

Dickinson State University **Bismarck**-- 2016-17 Catalog -- B.S.Ed. in Elementary Education
(if starting Teacher Education Program in the **Fall**) 11-21-16

YEAR ONE											
FALL					SPRING						
Course			Cr.	Sem.		Course			Cr.	Sem.	
ENGL	110	College Composition I	3	F	S	BIOL	111	* Concepts of Biology (or SCNC 101- Spring)	3	F	S
HPER	100	Concepts of Fitness and Wellness	2	F	S	BIOL	111L	* Concepts of Biology Lab (or SCNC 101 Lab)	1	F	S
MATH	103	College Algebra	4	F	S	COMM	110	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	F	S
PSYC	111	Introduction to Psychology	3	F	S	CSCI	101	Introduction to Computers	3	F	S
SCNC	102	Physical Science**	3	F		ENGL	120	** College Composition II	3	F	S
SCNC	102	Physical Science**	1	F				general education course (see below)	3		
			16						16		
<i>* co-reqs</i> <i>** pre-req = ENGL 110</i>											
<i>general education category: Literary Expressions -- choose 3 credits</i>											
ENGL	261	American Literature I	3	F		ENGL	262	American Literature II	3		S
<i>general education category: Historical Perspectives -- choose 3 credits</i>											
HIST	103	United States to 1877	3	F		HIST	104	United States Since 1877	3		S

YEAR TWO											
FALL					SPRING						
Course			Cr.	Sem.		Course			Cr.	Sem.	
GEOG	121	Physical Geography with Lab**	3	F	S	Pre-Professional Block					
GEOG	121L	Physical Geography Lab**	1	F	S						
PSYC	250	* Developmental Psychology or PSYC 252	3	F	S	EDUC	210	* Educational Technology **	2	F	S
SCNC	103	**Physical Science III	3	F		EDUC	250	* Introduction to Education	2	F	S
SCNC	103L	**Physical Science Lab III	1	F		EDUC	298	* Pre-Professional Field Experience	1	F	S
SOC	110	Introduction to Sociology	3	F	S	ENGL	238	*** Children's Literature	3	F	S
MUSC	207	Music for Elementary Teachers	3	F		ART	122	Two Dimensional Art	3	F	S
		electives (2 cr. needed before graduation)	1	F	S	MUSC	305	* Music Activities for Elementary Teachers	2		S
			18					general education course (see above)	3		
									16		
<i>* pre-req = PSYC 111</i> <i>** co-reqs</i> <i>*** suggest EDUC 350 in year 4 for 1 of 2 credits</i>											
<i>* co-reqs</i> <i>** pre-req = CSCI 101</i> <i>*** pre-req = ENGL 120</i> <i>**** pre-req = MUSC 207</i>											

During the **Pre-Professional Block**, apply to the Teacher Education Program--by November 15, if taken in the Fall; or by April 15, if taken in the Spring.

See the DSU catalog for a full list of Teacher Education program admission requirements. A few things in particular to do when applying:

- √ meet minimum GPA and education course grade requirements
- √ submit passing scores on the Praxis I exam (Core)
- √ schedule an interview with the education faculty
- √ submit a writing sample in response to a prompt from the education faculty

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FALL					SPRING						
Course		Cr.	Sem.		Course		Cr.	Sem.			
Diversity and Exceptionalities Block					Elementary Methods Block -- Spring						
EDUC	280		*	Education of Exceptional Learners	ELED	282	*	Reading Across the Curriculum and Content Read	3		S
EDUC	300		*	Teaching for Diversity	ELED	290X	*	Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II **	3		S
EDUC	398D		*	Diversity and Exceptionalities Field Experience	ELED	310	*	Elementary Curriculum and Social Studies	3		S
EDUC	405		**	Educational Psychology and Evaluation	ELED	390P	*	Teaching Phy. Ed. And Health in the Elem. School	3		S
EDUC	360		***	Managing the Classroom Environment	ELED	398B/C	*	Elementary Methods Block Field Experience I or	1	F	S
MATH	277		***	Mathematics for Elementary Teachers	THEA	340	*	Creative Dramatics	2		S
					MATH	338		Geometry for Teachers	2		S
					17						
<i>* co-reqs</i> <i>** pre-reqs = PSYC 111 and PSYC 250 or 252</i> <i>*** pre-req = MATH 103</i> <i>****co-req = ELED 398B/C or EDUC 398D</i>					<i>* co-reqs</i> <i>** pre-req = MATH 277</i>						

YEAR FOUR										
FALL					SPRING					
Course		Cr.	Sem.		Course		Cr.	Sem.		
Elementary Methods Block -- Fall					ELED 498A * Teaching in the Elementary School					
ELED	281		*	Reading for the Elementary Teacher	15					
ELED	290A		*	Art Methods for Elementary Education ***						
ELED	300		*	Elementary Curriculum and Language Arts						
ELED	390S		*	Elementary Education Science Methods						
ELED	398B/C		*	Elementary Methods Block Field Experience I or						
EDUC	350		**	Portfolio Preparation	15					
					14					
<i>* co-reqs</i> <i>** elective; could be 1 of Year Two's 2 elective credits</i> <i>*** pre-req = ART 122</i>					<i>* pre-req = acceptance to pre-service teaching</i>					

During the semester before ELED 498A, apply to pre-service teach--by October 15 (Bismarck) or October 25 (Dickinson), if pre-service teaching in the Spring; or by March 1 (Bismarck) or March 15 (Dickinson), if pre-service teaching in the Fall. See the DSU catalog for a full list of **Pre-Service Teaching** admission requirements. A few things to do in particular when applying:

- √ meet minimum GPA and education course grade requirements
- √ submit passing scores on the Praxis II exams (content knowledge and Principles of Learning and Teaching)
- √ successfully defend your education portfolio