



ADVISING WORKSHEET
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION
BROADFIELD MAJOR IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION
GENERAL BULLETIN 2024-2025

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GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS – SEE ATTACHED PAGE FOR SPECIFIC COURSES

General Education Category		Course #	Credits	Grade	Semester	Equivalent
Category I: Global Academic Skills (9 credits) A. Mathematics (3 credits) B. English (3 credits) C. Communication & Information Literacy (3 credits)	#	M 130				
	#	WRIT 101 or 201				
	#	COMX 111 or 115				
Category II: Natural Sciences (7 credits) 2 lectures (6 credits) & 1 lab (1 credit) (1 life science & 1 physical science & 1 lab)	#	SCIN 101				
		SCIN 102 or 104				
		SCIN 103				
Category III: Social Sciences and History (6 credits) A. Social Science (3 credits) B. History (3 credits)		PSCI 210 or 220				
	#	HSTA 101 or 102				
Category IV: Cultural Diversity (3 credits)	#	NASX 105 or 205				
Category V: Arts & Humanities (6 credits) A. Fine Arts (3 credits) B. Humanities (3 credits)		MUSI 101				

A minimum grade of “C” is required in all General Education courses.

Students should consult with their advisor to determine if specific courses are necessary in order to satisfy the General Education requirements within this program.

Certain courses in this program have prerequisites; students should check the course descriptions in the General Bulletin for required prerequisites.

Required for Admission to the Educator Preparation Program

Reviewed:

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

CATEGORY I: GLOBAL ACADEMIC SKILLS 9 credits

Students are required to take one course from each subcategory

Subcategory A - Mathematics 3 credits

M	130	Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I	3
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Subcategory B - English 3 credits

WRIT	101	College Writing I	3
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WRIT	201	College Writing II	3
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Subcategory C- Communication & Information Literacy 3 credits

COMX	111	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
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COMX	115	Introduction to Interpersonal Communication	3
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CATEGORY II: NATURAL SCIENCES 6 cr. lecture & 1 cr. lab

SCIN	101	Integrated Sciences I	3
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SCIN	102	Integrated Sciences I Lab	1
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SCIN	103	Integrated Sciences II	3
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SCIN	104	Integrated Sciences II Lab	1
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CATEGORY III: SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HISTORY 6 credits

Students are required to take one course from each subcategory

Subcategory A – Social Sciences 3 credits

PSCI	210	Introduction to American Government	3
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PSCI	220	Introduction to Comparative Government	3
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Subcategory B - History 3 credits

HSTA	101	American History I	3
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HSTA	102	American History II	3
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CATEGORY IV: CULTURAL DIVERSITY 3 credits

NASX	105	Introduction to Native American Studies	3
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NASX	205	Native Americans in Contemporary Society	3
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CATEGORY V: ARTS & HUMANITIES 6 credits

Students are required to take one course from each subcategory

Subcategory A – Fine Arts 3 credits

MUSI	101	Enjoyment of Music	3
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Subcategory B - Humanities 3 credits

ARTH	150	Introduction to Art History	3
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HONR	111	Perspectives and Understanding	3
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LIT	110	Introduction to Literature	3
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LIT	213	Montana Literature	3
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PHL	110	Introduction to Ethics	3
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PHL	111	Philosophies of Life	3
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PHL	254	People and Politics	3
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Please note: Elementary Education requires specific courses for General Education requirements, as listed above. This list does not reflect all approved General Education courses.

Course			Credits	Grade	Semester	Equivalent
<i>A minimum grade of C or better is required in all major coursework</i>						
Professional Core for Elementary Education						
# Required for Admission to the Educator Preparation Program						
#EDU	105	Education and Democracy	3			
^#EDU	220/ 220L	Human Growth and Development/ Lab (45 hour practicum required)	3			
^#EDU	221	Education Psychology and Measurement	3			
^#EDSP	204	Introduction to Teaching Exceptional Learners (15 hour practicum required)	3			
#HTH	201	Health Issues for Educators	3			
EDU	381	Curriculum Theory and Design	3			
EDU	353	Junior Field Experience	2			
EDU	406	Philosophical, Legal and Ethical Issues in Education	3			
EDU	495B	Student Teaching: K-8	12			

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION – ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

Categories	Credits	Earned	Remaining
General Education	31	_____	_____
Professional Education Core	*32	_____	_____
Required Elementary Education Courses	62	_____	_____
Total	128	_____	_____

It is the student's responsibility to know and meet the requirements for graduation.

A minimum of 36 credits must be upper division classes (300 and above).

NOTES:

^ Course requires a completed Federal Criminal Background Check in order to complete the required practicum hours within the class. Packets may be picked up at either the Advising Center in McMullen Hall or in the College of Education, or can be printed off the website at <http://www.msubillings.edu/coe/etp/FieldExper/FingerprintInfo.htm>. The background check is only valid for 24 months.