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BSEd in Elementary Education
(with Concentration in Early Childhood Care and Education)

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Successful completion of the courses listed below will entitle a person to receive the degree BSEd with a major in Elementary Education and will lead to a Missouri certificate to teach grades 1-6 in the State of Missouri.

The following courses are the General Education requirements of Lincoln University and/or Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE). Placement in English courses is determined by the ACT/SAT English score. Placement in Mathematics courses is determined by the Lincoln University Mathematics Placement Test. Based upon these scores additional prerequisite courses may be required.

_____ GE 101	University Seminar	1
_____ ENG 101	Composition and Rhetoric I	3
_____ ENG 102	Composition and Rhetoric II	3
_____ SPT 206	Fundamentals of Speech	3
_____ PED ____	Activity Physical Education	1
_____ PED 111	Personal and Community Health	2
_____ BIO 103	Biological Science	3
_____ PHY 103	Earth or Environmental Science or CHM 103	3
_____ _____	Science Lab (BIO, PHY, ENV, CHM 104)	1
_____ PSC 203	American National Government	3
_____ ECO 201	Economic Principles and Problems	3
_____ GEO	Any Geography Course	3
_____ PSY 101	General Psychology	3
_____ ____ ____	Humanities Requirement	3
_____ ____ ____	Humanities Requirement	3
_____ HIS 205/206/	A course in American History	3
_____ HIS 101/102	A course in International History	3
_____ CD 200	Cultural Diversity in Modern America	3
_____ EDU 260	Education and Cultural Diversity (or other approved course)	3
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Early Childhood Care and Education Courses

____ EDU 161	Principles of Early Childhood Education and Observation	3
____ EDU 201	Practicum with 3s and 4s*	1
____ EDU 203	Practicum with Kindergartners*	1
____ EDU 206	Health, Safety, and Nutrition of Yong Children	2
____ EDU 208	Family and Community Resources	3
____ EDU 276	Observations and Assessment in Early Childhood Education	3
____ EDU 280	Early Literacy/Young Children's Literature	3
____ EDU 285	Program Management in Early Childhood	3
____ EDU 290	Curriculum in Early Childhood Education	3
	Total	**22**

Pre-Professional Education Courses

The following courses and Pre-professional Blocks may be taken prior to student's admission to Teacher Education Program:

_____ MAT 118	Mathematics Foundations for Elementary Teachers	3
_____ MAT 119	Geometry/Statistics for Elementary Teachers	3
_____ ART 203 OR MUS 203	Art/Music for Teachers	2
_____ PEP 210	PE for Elementary Teachers	1
		9

Preprofessional Block I: These courses must be taken concurrently.

_____ EDU 202	Observations in Education	1
_____ EDU 204	Educational Psychology (WAC)	3
_____ SE 221	Education of the Exceptional Child	2
_____ EDU 270 or EDU451	Instructional Technology	3
	Total	**9**

Preprofessional Block II: These courses may be taken over several semesters.

_____ EDU 256	Literature for Children and Adolescents	3
_____ EDU 321	Psychology of Development	3
_____ EDU 406	School and Society (WI)	3
	Total	**9**

Professional Education Courses

(The following courses require that the student be admitted into the Teacher Education Program before registration.)

Elementary Education Blocks (Blocks **must** be taken in this order):

Block III

_____ EDU 418	Literacy Instruction in Elementary Grades	4
_____ EDU 424	Practicum in Reading and Language Arts	2
_____ EDU 323	Teaching Writing Workshop (WAC)	2
_____ EDU 315	Teaching Mathematics to Children: Pre-k thru 8	4
_____ EDU 315L	Mathematics Manipulative and Computer Laboratory	0
		12

Block IV

_____ EDU 425	Assessing and Personalizing Reading Instruction	3
_____ EDU 324	Methods of Teaching Social Studies	2
_____ EDU 423	Teaching Science to Children	3
_____ EDU 435	Classroom Management	3
_____ EDU 302	Paraprofessional Training	1
		12

Block V

_____ EDU 471	Student Teaching: Grades 1-3 or 4-6	10
_____ EDU 475	Seminar in Student Teaching	2
		12

Overall Total **135**