

Dickinson State University -- 2017-18 Catalog -- B.S.Ed. in Elementary Education, Reading Concentration  
(if starting Teacher Education Program in the **Spring** )

YEAR ONE											
FALL					SPRING						
Course			Cr.	Sem.		Course			Cr.	Sem.	
						CSCI 101	Introduction to Computers		3	F	S
						ENGL 110	College Composition I		3	F	S
						HPER 100	Concepts of Fitness and Wellness		2	F	S
						MATH 103	College Algebra		4	F	S
						PSYC 111	Introduction to Psychology		3	F	S
						UNIV 100	Freshman Seminar		1	F	S
									16		

YEAR TWO											
FALL					SPRING						
Course			Cr.	Sem.		Course			Cr.	Sem.	
BIOL 111	* Concepts of Biology		3	F	S	COMM 110	Fundamentals of Public Speaking		3	F	S
BIOL 111L	* Concept of Biology Lab		1	F	S	ELED 238	* Children's Literature		3		S
ENGL 120	** College Composition II		3	F	S	MATH 338	Geometry for Teachers		2		S
MUSC 105	Foundations of Music		3	F		MUSC 305	** Music Activities for Elementary Teachers		2		S
PSYC 250	*** Developmental Psychology		3	F	S	SCNC 105	*** Physical Science I		3		S
	general education course ( <i>see below</i> )		3			SCNC 105L	*** Physical Science I Lab		1		S
							general education course ( <i>see below</i> )		3		
									17		
	* co-reqs						* pre-req = ENGL 120				
	** pre-req = ENGL 110						** pre-req = MUSC 105				
	*** pre-req = PSYC 111						*** co-reqs				
<i>general education category: Literary Expressions -- choose 3 credits</i>											
ENGL 220	Introduction to Literature		3	F	S	ENGL 220	Introduction to Literature		3	F	S
ENGL 260	Masterpieces of American Literature		3	F		ENGL 240	Masterpieces of World Literature		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 THREE											
FALL					SPRING						
Course			Cr.	Sem.		Course			Cr.	Sem.	
reading concentration elective ( <i>see below</i> )			3			reading concentration elective ( <i>see below</i> )			3		
<b>Pre-Professional Block</b>					<b>Diversity and Exceptionalities Block</b>						
EDUC 210	* Educational Technology **		2	F	S	EDUC 280	* Education of Exceptional Learners		3	F	S
EDUC 250	* Introduction to Education		3	F	S	EDUC 300	* Teaching for Diversity		3	F	S
EDUC 298	* Pre-Professional Field Experience		1	F	S	EDUC 398D	* Diversity and Exceptionalities Field Experience		1	F	S
ART 122	Two-Dimensional Design		3	F	S	EDUC 360	** Managing the Learning Environment		2	F	S
MATH 277	*** Mathematics for Elementary Teachers		3	F		EDUC 405	*** Educational Psychology and Evaluation		3	F	S
SOC 110	Introduction to Sociology		3	F			geology option ( <i>see below</i> )		4	F	S
									19		
	* co-reqs						* co-reqs				
	** pre-req = CSCI 101						** co-req = ELED 398B/C or EDUC 398D				
	*** pre-req = MATH 103						*** pre-reqs = PSYC 111 and PSYC 250 or 353				
<i>geology option</i>											
GEOL 105	* Physical Geology		3	F		GEOL 106	* The Earth Through Time		3		S
GEOL 105L	* Physical Geology Lab		1	F		GEOL 106L	* The Earth Through Time Lab		1		S
	* co-reqs						* co-reqs				
<i>reading concentration elective -- choose 6 credits</i>											
ENGL 211	* Introduction to Creative Writing		3	F		ENGL 232	* Mythology		3	F	S
ENGL 232	* Mythology		3	F	S	ENGL 380	* Studies in Poetry		3		S
ENGL 315	* Structure and History of English		3	F		ENGL 382	Adolescent Literature		3		S
ENGL 320	* Modern Grammar		3	F			* pre-reqs = ENGL 110 and 120				

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 and submit a writing sample in response to a prompt from the education faculty

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YEAR FOUR													
FALL					SPRING								
Course				Cr.	Sem.	Course				Cr.	Sem.		
EC	313	Language and Literacy in Early Childhood		3	F	COMM	211	Oral Interpretation		3	F	S	
<b>Elementary Methods Block -- Fall</b>						<b>Elementary Methods Block -- Spring</b>							
ELED	281	* Reading for the Elementary Teacher		3	F	ELED	282	* Reading Across the Curriculum and Content Rea		3		S	
ELED	290A	* Art Methods for Elementary Education **		3	F	ELED	290X	* Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II **		3		S	
ELED	300	* Elementary Curriculum and Language Arts		3	F	ELED	310	* Elementary Curriculum and Social Studies		3		S	
ELED	390S	* Elementary Education Science Methods		3	F	ELED	390P	* Teaching Phy. Ed. And Health in the Elem. Schoo		3		S	
ELED	398B/C	* Elementary Methods Block Field Experience I or		1	F	S	ELED	398B/C	* Elementary Methods Block Field Experience I or		1	F	S
GEOG	161	World Regional Geography		3	F	S	THEA	340	* Creative Dramatics		2		S
				19						19			
						* co-reqs							
						** pre-req = ART 122							
						* co-reqs							
						** pre-req = MATH 277							

SUMMER (of YEAR FOUR)					
Course			Cr.	Sem.	
ELED	383	* Diagnosis and Correction of Reading Disabilities		3	Summ.
ELED	484	* Practicum in Reading		2	Summ.
				5	
				* pre-reqs = ELED 281 and 282 or approval of advisor	

YEAR FIVE											
FALL					SPRING						
Course				Cr.	Sem.	Course				Cr.	Sem.
ELED	498A	* Teaching in the Elementary School		15	F	S					
				15							
				* pre-req = acceptance to pre-service teaching							

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