Degree: Bachelor of Science in Education
Major: Early Childhood Unified (ECU) Birth through Third Grade
Emphasis/Option:
Minor (if required):

II. Professional Semester (15 hours)
EDUC 455: Elementary and Middle Level Education ......................... 2
EDUC 458: Methods and Curriculum ........................................... 3
EDUC 475: Supervised Teaching in the Elementary School ................ 3
EDUC 476: Supervised Teaching in the Elementary School ............... 5
EDUC 579: Supervised Student Teaching and Follow-Up of Teachers ......................................................... 2

EDUC 261, EDUC 321, EDUC 322, EDUC 323, EDUC 440 and EDTH 330 must have completed 30 credit hours and have a 2.50 cumulative GPA to enroll.

SPED 350, SPED 450 and SPED 560 must have completed 45 credit hours and have a 2.50 GPA to enroll.

SPED 511 must have completed 60 credit hours and have a 2.50 cumulative GPA.

Concurrent enrollment recommended (PSYCH 263 and EDUC 261).

FCS 390 and FCS 391 require concurrent enrollment.

FCS 490 and FCS 491 require concurrent enrollment.

FCS 591 requires permission of instructor to enroll.

Students planning to teach should become familiar with the current Regulations for Certifying School Personnel, issued by The State Board of Education. Information concerning these regulations may be obtained from the Director of Teacher Education, 110 Hughes Hall, Pittsburg State University. See Admission to Professional Semester for professional education grade point requirements.

Total hours for Bachelor of Science in Education Degree with a Major in Early Childhood Unified (ECU) (126-130 hours)
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

(51-54 hrs.)

Basic Skills 15 hours
COMM 207 Speech Communication 3
ENGL 101 English Composition 3
ENGL 190 Honors English Composition 3
OR ENGL 299 Introduction to Research Writing 3
MATH 204 Mathematics for Education I 3
MATH 304 Mathematics for Education II 3
Must have a "C" or better in COMM 207, ENGL 101, ENGL 190, ENGL 299, MATH 204

GENERAL EDUCATION ELECTIVES (35-39 hrs)

Sciences 8-9 hours
Natural Sciences (Select one)
BIOL 111/112 General Biology and Laboratory 5 or
BIOL 113 Environmental Life Science 4
Physical Sciences (Select one)
CHEM 105/106 Introductory Chemistry and Laboratory 4
PHYS 171/172 Physical Science and Laboratory 4
Social Studies** 3 hours
SOC 100 Introduction to Sociology 3
Political Studies** 3 hours
POLS 101 U.S. Politics 3

**One of the two courses counts for the 33-36 hours

General Education Core GPA of 2.80.

Producing and Consuming 6 hours
Economy (Select one)
ECON 191 Issues in Today’s Economy 3
FCS 230 Consumer Ed. and Personal Finance 3
Technology
EDTH 330 Technology for the Classroom 3

Fine Arts and Aesthetic Studies (2-3 hours)
Any Fine Arts course listed for the general education
requirements 2-3

Cultural Studies (Select one) 3 hours
GEOG 106 World Regional Geography 3
GEOG 300 Elements of Geography 3

Health and Well Being 4-6 hours
Psychological
PSYCH 155 General Psychology 3
Physical (Select one)
FCS 203 Nutrition and Health 3
FCS 301 Nutrition 3
HHP 150 Lifetime Fitness Concepts 1
NURS 303 Introduction to Public Health 3

Human Heritage 6 hours

History (Select one)
HIST 101 World History to 1500 3
HIST 102 World History from 1500 3
HIST 201 American History to 1865 3
HIST 202 American History from 1865 3

Literature (Select one)
ENGL 113 General Literature 3
ENGL 114 General Literature (Genre) 3
ENGL 116 General Literature (Theme) 3

Total General Education Components 50-54 hours

COMM 207, ENGL 101, ENGL 190 OR ENGL 299, MATH 204,
BIOL 113 OR BIOL 111 and BIOL 112, PHYS 171 and PHYS
172 OR CHEM 105 and CHEM 106, SOC 100, POLS 101,
GEOG 106 OR GEOG 300, PSYCH 155, FCS 203 OR FCS 301
OR HHP 150 OR NURS 303, HIST 101 OR HIST 102 OR HIST
201 OR HIST 202 are the general education content core
curriculum of 33-36 hours. A 2.80 GPA in this content core is
required for admission to Teacher Education.

Mindestens ein Ganzjahreskurs im Fach Mathematik ist erforderlich. Allgemeinbildende und alle Abschlussanforderungen sind im Online-Katalog angegeben.

The information contained herein is intended to be used for the planning of a student’s academic program and does not constitute a contract. While this

When a student attains 85 semester hours of credit (including current enrollment) the student must apply for a degree check in the Office of the Registrar (Degree
Checking Section), Room 102 Russ Hall.

MINIMUM GENERAL REQUIREMENTS: The minimum requirements for graduation include 124 semester hours of which 60 hours must be from a four year
university. In addition, 45 semester hours must be upper division and 30 hours in residence at PSU (including 24 of the last 30). Minimum GPA for non-education
degree is 2.0 overall [2.0 in major], secondary education degree is 2.5 overall [2.75 in major], and early/late childhood/early childhood degree is 2.80 overall [3.0 in major]. A
minimum GPA of 2.0 in any minor and in residence coursework is required. General Education and all degree requirements are provided in the online catalog.
Refer to individual departments for specific requirements.