Teacher Preparation Programs
University of Bridgeport
Elementary Education Certification Track Program
Planned Program of Study

Name of Student: _____________________________
UB ID: _______________________
Cohort Class: _______________________

A. PRE-PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS (9 credits - required)
   Foundations of Education
   EDUC 503 Differentiated Instruction: Building on Student Diversity - 2 credits

   Human Growth and Development
   EDUC 509 Psychological Foundations in Education - 3 credits

   Special Education
   EDUC 564 Education of Students with Exceptionalities - 3 credits

B. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (18 credits - required)
   Methods and Materials
   EDUC 441C Methods and Materials of Teaching Mathematics - 2 credits AND
   EDUC 442C Methods and Materials of Teaching Social Studies - 2 credits AND
   EDUC 443C Methods and Materials of Teaching Science - 2 credits AND

   Praxis Test Review
   EDMM 605 Praxis Review in Elementary Mathematics - 1 credit
   EDMM 573 Praxis Review in Elementary Social Studies - 1 credit
   EDMM 674 Praxis Review in Elementary Science - 1 credit

   Literacy
   EDUC 440C Methods and Materials of Teaching Language Arts - 2 credits AND
   EDUC 573 Early Literacy Instruction - 3 credits AND
   EDUC 574 Developmental Reading in the Elementary School - 3 credits AND
   EDMM 621 Foundations of Reading Test Review - 1 credit

C. STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS (1 credit - mandatory)
   EDUC 511 Statutory Requirements in Education - 1 credit

D. FIELD EXPERIENCE (6 credits - required)
   EDUC 515C Internship - First Semester and second semesters - 6 credits OR
   EDUC 450 Field Experience - 6 credits

E. RESIDENT TEACHING (6 credits - required)
   EDUC 348C Directed/Supervised Resident Teaching - 6 credits

F. ADDITIONAL COURSES & ELECTIVES
   Prerequisites
   EDUC 399 College Math for Teachers - 2 credits
   HIST 300 U.S. History for Teachers - 3 credits
   EDUC 530 Child & Adolescent Development - or EDUC 560 Child & Adolescent Psychology 3 credits

   Electives
   EDUC 536C Children's Literature - 3 credits
   EDUC 570 Instruction for the English Language Learner - 1 credit

   Technology in Education Electives
   EDUC 592 Technology Literacy for Educators - 2 credits OR
   EDUC 594 New Technologies for Learning - 2 credits

G. FINAL DEGREE REQUIREMENT
   State Certification Examinations
   NEW PRAXIS II - Praxis 5031 and Praxis 0622 (Required for certification) AND Foundations of Reading Test (Required for certification)

   Non-Certification Final Degree Option Courses
   EDUC 566 Contemporary Educational Problems II - 3 credits (Master’s only)
   EDUC 669 Sixth Year Project - 1 credit

Total # of Credits

Total Minimum number of Credits:
- 33 Credits for the Master’s Degree and 6 Credits for Resident Teaching
- 30 Credits for the Sixth Year Degree and 6 Credits for Resident Teaching

I have read this Planned Program of Study and understand the program requirements for teacher certification. I understand that this program lists a tentative schedule that is subject to change according to university scheduling and state requirements for certification. I understand that if I wish to change my program, I will need written approval from my Advisor.

Student’s Signature: _____________________________
Date: _____________________________

Advisor’s Signature: _____________________________
Date: _____________________________

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