

B.A. Elementary Education

Code	Title	Semester Hours
BA Elementary Education Degree Plan (120 Hours)		
Core Requirements (45 hours)		
First Year Seminar		3
FYE 1301	First Year Seminar	
Freshmen Composition I		3
EN 1311	Rhetoric and Composition	
or EN 1313	Rhetoric and Composition for International Students	
Literature		3
Any EN 23XX literature course		
Any 1000, 2000, or 3000-level HS course		
History		3
HS 1301	Historical Analysis: U. S. History to 1877	
Social Science		6
ED 2330	Teaching Diverse Populations	
PO 1312	Texas State & Local Government	
Mathematics		3
MT 1303	College Algebra	
or MT 1411	Precalculus	
Natural or Physical Sciences		3
BL 1301	General Biology for Non-Majors	
or BL 1401	General Biology for Majors I	
Fine Arts		3
AR 3381	History of Art Applied	
Foreign Language and International Engagement		6
This requirement is satisfied through one of four ways: (1) One 3-hour course in any language at the 3000 level or above, with a grade of B or better; (2) Two courses (1311 and 1312) in a language not previously studied; (3) Two courses (2311 and 2312) in a language previously studied at the high school or college level; (4) Qualifying scores on an AP or CLEP exam, or both the ACTFL OPI and WPT exams		
Philosophy - Self		3
PL 1301	Intro to Philosophy	
Philosophy - Ethics		3
PL 2301	Foundations of Ethics	
Theology - God		3
TH 1301	Introduction to Theology	
Intermediate Theology		3
Any TH 33xx course		
Area of Specialization: English Language Arts and Reading (18 hours)		
ED 3340	Reading Methods of Teaching Reading	3
ED 3341	Reading: Diagnosis, Remediation, and Prevention of Reading Difficulties	3
ED 3351	Reading: Content Area Reading in the Elementary School	3
EN 3315	Children's Literature	3
EN 3300	Advanced Composition	3
Elective: EN 3313, EN 3341, EN 3351, EN 3352, or ED 4351		3
Education Courses for Teacher Certification (21 hours)		
ED 3301	The American Elementary School	3
ED 3316	Child Development and Learning in the School Setting	3
ED 3321	Instructional Planning, Assessment and Evaluation	3
ED 3355	Educational Technology	3
ED 4338	Professional Development Seminar- Elementary	3

ED 4639	Student Teaching-Elementary	6
Content Area Courses (33 hours)		
ES 3301	Essential Elements of Life-Earth Sciences	3
EX 2381	Essential Elements of Human Performance, Health and Safety for Children	3
MT 3304	Essential Elements in Math I	3
MT 3305	Essential Elements in Math II	3
MT 3306	Essential Elements of Mathematics III	3
SS 3300	Essential Elements of Soc Sci	3
History		6
HS 1302	Historical Analysis: U. S. History since 1877	
HS 2321	Historical Analysis: World History to 1500	
Natural or Physical Sciences		6
ES 1305	Physical Geography	
ES 1300	General Geology	
Fine Arts		3
DM 4191	Special Studies in Drama	
MU 3242	History of Music Applied	
Electives		3
See Academic Adviser for course selection		
Total Semester Hours		120

This is a recommended degree plan subject to changes. Please meet with your adviser on a regular basis.

First Year

Fall	Semester Hours	Spring	Semester Hours
FYE 1301		3 PO 1312	3
EN 1311		3 History - HS 1301, 1302, or 2321	3
Mathematics - MT 1303 or MT 1411		3 Literature	3
History - HS 1301, 1302, or 2321		3 Natural or Physical Sciences - ES 1300, 1305, BL 1301/1401	3
Natural or Physical Sciences - ES 1300, 1305, or BL 1301/1401		3 TH 1301	3
	15		15

Second Year

Fall	Semester Hours	Spring	Semester Hours
PL 1301		3 PL 2301	3
Foreign Language		3 Foreign Language	3
Natural or Physical Sciences - ES 1300, 1305, BL 1301/1401		3 ED 2330	3
ED 3301		3 EN 3315	3
EX 2381		3 History - HS 1301, 1302, or 2321	3
	15		15

Third Year

Fall	Semester Hours	Spring	Semester Hours
Intermediate Theology		3 ED 3321	3
DM 4191		1 ED 3341	3
MU 3242		2 ES 3301	3
ED 3316		3 MT 3306	3
SS 3300		3 EN 3300	3
ED 3340		3 General Elective	3

MT 3304	3		
	18		18
Fourth Year			
Fall	Semester Hours	Spring	Semester Hours
AR 3381		3 ED 4338	3
ED 3355		3 ED 4639	6
ED 3351		3	
Elective: EN 3313, EN 3341, EN 3351, EN 3352, or ED 4351		3	
MT 3305		3	
	15		9
Total Semester Hours 120			