

Bachelor of Science in Education; Leads to grades 4-9 licensure in the two concentration areas selected. This degree program is designed to be completed in 8-9 semesters. Changing majors, academic issues or other unforeseen circumstances may require additional semesters for completion.

**BG PERSPECTIVE (BGP) REQUIREMENTS:**

Course \_\_\_\_\_ Credits \_\_\_\_\_

**Must complete at least 1 course in each of the following:**

English Composition and Oral Communication  
\_\_\_\_\_

Quantitative Literacy  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Must complete at least 2 courses in each of the following:**

Humanities and the Arts  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Natural Sciences  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Social and Behavioral Sciences  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**Complete total required BGP credit hours by selecting courses from any of the above categories:**  
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**UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS**

**Note:** Designated courses in the Humanities and the Arts, and the Social and Behavioral Sciences domains may be used to fulfill both a BGP requirement and one of the following university requirements:

Cultural Diversity in the U.S. \_\_\_\_\_  
International Perspective \_\_\_\_\_

Composition Requirement:  
\_\_\_\_\_ GSW 1120 Academic Writing \_\_\_\_\_

*Total BGP Credits: Must be at least 36*

**CURRICULUM CONTENT 8-9 HRS**

- \_\_\_\_\_ BIOL 1010 or 1040# 3-4
- \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 2140 Mathematical Reasoning (non-Math Concentrations) **OR**
- \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 2150 Number System for Middle Childhood (for Math Concentrations) 3
- \_\_\_\_\_ MUED 2450 or KNS 2430 or ARTE 2450 2

Transfer grades appearing on degree audit will be calculated for methods eligibility.

Undergraduate students and degree holders seeking initial licensure must meet all specified requirements, including satisfactory completion of OAE Exams.

**PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION**

**39-42 HRS**

*(Take blocked courses concurrently. "C" or higher required in all Professional Ed courses.)*

**Year I: What does it mean to be a teacher?**

_____ EDTL 2010 Introduction to Education	2
_____ EDTL 2300 Intro to Educational Technology	2

**Take one block each semester.**

_____ EDTL 2502, 2503, 2504, or 2505 Intro to Subject	4
<i>(Select two @ 2 hrs each, per concentration areas; prereqs for EDTL 3400)</i>	
_____ HDFS 1930Q or PSYC 1010 (prereq for EDFI 3030)	3-4

**Year II: Who are my students?**

_____ EDTL 2020 Teaching Adolescents	3
_____ EDFI 3030 Educational Psychology	3
_____ EDIS 2310 Teaching Students w/Exceptionalities	3

**Take one block each semester.**

_____ EDFI 2980 Schools, Society, & Cultural Diversity	3
_____ EDFI 2990 Education, Culture, & Communities	1

*Take sophomore or junior year, prior to EDTL 3010:*

_____ <b>EDTL 2420</b> Intro to Reading & Literacy	3
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*Take after completion of EDTL 2420 and EDFI 3030*

*(Required for all concentrations except Language Arts):*

_____ <b>EDTL 3421</b> Literature for Content Teachers	3
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**Year III: How do I teach so all students can learn?**

_____ EDTL 3400 Instruction & Differentiation Mid/HS	3
_____ EDTL 3021 Digital Tech for Middle/HS Teachers	3

**Take one block each semester.**

_____ EDTL 3010 Phonics, Fluency, & Word Study	3
_____ EDAS 4090 Organization & Admin of Schools	3

**Year IV - The Professional Year:**

*"Who am I as a teacher?"*

**METHODS BLOCK (Fall Only)**

**15-18 HRS**

*(See eligibility requirements on pg. 3)*

_____ EDTL 4020 Assessment & Evaluation	3
_____ EDTL 4180 Practicum in Middle Grades Settings	3
_____ EDTL 4200 Content Literacy	3
_____ EDTL 4430 Applied Literacy Assessment* (LA concentrations only)	3

**Choose two according to concentration areas:**

_____ EDTL 4460 Investigations in Math	3
_____ EDTL 4470 Developmental Literacy/Lang Arts	3
_____ EDTL 4480 Science Methods	3
_____ EDTL 4490 Social Studies Methods	3

**STUDENT TEACHING (See eligibility criteria on pg. 3)**

_____ EDTL 4920 Student Teaching Internship	12
_____ EDTL 4930 Student Teaching Seminar	3

**MIDDLE CHILDHOOD CONCENTRATION AREAS - MUST SELECT TWO AREAS**

<b>CONCENTRATION: SCIENCE@</b>	<b>21 HRS</b>	<b>CONCENTRATION: MATH@</b>	<b>20-21 HRS</b>
_____ BIOL 1010 Environment of Life	3	_____ MATH 1310 Calc. & Analytic Geometry <b>OR</b>	5
_____ BIOL 1040 Introduction to Biology	4	_____ MATH 1340 & 1350 Calc. & Anal. Geometry	6
_____ CHEM 1090 Elementary Chemistry	3	_____ MATH 2450 Statistics <b>OR</b>	3
_____ CHEM 1100 Elem. Chemistry Lab	1	_____ MATH 3410 Prin. of Prob. & Statistics <b>OR</b>	3
_____ GEOL 1040 Earth Environments <b>OR</b>		_____ MATH 4410 Probability & Statistics	3
_____ GEOL 1050 Life through Time	4	_____ MATH 4140: Algebraic thinking and Misconceptions	3
_____ PHYS 1000 Phys. of the Natural World <b>OR</b>		_____ MATH 2160 Geometry for Middle Childhood	3
_____ PHYS 1010 Basic Physics	3	_____ MATH 4150 Adv. Math Topics/Middle Child.	3
_____ ASTR 2010 Modern Astronomy <b>OR</b>		_____ EDTL 3450 Math. Instruction for Middle Childhood	
_____ ASTR 2120 The Solar System	3	Teaching @@	3
		(Must take prior to Methods block semester)	

<b>CONCENTRATION: SOCIAL STUDIES</b>	<b>24 HRS</b>	<b>CONCENTRATION: READING AND LANGUAGE ARTS@</b>	<b>24 HRS</b>
History:		_____ COMM 1020 Intro. to Public Speaking	3
_____ HIST 1510 World Civilization	3	_____ ENG 2010 Intro. to Literature	3
_____ HIST 2050 Early America	3	_____ ENG 2750 Survey of American Lit. 1865-1945	3
Sociology :		_____ ENG 3440: Literature for the Middle Child	3
_____ GEOG 2300 Cultural Geography	3	_____ ENG 3810 Grammar & Writing	3
Geography:		_____ ENG 4840 The Writing Process	3
_____ GEOG 1210 World Geog: Eurasia/Africa	3	_____ <b>Diversity Issues in Literature, Media, &amp; Theatre: Select One:</b>	
Economics:		_____ ENG 2110, ENG 2120, ENG 2610, ENG 2620, THFM 2150 or	
_____ ECON 2040 Econ for Social Studies Teachers	3	_____ THFM 3500, WS 2000, WS 3010	3
_____ EDWF 2400 Business Prob of Consumer	3	_____ <b>Media, Popular Culture, &amp; Performance: Select One:</b>	
Dem. Processes and Citizenship:		_____ JOUR 1000, JOUR 2010, POPC 1650, POPC 3200, TCOM 1030,	
_____ POLS 3040 American Political Thought	3	_____ THFM 2020, THFM 3400	3
_____ POLS 1710 Introduction to Com. Government	3		

## IMPORTANT CHECKLISTS

- I. **Application for Methods and Student Teaching** (1)  
is made at a sign-up meeting held the FIRST week (2)  
of each semester for students planning to take  
Methods the following semester. Information is  
available in Room 101 Education Building. You must  
be fully eligible for methods by July 1. (3)
- II. **Methods Eligibility Requirements:**
- \_\_\_\_\_ Attainment of 90 semester hours
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 3.0 cumulative and 2.8 major GPA
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 90% of content coursework complete
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Evidence of meeting program OAE requirements (4)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ All course prereqs completed
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in GSW 1120
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDTL 2010
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDTL 2300
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDTL 2502, 2503, 2504,  
or 2505 (per major specialty)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in HDFS 1930Q or PSYC 1010
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDTL 2020 (5)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDFI 3030
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDIS 2310
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDFI 2980
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDFI 2990
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDTL 3400
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDTL 3021
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in EDAS 4090
- III. **Prerequisites for Student Teaching:** (6)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 100 semester hours completed
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 3.0 accumulative GPA
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 2.8 content specialty GPA
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Program OAE exam criteria met
  - \_\_\_\_\_ "C" or better in all methods  
coursework (7)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ No INCs in student teaching course prereqs
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Positive recommendations from Cooperating  
Teacher, University Mentor, & campus  
instructors (8)

## IMPORTANT REMINDERS!

- This is a competitive program. Your GPA is critical!**  
**Meet with your advisor at least once per semester  
to ensure you are on track.** If you have  
trouble connecting with your advisor, contact either  
the Office of Student & Academic Services, 102  
Education, or the Program Coordinator.
- Read course descriptions on the BG homepage  
under "Academics."** These tell you which courses  
are prerequisites for subsequent classes, the GPA  
required, whether the course includes a field expe  
rience, etc.
- Freshman & Sophomore Years:**
- a. Prioritize coursework & studying.
  - b. Complete 1000 & 2000-level classes, along  
with major content courses. These are  
prereqs for other courses you'll need.
  - c. Ed Psych is a prereq for program admis  
sion, EDTL 3400, and several upper  
level classes.
- You are a pre-major in Middle Childhood Educa  
tion until you meet criteria for Program Admission:**
- 3.0 cumulative GPA
  - Completion of GSW 1120, Year 1 block  
courses, EDTL 2020, EDFI 3030, & EDIS 2310  
with a "C" or better.
  - Writing sample
  - Dispositions check
  - Possible interview
- You may apply again later if not admitted.
- Junior Year: You will need a 3.0 cumulative GPA  
and 2.8 concentration-area GPAs to enroll in EDTL  
3400.**
- a. You must also have taken all course  
prerequisites and completed them with a  
grade of "C" or better.
- Senior Year: Both Methods and Student Teaching  
require 3.0 cumulative and 2.8 concentration-area  
GPAs.** See eligibility requirements at left.
- Transfer students** must complete 15 semester hours  
at BGSU prior to program admission.