

DEPARTMENT OF TEACHING AND LEARNING

The Department of Teaching and Learning of Southeastern Louisiana University is responsible for the development of undergraduate curricula in Early Childhood Education Grades PK-3, Elementary Education Grades 1-5, Middle School Education Grades 4-8, and Special Education Mild/Moderate Disabilities, and in the supervision and preparation of teachers with majors in these areas.

The Department of Teaching and Learning provides professional courses for all majors in Education and Special Education curricula. As part of the course requirements, students complete 180 field hours in diverse school settings prior to student teaching. School assignments are made by the Director of Field Experiences, and transportation to these sites is the responsibility of the student. A major role of the Department is to provide professional service and leadership to school systems within the University community. Another function of the Department is to offer curricula and instruction leading to Masters Degrees in Curriculum and Instruction, Special Education, and Master of Arts in Teaching. See the Graduate School section of the General Catalogue for additional information.

Department of Teaching and Learning faculty members serve as advisors to undergraduate students majoring in the three Elementary Education Programs and Special Education, and students in the graduate programs listed above.

THE SOUTHEASTERN LABORATORY SCHOOL

The University maintains and conducts a Laboratory School, which accommodates children in kindergarten through the eighth grade. The Laboratory School is a part of the College of Education and Human Development. The School is designed to provide a varied program of instruction and service to afford opportunities for student observations, pre-professional laboratory experience, in-service education, and research.

SCHOOL LIBRARIANS

Students in the College of Education and Human Development who are earning regular certification at the elementary or secondary level may earn additional certification in Library Science by completing 21 semester hours. Courses required for Library Science certification include Library Science Education 401 or 501; 402 or 502; Library Science Administration 403 or 503; 404 or 504; 405 or 505; 406 or 506; and 580. Application to take Library Science Administration 580, Practicum in School Librarianship, must be made to the Department Educational Leadership and Technology, Library Science Coordinator, one semester prior to the semester in which the course is to be taken.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

“English as a Second Language” will be added to the certificate of any teacher who holds a standard teaching certificate and successfully completes the following courses with the understanding that this certification applies only to teachers of children with limited English-speaking ability: Education 516, Education 528, English 414/524 or 642, and Communication 410/510. English as a Second Language certification will be valid only in the teaching area(s) in which one is certified.

HONORS DIPLOMA IN THE DISCIPLINE

The department also offers an upper-division honors curriculum allowing its students to earn an honors diploma in the major at graduation. For information about requirements and honors courses in this department, please contact the Department Head.

CURRICULUM IN EARLY/CHILDHOOD EDUCATION GRADES PK-3 LEADING TO THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

FIRST YEAR

First Semester	Second Semester	
English 101.....	†English 102.....	3
Mathematics 161 ¹	†Mathematics 167.....	3
Visual Arts 105 or 106, Music 151, Theatre 131, or Dance 302.....	General Biology 107.....	3
General Biology 106.....	†ECE 106.....	3
History 202.....	Political Science 201.....	3
Health Studies 232.....	†Communication 210.....	3
Southeastern 101.....		0-3
18-21		18

SECOND YEAR

First Semester	Second Semester	
English 230, 231, or 232.....	†Educational Psychology 304.....	3
†Mathematics 168.....	Mathematics 267.....	3

Music 291.....	3
Physics 142.....	4
††Education 212 *.....	1
††Education 203 *.....	2
SPED 210.....	2
Library Science 102.....	1
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†Education 304.....	3
†Library Science Education 401.....	3
†Educational Psychology 314.....	3
†Education 307.....	3
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	18

THIRD YEAR

First Semester	
English 230, 231, or 232.....	3
†Education 323 **.....	6
†Education 320 **.....	3
†Educational Technology 306.....	2
†Family and Consumer Science 224.....	3
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Second Semester	
Early Childhood Education 400 ***.....	6
†Early Childhood Education 420 ***.....	3
†Early Childhood Education 411 ***.....	3
†Comm Sciences & Disorders 415.....	3
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	15

FOURTH YEAR

First Semester	
†Early Childhood Education 422 ****.....	9
†Art 371.....	3
†Special Education 495 ****.....	3
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Second Semester	
Early Childhood Education 427.....	9
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	9

Total semester hours required 128-131

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¹Students with an ACT Math score of 20 or lower will take Math 155 (5 credit hours) in place of Math 161, which will increase by 2 credit hours the total number of hours required for the degree.

† A grade of "C" or better is required.

†† A grade of "B" or better is required

* Take EDUC 203 and 212 concurrently.

** Take EDUC 323 and EDUC 320 concurrently.

*** Take ECE 400, ECE 420, and ECE 411 concurrently.

**** Take ECE 422 and SPED 495 concurrently.

CURRICULUM IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION GRADES 1-5

LEADING TO THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

FIRST YEAR

First Semester	
English 101.....	3
Mathematics 161 ¹	3
General Biology 106/152.....	4
History 202.....	3
†Geography 103.....	3
Southeastern 101.....	0-3
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Second Semester	
†English 102.....	3
†Mathematics 167.....	3
Earth Science 101 or 102 or Chemistry 109.....	3
Art 105/Theatre 131/ Music 151/Dance 302.....	3
History 102.....	3
†Communications 210.....	3
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SECOND YEAR

First Semester	
English 230/231/232.....	3
††Education 203*.....	2
††Education 212*.....	1
Library Science 102.....	1
†Educational Technology 306.....	2
†Mathematics 168.....	3
General Biology 107/154.....	4
Political Science 201.....	3
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Second Semester	
English 230/231/232.....	3
†Educational Psychology 301.....	3
†Special Education 210.....	2
Mathematics 267.....	3
Physics 142.....	4
Health Studies 232.....	3
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THIRD YEAR

First Semester	
†Educational Psychology 315.....	3
†Education 307.....	3

Second Semester	
†Education 326**.....	6
†Education 320**.....	3

†Mathematics 367	4	†Education 322 **	3
†Music 291	3	†Art 371	3
†Library Science Education 401	3		
†Education 304.....	3		
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	19		15

FOURTH YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
†Education 415***	9	Education 427	9
†Special Education 495***	3		
†Kinesiology 405***	3		
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	15		9

Total semester hours required 129-132

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* Take EDUC 203 and 212 concurrently.

** Take EDUC 320, EDUC 322 and EDUC 326 concurrently.

*** Take EDUC 415, SPED 495, and KIN 405 concurrently.

**CURRICULUM IN MIDDLE SCHOOL EDUCATION GRADES 4-8
LEADING TO THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

First Semester		Second Semester	
English 101	3	†English 102	3
Mathematics 161 ¹	3	†Mathematics 167	3
General Biology 106/152	4	General Biology 107/154	4
Health Studies 232	3	Art 105, Theatre 131, Music 151, or Dance 302	3
†Geography 103	3	†Communication 210	3
Southeastern 101	0-3	Political Science 201	3
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	16-19		19

SECOND YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
English 230, 231, or 232	3	English 230, 231, or 232	3
†Mathematics 168	3	Mathematics 267	3
Physics 142.....	4	Earth Science 101/103.....	4
History 102	3	History 202	3
††Education 212*.....	1	†Educational Psychology 301	3
††Education 203*.....	2	†Educational Technology 306.....	2
†Special Education 210.....	2	Library Science 102.....	1
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	18		19

THIRD YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
†Focus Area I	4	†Focus Area I	3
†Library Science Education 402	3	†Education 320**	3
†Educational Psychology 315	3	†Education 328**	6
†Education 307.....	3	†Focus Area II	4
†Education 308.....	3		
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FOURTH YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
†Focus Area II	3	Education 427	9
†Special Education 495***	3		
†Education 484***	6		
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Total semester hours required

125-128

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† A grade of "C" or better is required. Students must choose two focus areas from the following:

English Focus - ENGL 230/231/232 (3 hours) and ENGL 467 (4 hours) for a total of 7 hours

Math Focus – MATH 367 (4 hours) and MATH 467 (3 hours) for a total of 7 hours

Social Studies Focus – HIST 101 or 201 (3 hours) and HIST 321 (3 hours) and HIST 322 (1 hour) for a total of 7 hours

Science Focus – CHEM 106 (4 hours) and EASC 102 (3 hours) for a total of 7 hours

†† A grade of "B" or better is required

* Take EDUC 203 and 212 concurrently.

** Take EDUC 320 and EDUC 328 concurrently.

*** Take EDUC 484 and SPED 495 concurrently.

**CURRICULUM IN SPECIAL EDUCATION MILD/MODERATE DISABILITIES
LEADING TO THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS
WITH ADD ON CERTIFICATION IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION-GRADES 1-5**

First Semester

English 101.....	3
Mathematics 161 ¹	3
General Biology 106/152.....	4
History 202.....	3
†Geography 103.....	3
Southeastern 101.....	0-3
	16-19

FIRST YEAR

Second Semester

†English 102.....	3
†Mathematics 167.....	3
Earth Science 101 or 102.....	3
Art 105/Theatre 131/ Music 151/ Dance 302.....	3
History 102.....	3
†Communications 210.....	3
	18

First Semester

English 230/231/232.....	3
††Education 203*.....	2
††Education 212*.....	1
Library Science 102.....	1
†Educational Technology 306.....	2
†Mathematics 168.....	3
Physics 142.....	4
†Special Education 210.....	2
	18

SECOND YEAR

Second Semester

English 230/231/232.....	3
†Educational Psychology 301.....	3
†Special Education 363.....	3
Mathematics 267.....	3
Chemistry 106 or 101/103.....	4
Health Studies 232.....	3
	19

First Semester

†Special Education 361**.....	3
†Special Education 440**.....	3
†Mathematics 367.....	4
†Library Science Education 401.....	3
†Education 304.....	3
	16

THIRD YEAR

Second Semester

†Education 326***.....	6
†Education 320***.....	3
†Special Education 365.....	3
†Music 291.....	3
	15

First Semester

†Education 415****.....	9
†Kinesiology 405****.....	3
	12

FOURTH YEAR

Second Semester

†Special Education 441*****.....	3
†Special Education 465*****.....	3
Art 371.....	3
Political Science 201.....	3
	12

PROFESSIONAL SEMESTER

Education 450.....	9
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Total semester hours required

135-138

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** Take EDUC 320 and EDUC 326 concurrently.

*** Take EDUC 326 and EDUC 320 concurrently.

**** Take EDUC 415 and KIN 405 concurrently; SPED 441 and SPED 465 concurrently.

**CURRICULUM IN SPECIAL EDUCATION MILD/MODERATE DISABILITIES
LEADING TO THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS
WITH ADD ON CERTIFICATION IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION-GRADES 4-8**

First Semester		FIRST YEAR	
English 101.....	3	Second Semester	
Mathematics 161 ¹	3	†English 102.....	3
General Biology 106/152.....	4	†Mathematics 167.....	3
Health Studies 232.....	3	Earth Science 101/103.....	4
†Geography 103.....	3	†Communication 210.....	3
Southeastern 101.....	0-3	History 102.....	3
	16-19		16

First Semester		SECOND YEAR	
English 230/231/232.....	3	Second Semester	
†Mathematics 168.....	3	English 230/231/232.....	3
Physics 142.....	4	Mathematics 267.....	3
History 202.....	3	General Biology 107/154.....	4
††Education 203*.....	2	†Special Education 363.....	3
††Education 212*.....	1	†Educational Psychology 301.....	3
†Special Education 210.....	2	†Educational Technology 306.....	2
	18	Library Science 102.....	1
			19

First Semester		THIRD YEAR	
†Focus Area I.....	4	Second Semester	
†Library Science 402.....	3	†Special Education 365.....	3
†Special Education 361**.....	3	†Education 320***.....	3
†Special Education 440**.....	3	†Education 328***.....	6
†Education 308.....	3	†Focus Area II.....	4
	16		16

First Semester		FOURTH YEAR	
†Focus Area II.....	3	Second Semester	
Art 105/ Theatre 131/ Music 151/ Dance 302.....	3	†Special Education 441****.....	3
†Education 484.....	6	†Special Education 465****.....	3
	12	Political Science 201.....	3
		†Focus Area I.....	3
			12

PROFESSIONAL SEMESTER

Education 450.....	9
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Total semester hours required

134-137

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*** Take EDUC 320 and EDUC 328concurrently.

**** Take SPED 441 and SPED 465 concurrently.