

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_

**CORE CURRICULUM – 43-44 Semester Hours (SH)** Students must maintain a grade of C or better in all Core Curriculum courses

**UNIVERSITY CORE**

**COLLEGE CORE**

**A. Core Foundations (12SH)**

**B. Core Skills & Knowledge (16SH)**

**A. National & International Perspectives (6SH)**

**B. Supporting Skills & Knowledge (9-11SH)**

CORE 101 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 CORE 102 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 \*CORE 201 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 \*CORE 202 \_\_\_\_\_ 3

Courses must be from different disciplines:  
**MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (3SH)**  
 MATH 121 \_\_\_\_\_ 3\*\*  
**NATURAL SCIENCES (4 SH)**  
 (BIOL or GEOL recommended)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 4

Courses must be from different disciplines:  
**U. S. PERSPECTIVES (3 SH)**  
 HIST 111 or 112 \_\_\_\_\_ 3\*\*  
**GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES (3SH)**

**NATURAL SCI. OR MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (3/4 SH)**  
 MATH 122 \_\_\_\_\_ 3\*\*  
**HUMANITIES, VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS OR FOREIGN LANGUAGES (3-4 SH)**  
 (SPAN is recommended)

**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

GEOG \_\_\_\_\_ 3\*\*  
 One of the following: GEOG 101, 102, 140, 280

\_\_\_\_\_ 3-4  
 One of the following: CLSS 110 CCST 110  
 ENGL 200, HIST 101, PHIL 111, 112, 200  
 POSC 110 RELN 111, 112, 203, 206 Or ARAB 100, 121,  
 123 THEA 100, 180 Or ARAB 101:102, 201:202  
 CHNS 101: 102, 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 101:102, 201:202,  
 300 SPAN 101:102, 103, 201:202

Students can use only one course with their major prefix to fulfill core requirements.

**HUMANITIES (3 SH)**  
 HIST 101 or 102 \_\_\_\_\_ 3\*\*

\*See your degree audit for other courses that may satisfy the CORE 201 and/or CORE 202 requirements.

**SOCIAL/BEHAV. SCIENCES(3SH)**  
 ECON 205 or 206 \_\_\_\_\_ 3\*\*

\*\*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

**SOCIAL/ BEHAV. SCI. OR HEALTH & WELLNESS (3SH)**  
 (HLTH 111 or 200 recommended)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 One of the following: ANSC 101, APST 200  
 ECON 205, 206 GEOG 101, 102, 103  
 HIST 111, 112 POSC 120 PSYC 121 RELN 205  
 SOCY 110, 121 HLTH 111,200  
 NUTR 214 RCPT 200

**ELEMENTARY EDUCATION MAJOR – 43 Semester Hours – Students must maintain a grade of C or**

better in IDSE core and concentration courses; 3.00 GPA required for acceptance into the Teacher Education Program, fieldwork and graduation.

**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.

**Interdisciplinary Core – 19 Sem. Hrs.**

POSC 110 or 120 (Government) \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 MATH 212 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 HUMD 300 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 ENGL 463 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 PHSC 350 \_\_\_\_\_ 4  
 EDSP 361 \_\_\_\_\_ 3

**# 1 Special Education (12SH)** #2 \_\_\_\_\_ (12SH)  
 EDSP 451 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 EDSP 462 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 EDSP 472 \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 EDSP \_\_\_\_\_ 3  
 (Suggested: 400 or 454)

**PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION** Students must maintain a grade of C or better 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 including EDUC 304, EDEF 320, EDRD 314, and EDUC 310 must be completed prior to entering the early field experience.

Pre-professional Educ. Courses	Early Field Experience:	Elementary Student Teaching:	Graduate: Special Education St. Tch (K-5)	Graduate: Special Education St. Tch (6-12)
EDUC 304 _____ 3	EDUC 410 _____ 3	EDUC 450 _____ 12	EDSP 791 _____ 6	EDSP 792 _____ 6
EDEF 320 _____ 3	EDRD 414 _____ 3		EDSP 669 _____ 3	EDSP 641 _____ 3
EDRD 314 _____ 3	EDUC 420 _____ 3		EDSP 675 _____ 3	EDSP 676 _____ 3
EDUC 310 _____ 3	EDUC 430 _____ 6		EDSP 695 _____ 3	EDEF 605 _____ 3

Reminder: The B.S. program requires a minimum of 125 semester hours to graduate. **Students must have completed 60 SH at RU to graduate with honors.** The M.S. in Special Education: General Curriculum = 30 hours.

Praxis Core Math \_\_\_\_\_; Praxis II \_\_\_\_\_; VCLA \_\_\_\_\_; RVE \_\_\_\_\_ 50 Hrs \_\_\_\_\_

Second concentration 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, or Math (STAT 200 may be included).

**Interdisciplinary Studies: Elementary Education (Grades pK-6)  
& M.S. Special Education General Curriculum (K-12)**

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

----- **FRESHMAN YEAR** -----

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

**\*Begin taking Praxis Core Math and VCLA**

(15 credits)

(16 credits)

----- **SOPHOMORE YEAR** -----

<u>Fall Semester</u>		<u>Spring Semester</u>	
CORE 201	3	CORE 202	3
MATH 122 (College B)	3	HUMD 300	3
GEOG (College A)	3	EDSP 472 (Concentration)	3
EDSP 361	3	EDEF 320	3
Concentration 2 course #1	3	EDSP 451 (Concentration)	3
		POSC 110 or 120 (Government course)	3

(15 credits)

(18 credits)

----- **JUNIOR YEAR** -----

<u>Fall Semester</u>		<u>Spring Semester</u>	
Math 212 (IDS Core)	3	EDUC 304	3
ENGL 463 (IDS Core)	3	EDRD 314	3
EDSP 462 (Concentration)	3	EDSP course # 4 (Concentration)	3
Concentration 2 course #2	3	Concentration 2 course #3	3
PHSC 350	4	Concentration 2 course # 4	3
		EDUC 310	3

**\*Attend Mandatory Meeting**

**\*Apply to the Teacher Ed. Program (February)**

(16 credits)

(18 credits)

----- **SENIOR YEAR** -----

<u>Fall Semester</u>		<u>Spring Semester</u>	
Early Field Experience		Student Teaching	
EDUC 410	3	EDUC 450	12
EDRD 414	3		
EDUC 420	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.

----- **GRADUATE YEAR** -----

<u>Fall Semester</u>		<u>Spring Semester</u>	
EDSP 675	3	EDSP 676	3
EDSP 669	3	EDSP 641	3
EDSP 791	6	EDSP 792	6
EDSP 695	3	EDEF 605	3

(15 credits)

(15 credits)

**M.S. = 30 credit hours**