## **BACHELOR OF ARTS IN EDUCATION PROGRAM LEADING TO PA CERTIFICATION**

# **PreK-Grade 4**

# 2023-2024 Degree Requirements

Name: ID Number:

TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE: 120

## **UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM: 42 credits**

## **Required Fundamental Courses:**

COMM 101	Oral Comm. & Pres.		3 credits
ENGL 101	College Composition		3 credits
UNIV 101	City-University Life		3 credits
Senior Capstone		<b>EDUC 432</b>	3 credits

## Choose Thematic Core courses in the following:

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Explore the World - Choice 1		3 credits
Explore the World - Choice 2		3 credits
Investigate Science		3 credits
Investigate Mathematics	MATH 150	3 credits
Interpret Creative Works	<b>EDUC 252</b>	3 credits
Understand People - Choice 1	<b>EDUC 220</b>	3 credits
Understand People - Choice 2	<b>EDUC 228</b>	3 credits
Succeed in Business		3 credits
Appreciate & Apply the Arts	<b>EDUC 251</b>	3 credits
Discover Technology	<b>EDUC 101</b>	3 credits

## **MAJOR REQUIREMENTS:** 78 cr.

MATH 155 General Math (3)

POLS 102 Amer Natl Govt (3)

HIST 382 History of PA (3)

PSYC 209 Child from Conception to 9 (3)

EDUC 120 Building Family Partnerships (3)

EDUC 150 Intro to Teaching Profession (3)

EDUC 222 Assessment & Adaptation (3)

EDUC 250 Working w/ English Lang Learners (3)

EDUC 302 Reading Methods I (3)

EDUC 303 Reading Methods II (3)

EDUC 305 Methods of Mathematics I (3)

EDUC 308 Teaching Social Sciences (3)

EDUC 310 Teaching Science & Health (3)

EDUC 315 Methods of Mathematics II (3)

EDUC 330 Educational Theories/Practices (3)

EDUC 335 Prog Devel, Lead, & Org Change (3)

EDUC 401 Differ Reading for Devel Child (3)

EDUC 411 Integrating Curr & Inst (3)

EDUC 422 Data Driven Instruction (3)

EDUC 425 Student Teaching Pract (12)

SPED 180 Special Ed&Inclusive Prac (3)

SPED 280 Positive Behav Inter&Sup (3)

SPED 380 Diff Inst Pract Incl Clssrm (3)

#### **TESTS FOR CERTIFICATION:**

PECT-PAPA: Reading, Math, Writing (8001, 8002, 8003) OR

ETS-CORE: Reading, Writing, Math (5713, 5733, 5723)

PECT-PreK-4 Core and Professional Knowledge (8006, 8007, 8008)

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## **PROGRAM OBJECTIVES**

## Upon successful completion of this program, a student will be able to:

- 1. Utilize a variety of instructional strategies.
- 2. Develop instructional plans and set goals based on the content to be taught/learned, knowledge of assigned students, and the instructional context.
- 3. Establish and maintain purposeful and equitable classroom environments.
- 4. Demonstrate integrity, ethical behavior, and professional conduct as stated in the *Pennsylvania Code of Professional Practice and Conduct for Educators*.