



PROGRAM: Multidisciplinary Studies with Elementary Licensure

This plan is an example of how you can earn your degree in four years.
You may work with your advisor to customize the plan to fit your circumstances.

2020-21

FALL	cr.	SPRING	cr.	J.TERM & SUMMER	cr.
EDU FYS	3	INT 1053 Soundings II	.5		
ENG 1061 Eng Comp	3	MAT 2021 Statistics 1	3		
INT 1051 Soundings I	1	EDU Elective	3		
EDU 1012 (CE, WI) Ed. Inquiries	3	GEO 1060 or 2020 (WV Frame)	3		
HIS 1215 or 1225	3	ENG 1030 (AU Frame)	3		
BIO/GEY/CHE/PHY (SM Frame)	4	POS 1020 or 1030	3		
		Quantitative Reasoning Exam			

NOTES:

Total credits after Year One (THINK 30): 32.5

- EDU 1012 may be taken in Fall or Spring.
- After EDU 1012 Educational Inquiries, select an EDU advisor to guide your path to licensure
- To add an endorsement in Special Education in K-8, Gr. 7-21, K-21: add EDU 2140 Cog., EDU 2380 Collab & Sp Ed Law, EDU 3130 LDAD, and EDU 3370 Models of Assess. & Interv. in Sp. Ed.
- Take Praxis I as soon as you can. See Katharine Spaulding in the Education Department for help signing up.
- An SAT score of 600 or higher on the math section of the SAT, or a 150 or higher on the Core Academic Skills Test, or a 175 or higher on the math section of Praxis I exempts you from the Quantitative Reasoning Exam.

2021-22

FALL	cr.	SPRING	cr.	J.TERM & SUMMER	cr.
ENG 2260 Touchstones	3	MAT 2022 Stat II (SM Frame)	3		
EDU 2011 Reading-Writing Clssrm	3	HIS 1125 Ancient World	3		
EDU 2012 El. Sp. Ed.	3	PSY 1050 or 2110 (SB Frame)	3		
MAT 3020 Math for El Ed.	4	ENG 2010 Arg & Epos Writing	3		
EDU 3415 Sci for El Ed.	3	BIO/GEY/CHE/PHY (SM Frame)	4		
Information Literacy Exam					

NOTES:

Total credits after Year Two (THINK 60): 66.5

EDU 2011 and 2012 are to be taken together and may be taken in the Fall or Spring.

2022-23

FALL	cr.	SPRING	cr.	J.TERM & SUMMER	cr.
INT 3054 Jr. Soundings	.5	EDU 3011 Elementary Pedagogy	3		
ENG-MDS	3	ENG-MDS	3		
SCI-MDS	3	MAT 4210 Teach. As Researchers	2		
Concentration-MDS	3	Concentration-MDS	3		
Concentration-MDS	3	EDU Elective	3		
PHY 1150 Physics in the Clssrm.	3				
		<i>submit Application for Degree</i>			

NOTES:

Total credits after Year Three (**THINK 90**): 96

- If your GPA is lower than a 3.0 at the end of Junior year, please make an appointment with your Education advisor to develop a plan for completion for either graduation and/or licensure.
- EDU Elective courses are chosen in consultation with your EDU advisor. Additional courses in EDU, PSY, SOC, or other relevant areas are possibilities.

2023-24

FALL	cr.	SPRING	cr.	J.TERM & SUMMER	cr.
EDU 4031SI CE Ed. Collab.	5	EDU 4720 CI St. Teach. Seminar	3		
ENG-MDS	3	EDU 4871 Student Teach I	6		
Concentration-MDS	3	EDU 4872 Student Teach II	6		
Aesthetic Frame (not ENG)	3				
EDU Elective	3				

NOTES: *Need at least 120 cr. to graduate*

Total credits after Year Four (**THINK 120**): 128

A GPA of 3.0 in EDU and 3.0 overall is needed to Student Teach and to be recommended for licensure in the State of Vermont.

Concentrations:

Complete a 12 credit Concentration Contract in either Science, Mathematics, English, or Social Studies. You will choose these courses in consultation with your concentration’s Department Chair and/or your second (discipline-specific) advisor.

We strongly encourage you to:

- **Get involved on campus:** Join (or start) a club. Serve as an SOS. Apply to be a CA. Be a tutor. Play intramurals. Participate in SGA, a singing group, WIUV, the Spartan newspaper, a theater production, Green Campus Initiative, the Athletic Band, etc.
- **Expand your academic program:** Complete a minor. Earn the Certificate in Civic Engagement or the Certificate in Global Studies. Take a foreign language. Study abroad. Visit the Academic Support Center. Meet with your academic advisor every semester.

- **Explore career options:** Visit Career Services early and often. Get an internship. Attend the Career & Grad School Fair. Go to the Part-Time Job Fair. Do research with a professor. Join your field's professional organization. Investigate graduate school options.
- **Serve the community:** Take a Civic Engagement course. Join the Mentoring Program. Participate in Alternative Spring Break. Volunteer off-campus for a community organization (e.g. Habitat for Humanity, Meals on Wheels, the Boys & Girls Club, etc.).