the major, or the minor.

- RC = Minimum required number of credits
- CR = Credits earned (fill in number of credits)
- GR = Grade earned (fill in letter grade)
- CAC = Competency Across the Curriculum (fill in designation)

NOTE: GEG courses with a lab and 040, 322, and 323 may be used in II.A. and GEG courses 040, 204, 274, 305, 322, 323, 324, 347, 380, and 394 may **NOT** be used in II.B.

IV. COLLEGE DISTRIBUTION (21 credits) RC CR GR CAC

	RC	CR	GR	CAC
COURSE: SPU 201 Cognitive Development ♦	3			
COURSE: ITC 321 Instructional Technology in Ed. ♦	3			
COURSE: MAT 104 ♦ (suggested)	3			
12 Credits required by major but fulfilling General Education requirements (suggested courses below)				
COURSE: ELU 212 Teaching Diverse Learners ♦	3			
COURSE: SPU 101 Early Intervention & Transition ♦	3			
COURSE: SPU 314 Effective Inst. Strat. Disabilities ♦	3			
COURSE: SPU 316 Literacy Dev. Core & Intervent. ♦	3			

♦ -These courses require a grade of “C” or better.

TEACHER CANDIDACY REQUIREMENTS

Requirements must be met upon reaching 48 credit hours

- Required Basic Skills Assessments
- Required Grade Point Average
- C or better in ENG 023, 024 or 025
- C or better in any ENG literature course
- C or better in two mathematics courses
- Completion of **program specific** observation hours

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V. CERTIFICATION COURSES (39 credits)		RC	CR	GR	CAC
1. Professional Courses 3 S.H.					
ELU 212 Teaching Diverse Learners at Mid.Level ♦	#				
ITC 321 Technology in Education. Instruction ♦	#				
EDU 326 Intro. To Middle level Educ. ♦	3				
2. Natural Sciences 18 S.H.					
a. BIO 010/011	#				
b. AST 020/021 or CHM 020/021 OR GEL 020/021 or PHY 020/021.	3				
c. Choose <u>two</u> of the following not taken in 2.b. (for 6 S.H.)					
AST 020/021 Introductory Astronomy (lab)	3				
CHM 020/021 Introduction to Chemistry (lab)	3				
GEL 020/021 Introduction to Geology (lab)	3				
PHY 020/021 Introduction to Physics (lab)	3				
CHM 051 Introduction to Forensic Science	3				
BIO/MAR 050/051 Window to the Ocean (lab)	3				
BIO 130 Envir. Issues OR BIO 140 Bio and Society	3				
d. Choose <u>3 additional</u> courses from science list (not taken in 2.b. or 2.c.)					
1.	3				
2.	3				
3.	3				
3. Mathematics 6 S.H.					
a. MAT 103 Fundamentals of Math I ♦	#				
b. MAT 104 Fundamentals of Math II ♦	#				
c. MAT 040 Geometry	3				
d. MAT 105 or MAT 115	3				
4. English/Language Arts & Reading 3 S.H.					
a. ENG 010 (or other lit course) ♦	#				
b. ENG 100 Principles of Literacy Analysis	#				
c. SPU 316 Literacy Dev. Core & Intervention ♦ (Taken in Specialization Block)	*				
d. ELU 342 Teaching Writing at the Mid Level- (Course is taken during Professional Semester.) ♦	*				
e. SPU 317 Intensive Reading, Writing and Mathematics ♦ (Taken in Specialization Block)	*				
f. ENG Elective	3				

5. Social Studies - Choose 3 of the following - 9 S.H. (Only one from each line) (Excluding the 1 taken as a required Gen. Ed. course)					
a. American History – HIS 025 or HIS 026	#				
b. Geography – GEG 010, GEG 020, or GEG 101	3				
c. World History – HIS 014 or HIS 015	3				
d. Political Science – POL 010 or POL 020	3				
e. Economics – ECO 010, ECO 011 or ECO 012	3				
f. Sociology/Anthropology/Philosophy- SOC 010 or ANT 010 or PHI 015	3				

VI. SPECIALIZATION COURSES (15 credits)		RC	CR	GR	CAC
1. Special Education 15 S.H.					
SPU 101 Early Intervention & Transition Disabilities ♦	#				
SPU 201 Cognitive Dev. Diverse Learners ♦	#				
SPU 314 Effective Inst. Strat. Disabilities ♦	#				
SPU 316 Literacy Dev. Core & Intervention ♦	#				
^SPU 317 Intensive Reading, Writing and Mathematics ♦	3				
SPU 318 Assessment and Instructional Methods ♦	3				
^SPU 320 Special Education Processes and IEP Dev. ♦	3				
^SPU 322 Teaching Stud. w/ High Incidence Disabilities ♦	3				
SPU 328 Positive Behavioral Intervention & Supports (Course is taken during Professional Semester.) ♦	*				
SPU 330 Teaching Stud. w/ Low Incidence Disabilities ♦	3				

^SPU 317, SPU 320 and SPU 322 must be taken as a block.

VII. CLINICAL COMPONENT (24 credits)		RC	CR	GR	CAC
A. Professional Semester (Candidacy Required) 12 S.H. Courses scheduled in a block Fall or Spring _____					
ELU 342 Teaching Writing at the Mid. Level ♦	3				
ELU 346 Middle Level Cognitive Development ♦	3				
ELU 348 Teaching Math & Sci to Mid. Level Learners ♦	3				
SPU 328 Positive Behavioral Intervention & Supports ♦	3				
B. Clinical Experience (Candidacy Required) 12 S.H. Fall or Spring _____					
SPU 392/393 Clinical Experience MPH I & II ♦	6				
ELU 392/393 Clinical Experience I & II with Mid. Lev. Learners ♦	6				

Science List (V.3.d)

BIO/MAR 050/051 Window to the Oceans (lecture and lab)

BIO 130 Env. Issues: Global Perspective

BIO 140 Biology and Society

AST 020/021 Intro Astronomy (lecture & lab)

AST 030/031 Mission to the Planet (lecture & lab)

CHM 020/021 Intro to Chemistry (lecture & lab)

CHM 051 Intro to Forensic Science

GEG 204/205 Meteorology (lecture & lab)

GEL 020/021 Intro to Geology (lecture & lab)

PHY 020/021 Intro to Physics (lecture & lab)

*- Student is receiving credit for course as a Specialization requirement.

♦ -These courses require a grade of "C" or better.

- The following courses are required by your major, but can satisfy General Education requirements:

BIO 010 HIS 025/026 (PreK-4)

ENG 010 MAT 103

ENG 100 (4-8 Engl.) / PHI 015 (4-8 non-Engl.) MAT 104

GEG 020 (PreK-4) PSY 011 (PreK-4)

- Student is receiving credit for course as a General Education requirement.

Special Education PreK-8
Suggested Course Sequence
Effective Fall 2014 freshman class
4-8 Math/English

First Semester

*#SPU 201
+ENG 023
+MAT 103
HIS 025/026
COM 010

Second Semester

*#SPU 101
+MAT 104
BIO 010/011
ARC, ARH, ART, THE
+ENG 010
SCIENCE ELECTIVE

Third Semester

*#SPU 314
MAT 040
AST/CHM/GEL (w/lab)
SOC/ANT/PHI
MAT 105 or 115

Fourth Semester

*#SPU 318
EDU 326
*#ITC 321
GEG/ECO
English Elective
MAT 106 or 140

Fifth Semester

SCIENCE ELECTIVE
*#ELU 212
*#^SPU 330
HIS 014-015/POL 010
ENG 100
MAT 122 or 181

Sixth Semester (Professional Semester)

*#^ELU 344
*#^ELU 346
*#^ELU 347
*#^SPU 316
*#^SPU 328

Seventh Semester

*#^SPU 317
*#^SPU 320
*#^SPU 322
HEA 102
MAT 140 or 182
SPU 317, 320 and 322 must be taken as a block

Eighth Semester

#^Clinical Experience

Refer to actual grid for course titles

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4-8 Math/Social Studies

First Semester

*#SPU 201
+ENG 023
+MAT 103
HIS 025/026
COM 010

Fifth Semester

SCIENCE ELECTIVE
*#ELU 212
*#^SPU 330
HIS 014-015/POL 010
PHI 015
MAT 122 or 181

Second Semester

*#SPU 101
+MAT 104
BIO 010/11
Social Science Elective
+ENG 010
SCIENCE ELECTIVE

Sixth Semester (Professional Semester)

*#^ELU 344
*#^ELU 346
*#^ELU 347
*#^SPU 316
*#^SPU 328

Third Semester

*#SPU 314
MAT 040
AST/CHM/GEL (w/lab)
SOC/ANT/PHI
MAT 105 or 115
HEA 102

Seventh Semester

*#^SPU 317
*#^SPU 320
*#^SPU 322
Social Science Elective
MAT 140 or 182
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Fourth Semester

*#SPU 318
EDU 326
*#ITC 321
GEG/ECO
ARC, ARH, ART, THE
MAT 106 or 140

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4-8 Science/Eng. Lang.

First Semester

*#SPU 201
+ENG 023
+MAT 103
BIO 010/011
COM 010

Second Semester

*#SPU 101
+MAT 104
HIS 025/026
AST/CHM/GEL
+ENG 010
HEA 102

Third Semester

*#SPU 314
MAT 040
SCIENCE ELECTIVE
EDU 326
ENG100

Fourth Semester

*#SPU 318
HIS 014/POL 010
*#ITC 321
SCIENCE ELECTIVE
ARC, ARH, ART, THE
MAT 105 or MAT 115

Fifth Semester

SCIENCE ELECTIVE
*#^SPU 330
SCIENCE ELECTIVE
SOC/ANT/PHI
*#ELU 212
SCIENCE ELECTIVE

Sixth Semester (Professional Semester)

*#^ELU 342
*#^ELU 346
*#^ELU 349
*#^SPU 316
*#^SPU 328

Seventh Semester

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*#SPU 201
+ENG 023
+MAT 103
BIO 010/011
COM 010

Fifth Semester

SCIENCE ELECTIVE
*#^SPU 330
SCIENCE ELECTIVE
PHI 015
*#ELU 212
HIS/POL

Second Semester

*#SPU 101
+MAT 104
HIS 025/026
SCIENCE ELECTIVE
+ENG 010
Social Science Elective

Sixth Semester (Professional Semester)

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*#^ELU 346
*#^ELU 349
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*#^SPU 328

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COM 010

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+MAT 104
HIS 025/026
SCIENCE ELECTIVE
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