

Program of Study

Degree Requirements (122 hours)

- 1. Carolina Core (31-43 hours)
 - a. **CMW** (6 hours): any two approved CC-CMW course *—must be passed with a grade of C or higher*
 - b. **ARP** (6-8 hours): any two approved CC-ARP course
 - c. SCI (7 hours): Complete 7 hours in Science as follows:
 - i. Life Science (3-4 hours from the following)
 - 1. BIOL 110
 - 2. BIOL 120 and BIOL 120L
 - ii. Physical Science/Earth Science (3-4 hours from the following)
 - 1. PHYS 101 and PHYS 101L
 - 2. GEOL 101
 - 3. GEOL 103
 - 4. GEOL 201
 - 5. MSCI 101
 - 6. ENVR 101 and ENVR 101L
 - 7. ENVR 200
 - d. **GFL** (0-6 hours): The Carolina Core requires either two approved courses in one foreign language or a score of two or higher on the foreign language placement test.
 - e. GHS (3 hours): Complete 3 hours (one course) from:
 - i. HIST 111
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 - f. GSS (3 hours): Complete 3 hours (one course) from:
 - i. GEOG 121
 - ii. GEOG 210
 - g. AIU (3 hours): any approved CC-AIU course

Carolina Core Stand Alone or Overlay Eligible Requirements:

Up to two of these requirements may be met in overlay courses. For up to two instances, a Carolina Core course meeting another core requirement may also meet one of these requirements, provided the course is approved to meet both. (3-9 Hours)

- h. CMS (0-3 hours): any approved overlay or stand-alone CC-CMS course
- i. **INF** (0-3 hours): any approved overlay or stand-alone CC-INF course
- j. **VSR** (0-3 hours): any approved overlay or stand-alone CC-VSR course

2. College Requirements: None required by the College of Education

3. Program Requirements (18-21 hours)

a. **Minor** (0-18 hours) *-optional*

A student may choose to complete a minor consisting of 18 credit hours of prescribed courses. The minor is intended to develop a coherent basic preparation in a second area of study. Courses applied toward general education requirements cannot be counted toward the minor. No course may satisfy both major and minor requirements. All minor courses must be passed with a grade of C or better.

- b. Supporting Courses (18 hours)
 - i. A course (3 hours) in culture other than Western European
 - ii. The following courses must be passed with a grade of C or higher (15 hours):
 - 1. SLIS 325 or ENGL 431A or ENGL 431B
 - 2. MATH 221
 - 3. MATH 222

- 4. PEDU 575
- 5. Select one (3 hours)
 - a. ARTE 520
 - b. ARTE 530
 - **c.** ARTE 260
 - d. MUED 454
 - e. THEA 522
- c. Electives (0-3 hours): If the number of hours used to meet the Carolina Core section exceeds 31, no electives are needed. If only 31 hours are used to meet the Carolina Core section, then three hours of electives are required.

4. **Major Requirements (70 hours)** – a minimum grade of C is required in all major courses

a. Major Courses (70 hours)

- i. Education Core (14 hours):
 - 1. EDTE 201
 - 2. EDFI 300
 - 3. EDPY 401
 - 4. EDRM 423
 - 5. EDEX 523
- ii. Early Childhood Core (39 hours)
 - 1. EDEC 250
 - 2. EDEC 336
 - 3. EDEC 340
 - 4. EDEC 342
 - 5. EDEC 347
 - 6. EDEC 441
 - 7. EDEC 591
 - 8. EDEC 510
 - 9. EDEC 442
 - 10. EDEC 444
 - 11. EDRD 345
 - 12. EDRD 445
 - 13. EDEC 344
- iii. Practicum and Internship Experience (17 hours)
 - 1. EDEC 340P
 - 2. EDEC 342P
 - 3. EDEC 443
 - 4. EDEC 492

<u>Note</u>: A grade of B or better in either EDEC 342P or EDEC 443 is required to meet the dispositions requirement for admission to Internship II. Students making below a grade of B in both these courses are not eligible to progress. An action plan is required for students who make a grade of C or C+ in either EDEC 342P or EDEC 443.