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CORE CURRICULUM – 43-45 Semester Hours (SH) Students <u>must maintain a grade of C or better in all Core Curriculum courses</u> UNIVERSITY CORE COLLEGE CORE

A. Core Foundations (12SH)	<u>B. Core Skills & Knowledge</u> (16SH)	<u>A. National & International</u> Perspectives (6SH)	<u>B. Supporting Skills &</u> Knowledge (9-11SH)
CORE 101 3	Courses must be from different disciplines:	Courses must be from different disciplines:	NATURAL SCI. OR MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (3/4 SH)
CORE 102 3	MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (3SH) MATH 121	U.S. PERSPECTIVES (3 SH)	MATH 122 3** (Geometry & Measurement)
HNRS 103* 3	(Number & Number Operations)	HIST 111 or 112 3**	HUMANITIES, VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS OR FOREIGN LANGUAGES (3-4 SH)
CORE 201 3	NATURAL SCIENCES (4 SH)	GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES (3SH)	(SPAN is recommended) 3
CORE 202 3	(BIOL or GEOL recommended) 4	GEOG 3**	One of the following: CLSS 110 , CCST 110,ENGL 200, HIST 101, 102 PHIL 111,
NOTE: Courses listed in multiple areas can only be used to fulfill a single area requirement.	One of the following: ASTR 111, 112 BIOL 103, 104, 105 CHEM 101: 102, 120 GEOL 100, 105: 106 PHYS 111: 112, 221: 222	One of the following: GEOG 101, 102, 140, 280	112, 114 POSC 110 RELN 111, 112, 203, 206 Or ART 100, 215, 216 DNCE 111 MUSC 100, 121, 123 THEA 100, 180 Or ARAB 101:102, 201:202 CHNS 101: 102,
Students can use only one course with their major prefix to fulfill core requirements.	HUMANITIES (3 SH) HIST 101 or 102 3**		201: 202 FORL 100, 109, 209, 309, 409, 200: 210 FREN 100, 200, 210, 300, 320 GRMN 100, 200: 210, 300 LATN 101: 102, 201, 350 RUSS 100, 200, 210, 300 SPAN
* Honors course – will replace CORE 101 & 102 for those students in the RU honors program	SOCIAL/BEHAV. SCIENCES(3SH) ECON 205 or 206		101: 102, 103, 201: 202 <u>SOCIAL/ BEHAV. SCI. OR HEALTH &</u> <u>WELLNESS (3SH)</u> (HLTH 111 or 200 recommended)
**Program requirements met through Core Curriculum	VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS (3 SH) 3 One of the following: ART 100, 215, 216 CVPA 266, DNCE 111 MUSC 100, 121, 123 THEA 100, 180		3 One of the following: ANSC 101, APST 200 ECON 105, 106 GEOG 101, 102, 103 HIST 111, 112 POSC 120 PSYC 121 RELN 205 SOCY 110, 121 HLTH 111,200
**Program requirements met through	3 One of the following: ART 100, 215, 216 CVPA 266, DNCE 111 MUSC 100,		(HLTH 111 or 200 recommend

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION MAJOR – 43 Semester Hours – Students <u>must maintain a grade of C or better</u> in IDSE core and concentration courses; 3.00 GPA required for acceptance into the Teacher Education Program, field work and graduation.

Interdisciplinary Core – 19 Sem. Hrs.

2 CONCENTRATIONS (24 Sem. Hrs.) Each concentration requires 12 Sem. Hrs. (Foreign Lang concentration requires 15 Hours due to structure of program). See additional information below.

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POSC 110 or 120 (Government)	3	# 1	(12SH)	#2	(12SH)
MATH 212	3		3		3
HUMD 300	3		3		3
ENGL 463	3		3		3
PHSC 350	4		3		3
EDSP 361	3				

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION – <u>Students must maintain a grade of C or better</u> in professional education courses; GPA of 3.00 ** is required to be admitted into and retained in the Teacher Education Program, to enroll in early field experience, student teach, and graduate. Additionally, all IDSE majors must obtain passing scores on Praxis Core and II and the VCLA. Students are not allowed to take additional courses during the Early Field Exp. and student teaching semesters. Students can have no more than 6 hours of concentration courses to complete after student teaching. All other course work must be completed prior to entering the early field experience.

50 Clock Hrs Doc.		Early Field Experience	e:	Student Teaching:
EDUC 304	3	EDUC 410	3	EDUC 450 12
EDEF 320	3	EDRD 414	3	Reminder: this program requires a minimum of 125
EDRD 314	3	EDUC 425	3	semester hours to graduate. Students must have
EDUC 310	3	EDUC 430	6	completed 60 SH at RU to graduate with honors.
Praxis I Scores: Reading	Writing _	Math or Co	mposite	e; Praxis II; VCLA; RVE

Concentrations must be selected from: English, science, social science (courses must be from two of the following areas: economics, geography, history, and political science, may include PEAC 200), Foreign Language, Math (STAT 200 may be included), or special education.

Radford University

Interdisciplinary Studies

Elementary Education (Grades pK-6)

SAMPLE SCHEDULE (The primary purpose of this example is to enable students to develop their own four-year plan.)

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Fall Semester		Spring Semester			
CORE 101	3	CORE 102	3		
MATH 121	3	ECON 205 or 206 (College A)	3		
HIST 111 or 112 (College)	3	HIST 101 or 102 (University B)	3		
VPA (University B)	3	Humanities, VPA or FORL (College B)	3		
Natural Science (University B)	4	Health and Wellness (College B)	3		

(16 credits)		(15 credits)			
	SOPHOM	ORE YEAR ·····			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester			
CORE 201	3	CORE 202	3		
MATH 122 (College B)	3	HUMD 300	3		
GEOG (College A)	3	EDSP 361	3		
Concentration 1 course #1	3	EDEF 320	3		
Concentration 2 course #1	3	Concentration 1 course #2	3		
		POSC 110 or 120 (government course)	3		
(15 credits)		(18 credits)			
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Fall Semester		Spring Semester			
Math 212 (IDS Core)	3	EDUC 304	3		
ENGL 463 (IDS Core)	3	EDRD 314	3		
Concentration 1 course #3	3	Concentration 1 course # 4	3		
Concentration 2 course #2	3	Concentration 2 course #3	3		
PHSC 350	4	Concentration 2 course # 4	3		
		EDUC 310	3		
(16 credits)		(18 credits)			
	SENIOR	YEAR • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •			

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Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Early Field Experience		Student Teaching	
EDUC 410	3	EDUC 450	12
EDUC 414	3		
EDUC 425	3		
EDUC 430	6		
(15 credits)		(12 credits)	

B.S. = 125 credit hours

Students who do not wish to carry 18 semester hours in any semester are encouraged to attend summer school at RU or at their local community college. It is in a student's best interest to not postpone any courses until the summer following student teaching. Talk with an advisor about the process for securing approval for transfer credit.