

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 - at least one Lab Science required

Social and Behavioral Sciences

Complete total required BGP credit hours by selecting courses from any of the above categories:

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:
_____ WRIT 1120 Research Writing _____

Total BGP Credits: Must be at least 36

CURRICULUM CONTENT

8-11 HRS

- _____ BIOL 1010 or 1040# 3-4
- _____ MATH 1150, 1310, or 1340 (non-Math Concentrations) **OR**
- _____ MATH 2150 Number System for Middle Childhood (for Math Concentrations) 3
- _____ MUED 2450 or PEHE 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

40-43 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	3
_____ 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 1930 or PSYC 1010 (prereq for EDFI 3030)	3-4

Year II: Who are my students?

_____ EDTL 2020 Teaching Adolescents	3
_____ EDFI 3020 Educational Psychology	3
_____ EDIS 2310 Teaching Students w/Exceptionalities	3

Take one block each semester.

_____ EDFI 2980 Schools, Society, & Cultural Diversity	3
_____ EDFI 2990 Field Exp in Cultural & Community Contexts	1

Take sophomore or junior year, prior to EDTL 3010:

_____ EDTL 2420 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):

_____ EDTL 3421 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)

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

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

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

CONCENTRATION: SOCIAL STUDIES	24 HRS	CONCENTRATION: READING AND LANGUAGE ARTS@	21 HRS
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 3440: Literature for the Middle Child	3
Sociology :		_____ ENG 3810 Grammar & Writing	3
_____ GEOG 2300 Cultural Geography	3	_____ ENG 4840 The Writing Process	3
Geography:		_____ Diversity Issues in Literature, Media, & Theatre: Select One:	
_____ GEOG 1210 World Geog: Eurasia/Africa	3	_____ ENG 2110, ENG 2120, ENG 2610, ENG 2620, THFM 2150 or	
Economics:		_____ THFM 3500, WS 2000, WS 3010	3
_____ ECON 2040 Econ for Social Studies Teachers	3	_____ Media, Popular Culture, & Performance: Select One:	
_____ EDWF 2400 Business Prob of Consumer	3	_____ JOUR 1000, JOUR 2010, POPC 1650, POPC 3200, TCOM 1030,	
Dem. Processes and Citizenship:		_____ THFM 2020, THFM 3400	3
_____ POLS 3040 American Political Thought	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 1930 or PSYC 1010
 - _____ "C" or better in EDTL 2020 (5)
 - _____ "C" or better in EDFI 3020
 - _____ "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
 - _____ Eligibility for Professional Year Internship: A passing
score on all required Ohio Assessments for
Educators (OAE) as determined each year by the (7)
Department of Education is required to be eligible for
the Professional Year Internship (student teaching). (8)
(Note: OAE test requirements are subject to change,
so continue to check with your program and the
Ohio Department of Education for updates).
 - _____ "C" or better in all methods
coursework
 - _____ No INCs in student teaching course prereqs
 - _____ Positive recommendations from Cooperating
Teacher, University Mentor, & campus
instructors

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.