

Master of Arts in Teaching

Elementary Education
Student-Teaching Pathway



Required Courses

21

EMAT 505	Foundations of Education	1
EDCI 517	Educational Psychology	3
EMAT 507	Educational Technology	1
EMAT 510	Master of Arts in Teaching Candidacy	0
EDCI 535	Philosophy of Christian Education	3
EMAT 512	Classroom Management	3
EDCI 571	Educational Assessment	3
Clinical Practice:		
EMAT 612	Student Teaching and Seminar	7

Emphasis Courses

25-35

Math Methods. Complete one of the Following:		
EMAT 554	Math Methods, Elementary	3
<i>Or</i>		
EDCI 526T	Elementary Math Methods	3
EMAT 524	Elementary Math Methods Bridge	1-2
Language Methods. Complete one of the Following:		
EMAT 555	Language Arts Methods, Elementary	3
<i>Or</i>		
EDCI 525T	Elementary Language Arts Methods	3
EMAT 525	Elementary Language Arts Methods Bridge	1-2
Language Methods. Complete one of the Following:		
EMAT 556	Reading Methods, Elementary	3
<i>Or</i>		
EDCI 529T	Teaching Elementary Reading	3
EMAT 526	Elementary Reading Methods Bridge	1-2
Science and Health Methods. Complete one of the Following:		
EMAT 557	Science and Health Methods, Elementary	2
<i>Or</i>		
EDCI 519T	Health Methods	1
EDCI 517T	Educational Psychology	3
EMAT 527	Elementary Science & Health Methods Bridge	1-2
Social Studies Methods. Complete one of the Following:		
EMAT 558	Social Studies Methods, Elementary	2
<i>Or</i>		
EDCI 523T	Elementary Social Studies Methods	3
EMAT 528	Elementary Social Studies Methods Bridge	1

Total Hours 46-56

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