

SECOND AREA OF CERTIFICATION
Early Childhood (Birth-Grade 3) with Elementary Education

Name:

Student #:

Note: SBU reserves the right to amend the curriculum and require teaching certificate candidates to graduate under a program which reflects the state certification requirements in force at the time of graduation.

GPA Requirements:

- ◆ 2.5 overall and in the certificate subject area
- ◆ 2.5 in professional education courses with no grade lower than a "C"

In addition to the certification requirements in Elementary Education, the following requirements must be met to complete a second area of certification in Early Childhood.

Early Childhood (Second Area of Certification)

Course #	Course Title	Hours	Grade	Semester/ Year
EDU 2243	Health, Safety & Nutrition/Young Child (S)	3		
EDU 2232	Introduction to Early Childhood Education (F) [must be taken concurrently with EDU 2381 or 2391]	2		
EDU 2381	Practicum – Infant/Toddler (F/S)	1		
EDU 2332	Teaching the Young Child (S) [Pre-requisites: EDU 2232 and EDU 2381 or 2391 and must be taken concurrently with EDU 2381 or 2391]	2		
EDU 2391	Practicum – Preschool/Kindergarten (F/S)	1		
EDU 2343	Emergent Literacy (F/S)	3		
EDU 2483	School, Home and Community Partnerships (S)	3		
EDU 3212	Screening, Diagnosis and Prescription in Early Childhood (F)	2		
EDU 3311	Field Experience Level 2 in Early Childhood (F/S) ◆ 2.5 GPA ◆ C-Base – pass all sections ◆ EDU 2313, 2131, field work, EDU file, plus requirements for upper-level EDU classes	1		
HPE 2022	Perceptual Motor Development (F/S)	2		
PSY 3053	Child Development (F/S)	3		

Elementary education majors with Early Childhood as a second area of certification will take two Practicum classes (EDU 2381 and EDU 2391) and two Field Experience Level 2 classes.

EDU 2381: Practicum to be assigned in an Infant/Toddler facility

EDU 2391: Practicum to be assigned in a Preschool/Kindergarten class

EDU 3311: Field Experience Level 2, to be assigned in Grades 1,2,3

EDU 3321: Field Experience Level 2, to be assigned in Grades 4,5,6