



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION – MIDDLE SCHOOL CONCENTRATION PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM OF STUDY

Student Name _____ E-mail _____

Initial Conference _____ Advisor _____

COURSES TO BE COMPLETED AT JONES COLLEGE

FRESHMAN YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (16 hours)

Table with 6 columns: Course, Hours, Grade, Course, Hours, Grade. Rows include ENG 1113 English Composition I, MAT 1313 College Algebra, BIO science w/lab, GEO 1113 World Geography, and ART 1113 Art Appreciation.

FRESHMAN YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (16 hours)

Table with 6 columns: Course, Hours, Grade, Course, Hours, Grade. Rows include ENG 1123 English Composition II, MAT 1723 Real Number System, PHY or CH science w/lab, PSC 1113 American National Government, and SOC 2113 Introduction to Sociology.

SOPHOMORE YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (16 hours)

Table with 6 columns: Course, Hours, Grade, Course, Hours, Grade. Rows include English Literature Core: ENG, MAT 1733 Geometry and Measurement, BIO, CHE, or PHY science w/lab, and History Core: HIS.

SOPHOMORE YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (15 hours)

Table with 6 columns: Course, Hours, Grade, Course, Hours, Grade. Rows include ENG 2153 Traditional Grammar or any ENG above ENG 1123, MAT 1743 Problem Solving, SPT 1113 Public Speaking, and History Core: HIS.

* NOTE: Elementary education majors with a concentration in middle school education must complete 15 hours of content in each of two areas of endorsement (i.e., English, math, science, and/or social studies).

REQUIREMENTS THAT MUST BE MET PRIOR TO APPLYING FOR ADMISSION TO MSU'S TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM (PHASE II):

- GPA of at least 2.75 on 44-hours of coursework (including the MSU General Education Requirements) and overall GPA of at least 2.5
Grades of at least C in all coursework
Two recommendation forms
Verification of 40 hours work experience with children/youth
Criminal background check from approved source
Purchase a 7 year subscription to Taskstream and proof of liability insurance
ACT Composite of 21 or higher OR SAT composite of 990 or higher OR Praxis Core scores of at least Reading=156, Writing=162, and Math=130 OR 3.0 GPA or higher on 60 hours of transfer work

May transfer up to 61 hours from the community college

COURSES TO BE COMPLETED AT MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY

**** NOTE:** Students must be admitted to the MSU Teacher Education program prior to enrolling in these restricted education courses.

JUNIOR YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (18 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
EDX 3213 Individualizing Instruction for Exceptional Children	3		** RDG 3113 Early Literacy Instruction I	3	
EDE 2523 Intro to Elementary Education	3		** RDG 3123 Early Literacy Instruction II	3	
** EDE 3123 Early Childhood Education	3		TECH 4763 Digital Tools for 21 st Century Teaching and Learning	3	

JUNIOR YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (15 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
EPY 4103 Behavior Analysis for Behavior Technicians	3		** RDG 3223 Diagnosing & Assessing Reading Difficulties in Children	3	
** EDE 3223 Middle Level Education	3		** EDE 3523 Foundations of Elementary * Middle Level Math Education	3	
** RDG 3413 Middle Level Literacy I	3				

SENIOR YEAR – FALL SEMESTER (15 hours)

Course	Hours	Grade	Course	Hours	Grade
** EDE 4113 Teaching Elementary and Middle Level Science	3		** EDE 4143 Teaching Elementary and Middle Level Social Studies	3	
** EDE 4123 Teaching Elementary and Middle Level Mathematics	3		** EDE 4153 Assessment & Evaluation in Elementary Education	3	
** RDG 4133 Integrating Literacy Instruction into the Content Areas	3				

REQUIREMENTS THAT MUST BE MET PRIOR TO MAKING APPLICATION FOR THE TEACHING INTERNSHIP (PHASE III):

- * Overall GPA of at least 2.5 and content area GPA of at least 2.5
- * Grades of C in all concentration area coursework and all professional/pedagogical coursework
- * Proof of having registered for the Praxis *Elementary Education: Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment* and the *Principles of Learning and Teaching Grades K-6, Foundations of Reading* examinations

SENIOR YEAR – SPRING SEMESTER (15 hours)

Courses	Hours	Grade	Courses	Hours	Grade
** EDE 4886 Teaching Internship	6		** EDE 4883 Managing the Elem./Middle Level Classroom	3	
** EDE 4896 Teaching Internship	6				

REQUIREMENTS THAT MUST BE MET PRIOR TO MAKING APPLICATION FOR GRADUATION (PHASE IV):

- Last 62 hours must be completed at the senior college level
- Residency met (i.e., complete ¼ of the junior and senior hours in residence at MSU)
- Completion of all concentration area and professional/pedagogical courses with grades of at least C

***** NOTE:** Questions about approved course substitutions should be directed to the MSU education advisor.