Elementary Education / Early Childhood Education
Effective 2014-2015 academic year

I. ACHIEVEMENT CENTERED EDUCATION (ACE) (30-32 hrs)
All UNL students will be required to complete a minimum of 3 hours of approved course work in each of the 10 designated ACE areas. Check with your advisor to be certain that your ACE classes are in the best interest of your academic program.

ACE #1 Written Texts Incorporating Research & Knowledge Skills
   ENGL 101, 150, 151, or 254 (3 hrs)

ACE #2 Communication Skills
   COMM 109, 209, 210, or ALEC 102 (3 hrs)

ACE #3 Mathematical, Computational, Statistical, or Formal Reasoning Skills
   MATH 203, or STAT 218 (3-5 hrs)

ACE #4 Study of Scientific Methods & Knowledge of Natural & Physical World
   **AGRO 131, ASTR 103, GEOL 106, 109, 115 (3-4 hrs)

* ACE #5 Study of Humanities
   ENGL 230A, 231, 260, 261, OR 305A (3 hrs)

Grade* C+ grade or above needed.

ACE #6 Study of Social Sciences
   CYAF 160 (3 hrs)

ACE #7 Study of the Arts to Understand Their Context & Significance
   (Any) (3 hrs)

ACE #8 Ethical Principles, Civics, Stewardship & Their Importance to Society
   TEAC 331 (3 hrs)

ACE #9 Global Awareness, Knowledge of Human Diversity through Analysis of an Issue
   TEAC 330 (3 hrs)

ACE #10 Integration of Abilities, Capacities in a Creative or Scholarly Product
   TEAC 403 (3 hrs)

III. EL ED DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS
The following course requirements will taken in addition to the Enhancement Courses and ACE requirements. No double dipping.

Science Course w/Lab: (Select one course) (4 hrs)
   Life 120/120L; CHEM 105, 109; GEOL 101, 103;
   METR 100; ENTO 115, 116; PHYS 260, 261, 262

Advanced Literature: (Select one course) (3 hrs)
   ENGL 216, 244, 244A, 244E, 245A, 245J, 245N, 344B, 344D, or 345D

History: (Select one course) (3 hrs)
   HIST 100, 101, 110, 111, or 171

Geography/Political Science: (Select one course) (3 hrs)
   GEOG 140, 271, 272, or POLS 100

(Select one course) (3 hrs)
   TEAC 213, 399, 413A, 436, 438, 441, 446, 490,
   EDPS 251, or ENGL 210

II. EARLY CHILDHOOD REQUIREMENTS
These courses may be completed before acceptance into program. Pre-requisite is CYAF 160. Grade* C+ or above needed.

CYAF 210/210L Applied Soc. Dev. & Methods (3 hrs.)
   (plus lab.)

CYAF 270/270L Pre School Child Practicum (3 hrs.)
   (plus lab.)

CYAF 374/374L Curr. Planning in Early Child (4 hrs.)
   (plus lab.)

TEAC 410 Educ. Program for Kindergarten (3 hrs.)

CYAF 474 Assessment (3 hrs.)

Choose 1 course from:

CYAF 383 or Literacy Methods for Young Children (3 hrs.)

CYAF 384 Math, Science & Nature Methods (3 hrs.)

IV. PRE-PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION
Grade* C+ or above needed.

Students must complete the following courses prior to applying to the Teacher Education Program.

COMM 109, 209, 210, or ALEC 102 (ACE #2) (3 hrs)

CYAF 160 Child Development and the Family (3 hrs)

TEAC 297A* Practicum (2 hrs)

Students must take the following courses prior to the application process to the Teacher Education Program. One of the following two courses may be in process one must be completed.

TEAC 351* Learner Centered Classroom (2 hrs)

TEAC 331* (ACE #8) School & Society (3 hrs)

Students may complete the following courses prior to acceptance into the Teacher Education Program:

TEAC 330* (ACE #9) Multicultural Ed (3 hrs)

CYAF 380* Family, Communities, & Schools or TEAC 197* Professional Practicum Experiences: Service Learning (3 hrs)

TEAC 380* Health & Wellness in El. Ed (2 hrs)

Professional Education Requirements
Listed on reserve side

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IV. PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION
You must be accepted into Elementary Education Teacher Education Program before enrolling in the following courses. (*C+ Required)

Teacher Education Program Applications due by 11 AM: Sept. 15 and Feb. 1

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<td>TEAC 259A*</td>
<td>Instructional Technology</td>
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<td>TEAC 297B*</td>
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<td>Practicum in Teach Eng Lang</td>
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<td>TEAC 308*</td>
<td>Teach Math El School</td>
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<td>TEAC 317*</td>
<td>Teaching English Learners</td>
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The following courses are taken as blocks with a practicum experience

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<td>TEAC 259B</td>
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<td>TEAC 397A*</td>
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The following courses may not be taken until being admitted to the Elementary Education Program.

| MATH 302                    | Math Modeling                    | (3 hrs)                  |
| SPED 401A*                 | Mainstreaming (MUST take w/ a blk) | (3 hrs)                  |
| SPED 415/415A*             | (pre-requisite: Lit Block)       | (4 hrs)                  |
| TEAC 302*                  | Children’s Literature            | (3 hrs)                  |
| TEAC 305*                  | Arts and the Curriculum          | (3 hrs)                  |
| TEAC 307*                  | Teach Soc Sciences El School     | (3 hrs)                  |
| TEAC 315*                  | Teach Science in El School       | (3 hrs)                  |

Student Teaching – Early Childhood Education
Apply with your advisor at least two/three semesters before.

| CYAF 497A                   | Practicum                        | (9 hrs)P/NP              |

Student Teaching
Apply by October 1 or March 1 of the preceding semester.

| TEAC 403A                   | Student Teaching Seminar         | (3 hr)                   |
| TEAC 497A                   | Elementary Student Teaching      | (9 hrs)P/NP              |

*This sheet is a guide only. Please double-check requirements with your Undergraduate Bulletin.