



## Checklist for Initial Application to the Educator Preparation Program (EPP)

### Educator Preparation Program Pathway

#### **Establish a GPA of 2.50 or higher**

\_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative University of Nebraska System GPA of 2.50 or higher with 12+ credit hours in the NU system

\_\_\_\_\_ New Transfer Students: Transfer GPA of 2.50 or higher. If student has completed less than 12 credit hours in the NU System, NU GPA will be combined with transfer GPA.

#### **Complete the following courses with a grade of C- or higher\*\***

\_\_\_\_\_ English Composition I (ENGL 1140/1150) or proficiency

#### **The following courses may be in-progress at the time of application\*, or completed ahead of time with a grade of C- or higher\*\***

\_\_\_\_\_ English Composition II (ENGL 1160/ 2160) or proficiency

\_\_\_\_\_ Communication Studies (CMST 1110 Public Speaking or CMST 2120 Debate)

\_\_\_\_\_ MATH 1120, MATH 1130, MATH 1140, MATH 1300 or math proficiency

#### **The following courses may be in-progress at the time of application\*, or completed ahead of time (within the past ten years) with a grade of C or higher**

- Elementary Education, Elementary Special Education, Secondary Education, Secondary Special Education

\_\_\_\_\_ TED 2100 Educational Foundations (prerequisite: GPA 2.0 or higher)

- Early Childhood Inclusive

\_\_\_\_\_ TED 2250 Intro to Early Childhood Education or TED 2100 Educational Foundations (prerequisite: GPA 2.0 or higher)

*\*Students who apply to the Educator Prep Program, but do not pass TED 2100 or TED 2250 (ECI endorsement only) with a grade of C or higher, will not be permitted to continue in the Educator Prep Program until such grade is received.*

*Students who apply to the Educator Prep Program, but do not pass English Comp. II, Communication Studies and Math requirements with a grade of C- or higher will not be permitted to continue in the Educator Prep Program until such grade is received.*

*\*\*If you have completed an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science from an accredited institution, please talk with an academic advisor if you have not completed one or more of these courses (ENGL 1150, ENGL 1160, CMST 1110/ 2120, or quantitative literacy). If an endorsement requires one or more of these courses as a pre-requisite, you must satisfy the pre-requisite by taking the course(s).*

### Initial Application Deadlines

- Monthly application deadlines: 1<sup>st</sup> of every month
  - Jan. 1, Feb. 1, March 1, April 1, May 1, June 1, July 1, Aug. 1: deadline for Fall term start
  - Sept. 1, Oct. 1, Nov. 1, Dec. 1: deadline for Spring term start

**Complete [online application here](#).**

## **Paraprofessional Pathway**

**Please note: Elementary Education only, Summer start. Must apply to EPP by April 1**

### **Establish a GPA of 2.50 or higher**

\_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative University of Nebraska System GPA of 2.50 or higher with 12+ credit hours in the NU system

\_\_\_\_\_ New Transfer Students: Transfer GPA of 2.50 or higher. If student has completed less than 12 credit hours in the NU System, NU GPA will be combined with transfer GPA.

### **Complete the following courses with a grade of C- or higher**

\_\_\_\_\_ English Composition I (ENGL 1140/1150) or proficiency\*\*

### **The following courses may be in-progress at the time of application\*, or completed ahead of time with a grade of C- or higher\*\***

\_\_\_\_\_ English Composition II (ENGL 1160/ 2160) or proficiency

\_\_\_\_\_ Communication Studies (CMST 1110 Public Speaking or CMST 2120 Debate)

\_\_\_\_\_ MATH 1120, MATH 1130, MATH 1140, MATH 1300 or math proficiency

*\*Students who apply to the Educator Prep Program, but do not pass English Comp. II, Communication Studies and Math requirements with a grade of C- or higher will not be permitted to continue in the Educator Prep Program until such grade is received.*

*\*\*If you have completed an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science from an accredited institution, please talk with an academic advisor if you have not completed one or more of these courses (ENGL 1150, ENGL 1160, CMST 1110/ 2120, or quantitative literacy). If an endorsement requires one or more of these courses as a pre-requisite, you must satisfy the pre-requisite by taking the course(s).*

## **Initial Application Deadlines**

- For the Paraprofessional Pathway for Elementary Education, you must apply by April 1 to start in the summer semester.

**Complete [online application here](#).**



## Checklist for Formal Admission to the Educator Preparation Program

### Establish a GPA of 2.75 or higher\*

\_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative University of Nebraska System GPA of 2.75 or higher (3.0 for social science candidates)

### Complete the following field experience courses with a grade of C or higher\*\*

#### Elementary Education and Early Childhood Inclusive Courses

\_\_\_\_\_ TED 2300 Human Growth & Learning (3) (not required for ECI endorsement)

\_\_\_\_\_ TED 2400 Plan for Effective Teaching (6) or TED 2410/ 2420 Found. of Planning/ Pract. (6)

OR

#### Secondary Education Courses

\_\_\_\_\_ TED 2380 Development in Adolescence (3)

\_\_\_\_\_ TED 2400 Plan for Effective Teaching (6)

OR

#### Music Education Courses

\_\_\_\_\_ MUS 3600 Music Education Core I (5)

*\*Students who are pursuing the Secondary Social Science endorsement must establish a NU system GPA of 3.0 or higher for formal admission.*

*\*\*Students who are initially admitted to the Educator Prep Program, but do not pass TED 2300 or TED 2380 and TED 2400 or TED 2410/ 2420 or MUS 3600 with a grade of C or higher, will not be permitted to continue in the Educator Prep Program course sequence until such grade is received.*

## Formal Admission to Educator Preparation

There is no second application to be fully admitted to EPP.

GPA and passing grades for TED 2300 or TED 2380 and TED 2400 or TED 2410/2420 or MUS 3600 will be verified by the Office of Academic Advising and Field Experiences.

It is strongly encouraged that students meet with their academic advisor regularly for the most updated program and policy information.