

Online Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education

Community College

Associate of Science OR Arts

STEP 1: Classes taken BEFORE beginning at K-State

Communications (8-9 hours)

- English Composition I^C _____ 3
- English Composition II^C _____ 3
- Public Speaking^C _____ 2-3

Social Science (12 hours)

- Human Development/Developmental Psychology **OR** Psychology _____ 3

Choose 3 of the following 4:

- World Regional Geography _____ 3
- U.S. History to 1877 **OR** U.S. History from 1877 _____ 3
- Politics _____ 3
- Microeconomics **OR** Macroeconomics _____ 3

Natural Science (11 hours) (Two areas require a lab)

- Biology with Lab _____ 3-4
- Physical Science with Lab (Physics/Chemistry) _____ 3-4
- Earth Science with Lab (Geology) _____ 3-4

Quantitative Sciences (6 hours)

- College Algebra^C _____ 3
- Statistics^C _____ 3

Area of Concentration (15 hours)

- 15 credit hours in one of the areas of concentrations listed in the column on the right. May be completed at K-State.

Total Credit Hours **37-53**

^C Grade C or better.

Program Requirements

Completion of the elementary education bachelor's degree program at Kansas State University prepares students to apply for a Kansas K-6 teaching license.

- 120 total credits are required for a bachelor's degree.
- Only half (60) of the hours for a K-State degree can be taken at a two-year college.
- The community college transfer equivalency page is located at go.k-state.edu/#/equiv.
- Additional coursework may apply after consultation with advisors

Areas of Concentration

Students are required to take 15 credit hours in one area of concentration in addition to completing the general education requirements. One of the following areas must be selected:

- English
- English as a second language*
- Mathematics
- Modern languages
- Science
- Social science
- Special education (not available online)
- K-12 online teaching undergraduate certificate*
- Open option: 15 credit hours to be selected in consultation with an advisor. Students are encouraged to select coursework leading to a minor, certificate or additional teaching interests.

* Must be completed at K-State.

Kansas State University

Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education Online

- Prepares students to teach K-6 reading, language arts, mathematics, science, social studies, art, music, and health and movement.
- Allows distance supervision of field experiences in locations convenient to each student through Swivl technology.
- All K-State courses can be completed online.
- Students will be required to obtain an iPad and Swivl robot prior to beginning Block A.

YEAR 1 at K-State

STEP 2: May Intersession

- DED 075 Orientation Teacher Ed KSU _____ 0
- EDCI 200 Teaching as a Career _____ 1
- EDCI 230 Early Field Experience _____ 1

STEP 3: Summer Semester

- EDCI 310 Foundations of Education _____ 3
- MUSIC 405 Music for Elem Teachers _____ 3
- EDEL 270 Arts for Elem Teachers _____ 3

STEP 4: Apply to Teacher Education

- Basic Skills Test OR
Composite ACT 22 or higher/SAT 1010 or higher
- 2.75 Overall GPA

STEP 5: Fall Semester Block A

- EDCI 318 Educational Technology _____ 1
- EDCEP 315 Educational Psychology _____ 3
- EDEL 250 Health and Movement _____ 2
- EDCI 320 Core Teaching Skills _____ 3
- EDSP 324 Exceptional Child in Regular
Classroom _____ 3

STEP 6: Take the Praxis® Test

Principles of Learning and Teaching: K-6 (PLT)

- ets.org/praxis/ks/requirements

STEP 7: Spring Semester Block B

- EDEL 410 Block B Practicum K-6 _____ 2
- EDEL 411 Teaching Literacy K-2 _____ 3
- EDEL 412 Teaching Science K-6 _____ 3
- EDEL 413 Classroom Assessment K-6 _____ 1
- EDEL 414 Teaching Culturally and
Linguistically Diverse Learners _____ 3
- MATH 320 Math for Elem School Tchrs I _____ 3

YEAR 2 at K-State

STEP 8: Summer Semester

- EDCI 400 New Literacies in Contemporary
Classrooms _____ 3

STEP 9: Fall Semester Block C

- EDEL 460 Block C Practicum K-6 _____ 2
- EDEL 461 Teaching Literacy Grades 3-6 _____ 3
- EDEL 462 Teaching Social Studies K-6 _____ 3
- EDEL 463 Teaching Math K-6 _____ 3
- EDEL 464 Classroom Management and
Discipline _____ 1
- ENGL 355 Literature for Children _____ 3

STEP 10: Take the Praxis® Test and Complete Curriculum and Instruction Requirements

Elementary Education: Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment (CIA)

- ets.org/praxis/ks/requirements
- STAR form
- First Aid and CPR
- Professional hours

STEP 11: Spring Semester Student Internship

- EDEL 585 Teaching Internship in
Elementary Schools _____ 12

Total Credit Hours

68-80

STEP 12: Apply for Graduation

STEP 13: Apply for Licensure

Post-Graduation Statistics
k-state.edu/postgrad-stats
ksdegreestats.org

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Student Access Center
A student with a disability who wishes to request accommodations for a credit course should contact the Student Access Center
(k-state.edu/accesscenter, 785-532-6441, or email accesscenter@k-state.edu) and their course instructor. Early notification is
requested to ensure that accommodations can be provided in a timely manner.