SPALDING UNIVERSITY
Catalog Years 2024-2025
Bachelor of Science in Education
<u>**Middle Grades Education (5-9) Science Area of**</u>
<u>**Academic Emphasis**</u> *Requires 120 hours and minimum overall GPA of 2.75*

<u>UNIVERSITY STUDIES PROGRAM</u>
(49 hours)

<u>Introduction to College (1 hours)</u>

_____ __	SU 100	Successful Student Strategies	1

<u>Communications (12 hours)</u>

_____ __	ENG 109	College Writing Workshop I	3
_____ __	ENG 110	College Writing Workshop II	3
_____ __	COM 201	Effective Speaking	3
_____ __	_____	_____	3
		(Communication or Foreign Language)	

<u>Humanities (9 hours)</u>

_____ __	_____	_____	3
		(Fine Arts/Theater Arts)	
_____ __	ENG____	_____	3
		(Literature or Linguistics)	
_____ __	PHIL____	_____	3

<u>Natural Sciences and Mathematics (9 hours)</u>

_____ __	BIO 122	Organismal Biology	3
_____ __	PHSC 101	Fund. of Physical Science	3
_____ __	MATH 113	College Algebra	3

<u>Religious Studies (6 hours)</u>

_____ __	RS____	_____	3
_____ __	RS____	_____	3

<u>Social Sciences (12 hours)</u>

_____ __	HIST___	_____	3
_____ __	_____	_____	3
_____ __	_____	_____	3
_____ __	_____	_____	3

(No more than 6 hours in any one of the following disciplines: African American Studies, Anthropology, Economics, History, Political Science, Psychology, Social Studies, or Sociology)

Student Name _____

Student ID Number _____

Entry Date _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Mailing Address _____

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<u>Major Courses (41 hours)</u>
Minimum GPA of 2.75 required in education classes. At least one-half of courses must be taken at Spalding University.

_____ __	EDU 201	Seminar Initial Certification	1
_____ __	EDU 213	Foundations of Education	3
_____ __	EDU 377	Learning and Development	3
_____ __	EDU 379	Multimedia Apps. for Tchg.	3
_____ __	EDU 385	Inclusive Classroom	3
_____ __	EDU 320	Assessment for Tchg. & Lrng.	3
_____ __	EDR 431	Literature for Young Adults	3
_____ __	EDR 456	Dev. Reading in M. & H. S.	3
_____ __	EDU 314	Classroom Management	3
_____ __	EDU 460	Curriculum & Methods 5-9	3
_____ __	EDU 401	Seminar for Prof. Growth/Dev	1
_____ *	EDU 441	Student Teaching & Seminar	9
_____ *	EDU 447	Education Capstone Seminar	3

Science Area of Academic Emphasis/Additional Electives
(30 hours minimum)
Minimum GPA of 2.75 in the *Science* area of Academic Emphasis

_____ __	BIO 124	Organismal Biology Lab	1
_____ __	PHYS 204	Physics for the Rehab Sciences	3
_____ __	PHSC 102	Fundamentals of Earth Science	3
_____ __	CHEM 211	General Chemistry I	3
_____ __	CHEM 221	General Chemistry I Lab	1
_____ __	CHEM 212	General Chemistry II	3
_____ __	CHEM 222	General Chemistry II Lab	1
_____ __	BIO 359	Environmental Science	3
_____ __	BIO ___	Elective	3
_____ __	BIO ___	Elective (300-400)	3
_____ __	CHEM/PHYS____	Elective (300-400)	3
_____ __	CHEM/PHYS____	Elective (300-400)	3

Admission Criteria: The following are required admission criteria to be admitted into the College of Education; following at least 30 credit hours in University Studies:

- minimum GPA of 2.75
- State of Kentucky passing scores on Praxis I PPST (minimum scores of Math-174, Reading-176, Writing-174 -- **16 KAR 5:020**);
- demonstrated proficiency in the following areas: Critical thinking; communication; creativity; and collaboration
- demonstrated proficiency on the dispositions evaluation
- signed acknowledgement of the Professional Code of Ethics for Kentucky Certified School Personnel.

Program Requirements: Maintain minimum GPA of 2.75. Any breach of the Professional Code of Ethics for Kentucky Certified School Personnel or failure to maintain the disposition expectations may result in dismissal.

*Prior to admission to student teaching, candidates must

- Meet with their advisor to complete a degree audit, application to graduate, and dispositions for teaching assessment.
- Complete the student teaching application and contact the Director of Student Teaching to schedule an admission interview.
- As a condition of admission to student teaching, all scores for the appropriate Praxis II exams must be on file.

Required Field Experience Hours (9 courses require Field Experience hours, totaling 200 hours)

EDU 213	15	EDU 385	15	EDR 456	25
EDU 377	15	EDU 320	20	EDU 314	20
EDU 379	15	EDR 431	25	EDU 460	50

At least 50% of the hours must be completed in diverse settings

Test Disclaimer: All tests must be passed as a condition of certification/licensure and entry to KTIP.

For a current listing of tests required by the state of Kentucky, please see: http://www.epsb.ky.gov

Exit Criteria: Minimum GPA of 2.75; successful completion of all licensure exams and completion of e-Portfolio.

Acknowledgement of program contract:

_____   _____
Student Signature   Date   Academic Advisor   Date

Successful completion of field-based service learning:
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                                                       Academic Advisor   Date
Successful completion of Teacher Performance Assessment:
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                                                       Director of Field Experience and Clinical Practice   Date
Successful completion of all program requirements:
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