

- Minimum 30 of the last 60 credits earned at PennWest.
- Minimum of 39 major credits must be completed at PennWest or a State System (PASSHE) university.
- Minimum Total of 42 Credits in Advanced Coursework.

General Education

Foundations: (15-18 Credits)

First Year Seminar (3 Credits)

- ☐ FYS 1000 Navigating the First Year at PennWest

Quantitative Reasoning (3 Credits)

- ☐ MATH 1110 Mathematics for Teachers I

Written Communication (3-6 Credits)

- ☐ ENGL 1100 Intro. to Comp. & ENGL 1200 College Comp.
☐ Or ENGL 1200 College Composition

Oral Communication (3 Credits)

- ☐ COMM 1010 Public Speaking

Technological Literacy (3 Credits)

- ☐ ED 2333 Technology in Teaching and Learning

Discoveries: (24-27 Credits)

Arts and Humanities (6 Credits)

- ☐ ENGL 2310 American Literature Survey I
☐ ENGL 2320 British Literature or ENGL 2330 World Literature

Social Sciences (6 Credits)

- ☐ ED 1750 Educational Psychology
☐ ED 2500 Cultural Awareness in Education

Natural Sciences and Technology (6 Credits)

- ☐ MATH 2120 Mathematics for Teachers II
☐ ED 1300 Teaching STEELS Inquiry in Schools I

Flex Discoveries (If DSP into ENGL 1200) (9 Credits)

- ☐ ED 2300 Teaching STEELS Inquiry in Schools II
☐ PSYC 2200 Lifespan Development Psychology
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Essential Skills:

Intensive Writing

- ☐ ED 4250 Student Teaching

Capstone

- ☐ ED 4240 Student Teaching

General Education Notes:

If Directed Self-Placement (DSP) includes ENGL 1100, the student will complete 6 courses in Foundations and 8 courses in Discoveries. If DSP into ENGL 1200, the student will complete 5 courses in Foundations and 9 courses in Discoveries. DSP into ENGL 1100 reduces the number of Gen Ed Flex courses to 6 vs. 9.

Program Requirements

Required Major Courses: (57 Credits)

Minimum Program Requirements:

- * 3.00 cumulative GPA
- * C- grade for any course with education prefix ECEE, ED, SPED; plus COMM 1010, ENGL 1200, ENGL 2310, ENGL 2320 or 2330, MATH 1110, MATH 2120, SPED 1050, SPED 2000, SPED 2100.

- ☐ Choose one of the following:
- ☐ ECEE 3700 Teaching Mathematics in Grades K-4
 - ☐ ED 3102 Teaching of Mathematics
- ☐ Choose one of the following:
- ☐ ECEE 3710 Teaching Science in Grades K-4
 - ☐ ED 3104 Teaching of Science
- ☐ Choose one of the following:
- ☐ ECEE 3720 Teaching Social Studies in Grades K-4
 - ☐ ED 3103 Teaching of Social Studies
- ☐ ED 1100 Introduction to Middle and Secondary Education
- ☐ ED 2200 School Law and Ethics
- ☐ ED 3100 Strategies
- ☐ ED 3101 Teaching of English
- ☐ ED 3300 Learning Environments
- ☐ ED 3610 Content Area Literacy
- ☐ ED 3615 Data Inquiry in STEM Education
- ☐ ED 3700 ELL Foundations
- ☐ ED 4100 Educational Assessments
- ☐ ED 4240 Student Teaching
- ☐ ED 4250 Student Teaching
- ☐ SPED 1050 Foundations of Special Education
- ☐ SPED 2000 Assessment and Positive Behavior Interventions
- ☐ SPED 2100 Teaching Students with Disabilities

Required Concentration Courses: (21 Credits)

- ☐ ECEE 3610 Phonetics and Structural Language Instruction
- ☐ ENGL 1900 Introduction to English Studies
- ☐ ENGL 2000 Language, Literature, and Society
- ☐ ENGL 2300 Topics in Literature
- ☐ ENGL 2400 Introduction to Creative Writing
- ☐ ENGL 3321 Literature of Young Adults
- ☐ ENGL 4700 Teaching Writing

Suggested Four Year Course Sequence

Year 1

Fall Semester

ED 1100 Introduction to Middle/Secondary Education
ED 1750 Educational Psychology
ENGL 1200 College Composition
MATH 1110 Math for Teachers I
ENGL 1900 Introduction to English Studies
FYS 1000 Navigating the First Year at PennWest

Spring Semester

ED 2500 Cultural Awareness in Education
ENGL 2400 Introduction to Creative Writing
MATH 2120 Math for Teachers II
SPED 1050 Foundations of Special Education

Year 3

Fall Semester

ED 3300 Learning Environments
ECEE 3610 Phonics and Structured Language Instruction
ENGL 2300 Any Topics Course
ENGL 3321 Literature of Young Adults
ED 2300 Teaching STEELS Inquiry II

Spring Semester

ED 3100 Strategies
ED 3700 ELL Foundations
SPED 2100 Teaching Students with Disabilities
ED 3615 Data Driven Inquiry in STEM Education

Year 2

Fall Semester

ED 2200 School Law and Ethics
ED 3610 Content Area Literacy
ENGL 2310 American Lit Survey I
ENGL 2320 British Literature Survey I
or ENGL 2333 World Literature Survey I
ENGL 2000 Language, Literacy, and Society

Spring Semester

ED 2333 Technology in Teaching and Learning
SPED 2000 Assessment and PBS
ED 1300 Teaching STEELS Inquiry I
COMM 1010 Public Speaking

Year 4

Fall Semester

ED 3101 Teaching of English
ED 4100 Educational Assessments
ECEE 3700 Teaching of Math K-4
or ED 3102 Teaching of Mathematics
ECEE 3710 Teaching of Science K-4
or ED 3104 Teaching of Science
ECEE 3720 Teaching of Social Studies
or ED 3103 Teaching of Social Studies
ENGL 4700 Teaching Writing

Spring Semester

ED 4240 Student Teaching
ED 4250 Student Teaching