**Elementary Masters**

**Early Childhood Education with Early Childhood Endorsement (Blended)**

*Course Planning Document reflects the most likely scheduling.*

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| **Date Completed** | **Task** |
|  | Figure out your *Plan of Study*. Meet with your advisor.   * Mockup your plan by highlighting the semester you’ll take each course **and** your course selections. |
|  | Meet with your advisor to finalize your *Plan of Study* after 12 Credit Hours.   * Any changes to this signed plan of study must be approved by your advisor and the TED Graduate Program Chair. |
|  | Must take a diversity course within the first 18 Credit Hours. |
|  | Update your grade sheet by entering the grades for the classes you have taken. Do this when you reach your final 6 credit hours. |
|  | Apply for graduation during your last class. |

* 820 (e.g., 821, 822, etc.) – “Online instruction” typically refers to instructors and students meeting synchronously using digital technology (eg: Zoom) at scheduled times throughout the semester. Typically, there are four synchronous virtual meetings. Please see the notes in the class search for virtual meeting dates and times.
* 860 (e.g., 861,862, etc.) – “Hybrid instruction” refers to a mix of in-person instruction and online instruction, with reduced contact time on campus. Class meets 4 times face-to-face. Please see the notes in the class search for virtual meeting dates and times.
* **Diversity course must be taken within the first 18 credit hours.**
* **Data-Driven Decision Making (TED 8050) or Intro to Research (TED 8010) should be taken the semester before capstone or within the last 9 hours.**
* **Capstone must be taken with 6 or less credits hours remaining**

After completion of the courses on this plan of study, you must apply to the Nebraska Department of Education to add this endorsement and next contact the Certification Office ([unocertification@unomaha.edu](mailto:unocertification@unomaha.edu)) to request that institutional verification be sent to NDE.  For questions about certification, contact [unocertification@unomaha.edu](mailto:unocertification@unomaha.edu).

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| **Required Classes** | |  | **Fall** | **Spring** | **Summer** | **Year** | **Grade** |
| TED 8700 | Elementary Education Capstone   * Exit Requirement - Must receive a B or better. Capstone must be taken with 6 or less credit hours remaining | 3 | hybrid | hybrid |  |  |  |
| **Research Course** (select one class below)  This class should be taken the semester before capstone  or within the last 9 hours. | |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TED 8010 | Introduction to Research | 3 | online | online | online |  |  |
| TED 8050 | Data-Driven Decision Making | 3 | online | online | online |  |  |
| TED 8870 | Research with Children | 3 | TBD | TBD | TBD |  |  |
| **Diversity Course** (select one class below) | |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TED 8130 | Language, Culture, Power | 3 | hybrid |  | online |  |  |
| TED 8150 | Anti-Racism Education: Principles and Practices | 3 | hybrid |  |  |  |  |
| TED 8160 | Multilingual Strategies for PK-12 Educators | 3 | online | hybrid |  |  |  |
| TED 8180 | Culturally Responsive Teaching | 3 | online | online |  |  |  |
| TED 8210 | Principles of Multicultural Education | 3 |  |  | online |  |  |
| TED 8280 | Human Rights in PK-12 Education | 3 |  | hybrid |  |  |  |
| TED 8290 | Trauma Informed Education | 3 | online |  |  |  |  |
| TED 9200 | Critical Pedagogy: Teaching for Social Justice | 3 | TBD | TBD | TBD |  |  |
| **Technology Course** (select one class below) | |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TED 8540 | Digital Citizenship | 3 | online | online | online |  |  |
| TED 8550 | Technology for Creative and Critical Thinking | 3 | online | online |  |  |  |
| TED 8560 | Technology for Diverse Learners | 3 | online | online |  |  |  |
| TED 8580 | Online Teaching and Learning | 3 |  |  | online |  |  |
| TED 8590 | Teaching and Learning in Digital Environments | 3 | online |  | online |  |  |
| **Concentration Courses**  Endorsement courses are in italics. | |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TED 8250 | *Assessment for Classroom Teachers* | 3 |  | online |  |  |  |
| TED 8200 | *Social Worlds of the Young Child* | 3 | hybrid |  |  |  |  |
| TED 8800 | *Multicultural Literature for Children and Youth* | 3 |  | online | online |  |  |
| TED 8220 | *Play as a Learning Medium in Early Childhood Education* | 3 |  |  | online |  |  |
| TED 8240 | *Family, School, and Community Partners* | 3 |  | hybrid |  |  |  |
| TED 8260 | *Advanced Curriculum in Early Childhood* | 3 | hybrid |  |  |  |  |
| TED 8810 | *STEM Curriculum and Research for Elementary and Early Learners* | 3 |  |  | online |  |  |
| **Select one elective** | |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ELECTIVE |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Credits** |  | 36 |  |  |  |  |  |

At the end of your master’s program, you would be eligible for a provisional ECE endorsement. A one-hour practicum and one additional class is required for a full ECE endorsement.

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| **Required Added Class for Endorsement** | |  | **Fall** | **Spring** | **Summer** | **Year** | **Grade** |
| TED 8980 | Internship: Early Childhood Education   * This should be the last class you take. | 1 |  |  | in-person |  |  |

**Transfer Credit**: (Official transcript for completed hours must be on file with the Office of Graduate Studies before plan of study is approved. Up to 12 credit hours may be transferred.)

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| **Course No.** | **Course Title & Institution** | **Grade** | **Hours** | **Replaces** |
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| **Program** | **Concentration** | **Endorsement** |
| Elementary Master’s | * Early Childhood Education | * Early Childhood Education |

**If pursuing an endorsement, please add the plan below.**

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| **Student** |  | **Date** |  |  | **Graduate Program Chair** |  | **Date** |

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| **Advisor** |  | **Date** |  |  |