

Florida Atlantic University - Elementary Education 2024-2025

Student must take 2 of the following courses, 1 must be from group A. The second course may be from group A or group B.

Communication	
(Group A)	
ENC 1101	College Writing I (Required)
(Group B)	
ENC 1102	College Writing II +
ENC 1930	University Honors Seminar in Writing + §
ENC 1939	Special Topic: College Writing +
HIS 2050	Writing History +
Humanities	
(Group A)	
ARH 2000	Art Appreciation
HUM 2020	Honors Introduction to Humanities §
LIT 2000	Honors Introduction to Literature §
MUL 2010	Music Appreciation
PHI 2010 & D	Introduction to Philosophy (WAC) ++
THE 2000	Theatre Appreciation
(Group B)	
ARC 2208	Culture & Architecture
DAN 2100	Appreciation of Dance
FIL 2000 & D	Film Appreciation
FIL 2000	Honors Film Appreciation §
JST 2452	Global Jewish Communities
LAS 2000	Intro to Caribbean & Latin American Studies
LIN 2607	Global Perspectives on Language
LIT 2010	Interpretation of Fiction (WAC) ++
LIT 2030	Interpretation of Poetry (WAC) ++
LIT 2040	Interpretation of Drama (WAC) ++
LIT 2070	Inter of Creative Nonfiction (WAC) ++
LIT 2100	Introduction to World Literature
LIT 2931	Special Topics in Lit (WAC) ++
MUH 2121	Music in Global Society
SPC 2608	Public Speaking
WOH 2012 & D	History of Civilization 1 (WAC) ++(Recommended)
WOH 2022	History of Civilization 2
Mathematics	
(Group A)	
MAC 1105	College Algebra (Recommended)
MAC 2311	Calculus with Analytic Geometry 1 (4 cr.)
MGF 1130	Math. Thinking in Context 1 (Recommended)
STA 2023	Introductory Statistics
<i>Or any mathematics course for which one of the above general education core course options in Mathematics is the direct prereq.</i>	
(Group B)	
MAC 1147	Precalculus Algebra & Trigonometry (4 cr.)
MAC 2233	Methods of Calculus "B" Sections
MAC 2312	Calculus with Analytic Geometry 2 (4 cr.)
MGF 1131	Mathematical Thinking in Context 2
PHI 2102	Logic
Additional Enrichment (6 credits) Choose 6 credits from Humanities, Social Science, or Natural Science	
(1) _____	(2) _____

Natural Science	
(Group A)	
AST 2002	Introduction to Astronomy
BSC 1005 & L	Life Science (3 cr. w/Lab) (Recommended)
CHM 1020C	Contemporary Chemical Issues
ESC 2000	The Blue Planet (online)
EVR 1001	Environmental Science and Sustainability
GLY 2010C & D	Phys. Geol/Evolution of the Earth (4 cr. w/lab)
OCE 2001	Introduction to Oceanography #
<i>Or any course in the Nat Sci. for which one of the above general education core course options in Natural Science is the direct prerequisite.</i>	
** NOTE: at least one science course must have a lab from Group A or B **	
(Group B)	
ANT 2511 & L	Intro to Biological Anthropology (4 cr. w/ Lab)
ETG 2831	Nature: Inter. of Sci., Eng., & the Humanities
GLY 2100	History of Earth and Life
IDS 2382	Human Mission to Mars
MET 2010	Weather, Climate & Climate Change
PSC 2121	Physical Science (Recommended)
Social Sciences	
(Group A)	
AMH 2010 & D	United States History to 1877 ◊ (Recommended)
AMH 2020 & D	United States History Since 1877 ◊ (Recommended)
ANT 2000 & D	Introduction to Anthropology (WAC)
ECO 2013	Macroeconomic Principles
POS 2041	Government of the United States ◊ (Recommended)
PSY 1012	Introduction to Psychology
(Group B)	
ANT 2410	Culture and Society
CCJ 2002	Law, Crime & the Criminal Justice System
DIG 2202	Digital Culture
ECO 2023	Microeconomic Principles
ECP 2002	Contemporary Economic Issues
EDF 2854	Educated Citizen in Global Context (Recommended)
EEX 2091	Disability and Society
EME 2620	Digital Literacy in a Globally Connected World
EVR 1110	Climate Change: The Human Dimensions
EVR 2017	Environment and Society
GEA 2000	World Geography
INR 2002	Introduction to World Politics
LIN 2001	Introduction to Language (online)
MAR 2142	Culture, Consumers, & the Global Mktplace
PAD 2081	Risk Resilience and Rising Seas
PAD 2258	Changing Env. of Soc., Bus., & Gov't
POT 2000	Global Political Theory
SOW 1005	Global Perspectives of Social Services
SYG 1000	Sociological Perspectives
SYG 2010	Social Problems
SYP 2450	Global Society
URP 2051	Designing the City

Please review page 2 for general information regarding the major.

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LEGEND	<p>+ ENC 1101 is a prerequisite</p> <p>++ Two Communication courses are required before taking this course.</p> <p>§ Reserved for Wilkes Honors College & University Honors Program students only.</p> <p>◊ Please visit FAU's website regarding the Civic Literacy Requirements. (https://www.fau.edu/ugstudies/civic-literacy-requirement/)</p> <p>‡ Co-requisite of MAC 1105 or a prerequisite of CHM 1025.</p> <p>* MAC 2311 is a prerequisite for this course.</p> <p>** MAC 2233 is a prerequisite for this course. If a lab is needed, then take General Physics 1 lab (PHY 2048L).</p> <p># The following courses are not offered at FAU but will fulfill this requirement if transferred from another school.</p> <p>WAC Writing Across the Curriculum course – minimum grade of “C” required. Students must take four WAC courses</p>
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FOREIGN LANGUAGE (4 - 8 credits, 1 or more courses in the same language) - **REQUIRED FOR BA MAJOR ONLY**

Students with more than one year of a foreign language in high school should enroll in the second half of the beginners’ foreign language class (ARA/FRE/GER/HBR/ITA/JPN/LAT/SPN 1121) or a higher-level course. Proficiency in a first-level course can be earned by successfully completing a second-level course. For questions related to this requirement, consult an academic advisor. CLEP exam credits meet this requirement: see the catalog.

NOTE: Native Speakers of a foreign language must consult the Languages, Linguistics, and Comparative Literature Department regarding this requirement.

NOTE : Honors Seminars SHALL BE ACCEPTED AS MEETING THE WAC/GRW REQUIREMENT. See the University Advising Services Office for details.

CREDIT SUMMARY

36 cr	General Education
12 cr	Electives (Foreign Language taken for BA count as electives)
9 cr	Lower-Division Requirements
____ 63 cr	Education Major
120 credits	TOTAL

Elementary Education Major

Note: To be admitted to a Teacher Education program, students must do the following:

1. Have a minimum **GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale** on the lower division undergraduate general education component
2. Submit passing scores on all sections of the General Knowledge (GK) test to the College of Education www.fl.nesinc.com
3. Meet the general university requirements for admission.
4. Complete General Education Requirements or an AA Degree from a Florida State University or College.
5. Be interviewed and recommended for admission.
6. Be programmed by an assigned advisor.
7. Be approved for admission by the College of Education.

NOTE: See catalog for specific requirements, course descriptions, and additional information. The requirements for some General Education (Gen Ed) courses & other courses may be satisfied by passing the appropriate AP or CLEP exam. Check with your advisor and college.

Teacher Education programs require a "C" or better in ALL education courses. Elementary Education majors must complete the education course sequence with a minimum grade point average of 2.5 as well as an overall GPA of 2.5. All course selections should be made in consultation with an advisor.

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MAJOR COURSES, COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS and ELECTIVES

NON-MAJOR/FREE ELECTIVES (12 credits)

Courses in any college, any department, including Education, needed to meet the 120 credits required for graduation.
Foreign Language will count as an elective if taken for the BS major.

LOWER DIVISION COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS (9 credits)

EDF 2005 Intro to the Teaching Profession (**15 observation hours**) (3 credits)
EDF 2085 Intro to Diversity for Educators (**15 observation hours**) (3 credits) (**WAC**)
EME 2040 Intro to Technology for Educators (3 credits)

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION (63 credits)

Education Core

First Semester

LAE 4353 (3 credits) Language Arts and Literature: Birth - Grade 8
TSL 4080 (3 credits) Intro to Theories and Practices of TESOL
ARE 4313 (3 credits) Art: Elementary School
EDF 3203 (3 credits) Equity Issues in Multicultural Education (**Prerequisite: EDF 2085 or equivalent**)
EME 4312 (3 credits) Educational Technology for 21st Century Teachers Second Semester

Second Semester

MAE 4310 (3 credits) Mathematics Content and Standards for K-6 Teachers
SCE 4113 (3 credits) Science Content and Standards for K-6 Teachers
EDF 3430 (3 credits) Educational Measurement and Evaluation
EDF 3210 (3 credits) Applied Learning Theory
EEX 4070 (3 credits) Inclusive Education for General Educators

The General Knowledge (GK) portion of the FTCE exam should be taken and fully passed before moving forward with this program.

Education Core

Third Semester

RED 4308** (3 credits) Reading Development I: Birth - Grade 3
RED 4750** (3 credits) Reading Development II: Grades 3 - 8
SCE 4350 (3 credits) Principles and Methods: K-9 School Science (**Prerequisite: SCE 4113**)
SSE 4150 (3 credits) K-9 Social Studies Fourth Semester

Fourth Semester

EDG 3324** (3 credits) Effective Teaching Practices
MAE 4350 (3 credits) Principles and Methods: K-9 School Math (**Prerequisite: MAE 4310**)
RED 4552** (3 credits) EReading Diagnosis and Remediation: Pre-K - Grade 8
TSL 4081** (3 credits) TESOL Issues and Practices
EEX 4616** (3 credits) Classroom Management for Inclusive Elementary Schools

Student Teaching (All other program courses must be completed prior to student teaching)

EDE 4943 (3-9 credits) Student Teaching-Elementary - Fall or Spring Semester
RED 4348 (3 credits) Supervised Literacy Practicum

** Must be programmed and taken fall/spring semester prior to student teaching.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

Students registered in Education courses must purchase "Live Text" which is an online tool that will be used to track individual student competency mastery (CAs) in initial certification programs. For detailed information, please visit: <https://www.fau.edu/education/students/livetext/students/>

Field experience is a required component of some Education courses. All students requiring a field experience placement must have evidence of current security clearance. For detailed information, please visit: <https://www.fau.edu/education/students/oass/fieldexperience/>