

Bachelor of Arts

Elementary Education - Major Requirements

The following lists all courses needed to fulfill the requirements to graduate with an Elementary (K-6) Education Major. Please note that while the items listed in PHASE 3 below are required to obtain an Indiana Teaching License; they are **not** required to graduate from Holy Cross College with an Education Major.

Course	Major Credits	Course Credits
EDUC 099 Indiana K-6 Teaching License Prep	0	0
EDUC 100 Practicum 1F: K-6 Placement (fall) (optional, not required)	2	2
EDUC 101 Introduction to Teaching as a Vocation (fall)	3	3
EDUC 200 Teaching & Learning Theory (fall - online only & spr)	3	3
EDUC 201 Practicum 1S: K-6 Placement (spring) (optional, not required)	2	2
EDUC 203 Practicum 2F: K-6 Placement (fall)	2	2
EDUC 210 Equity Pedagogy: Teaching to Transform (spr)	3	3
EDUC 211 Practicum 2S: K-6 Placement (spr)	2	2
EDUC 220 Diverse Learners: Supporting Special Needs in the Classroom (fall)	3	3
EDUC 250 Child & Adolescent Development for Educators (online spr) or PSYC 315 Child and Adolescent Development or PSYC 207 Lifespan Development (spr)	3	3
EDUC 265 Children's Literature (fall)	3	3
EDUC 300 Practicum 3F: ENL Placement (fall)	3	3
EDUC 301 Practicum 3S: ENL Placement (spr)	3	3
EDUC 310 Reading/Lang. Arts Methods I: Developmental Foundations (fall)	3	3
EDUC 311 Reading/Lang. Arts Methods II: Planning, Instruction, Assessment & Evaluation (spr)	3	3
EDUC 320 Teaching Methods: Assessment, Evaluation, Planning & Instruction (fall)	3	3
EDUC 330 Art Methods: Integrating the Arts (spr)	3	3
EDUC 345 Health & PE Methods: Integrating Wellness (seminar typically offered in fall)	1	1
EDUC 350 Math Methods: Teaching Math Developmentally (spr)	3	3
EDUC 360 ENL Methods (fall)	3	3
EDUC 365 Language Acquisition (spr)	3	3
EDUC 400 Practicum 4F: Student Teaching Placement (fall)	4	4
EDUC 420 Classroom Practices: Creating & Maintaining a Thriving Classroom Community (fall)	3	3
EDUC 425 Social Studies Methods: Teaching Social Studies for Social Justice (fall)	3	3
EDUC 430 Science Methods (fall)	3	3
EDUC 490 Senior Seminar & Capstone*(counts as IDST 499 in Core; not part of major credit total) (spr)	0*	3*
EDUC 491 Practicum 4S: Student Teaching Internship* (of the 12, 3 credits count as IDST 400 in Core; not part of major credit total) (spr)	9*	12*
MAJOR CREDIT TOTAL	72	
Additional Major Requirements		
<p>Phase 1 – Acceptance into the Teacher Education Program: Apply in February of Year 2 (Sophomore) Phase 2 – Interview for Student Teaching: Interview in February of year 3 (Junior) Phase 3* – Indiana Teaching License: Cardio and Heimlich Maneuver Certification, Suicide Prevention, and State Licensure Tests-see below for exam details. Apply for Indiana Elementary Educator's License year 4 (Senior) *not required for graduation</p>		
<p>In order to obtain an Indiana State Teaching License, students must successfully complete all coursework listed above AND pass all of the Indiana State Licensing Exams listed to the right. For ENL Licensing Endorsement, students must pass the additional English Learners Exam. For more information on the Indiana State Licensure Exam Requirements please see the following website: http://www.in.nesinc.com/Home.aspx</p>	<p>Indiana State Licensing Exams: Elementary Education K-6, (aka Praxis Exams):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Principles of Teaching (5622) • Humanities: Read, Lang Arts, Social Studies (5007) • STEM: Math and Science (5008) <p>Optional ENL Endorsement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English Learners (5362) 	
HOLY CROSS COLLEGE CORE REQUIREMENTS CREDIT TOTAL	49	
MINIMUM CREDITS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION	121	