

# BA in Liberal Arts w/Elementary Education Concentration ELEMENTARY CERTIFICATION (K-6) with SPECIALIZATION (6-8)

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While all bachelor programs require a minimum of 128 credits and a 2.00 cumulative GPA, the New Jersey Department of Education requires a 3.0 cumulative GPA to be certified. Students in this concentration must complete a LIBA major with accompanying EDUC courses as shown. A grade of "C" or better is required in all content courses and a B- or better in professional education courses. A minimum ACCUPLACER score of 55 is needed for entrance into MATH 1100. We recommend earning additional middle school endorsements beyond the two included on this worksheet. "The student is responsible for ensuring that all graduation requirements are met" (Bulletin). For recommendations that prepare students for Praxis exams visit [www.stockton.edu/educ](http://www.stockton.edu/educ).

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Z \_\_\_\_\_

Preceptor: \_\_\_\_\_

#1 Science, Math, Social Studies & Language Arts— Students should seek regular LIBA precepting for all program courses to meet BA requirements.	Credits	C or Better
Science ENVL/MARS 1100, Geol 2120, 2101	4/5	
Science BIOL 1200/5, 1400/5; EDUC 1171	5	
Math 1100, EDUC 2551, 2552, 2553, 1151	5	
Math	4	
Social Studies HIST 1152, 2153, 1153	4	
Social Studies ECON, POLS, HIST	4	
Lang Arts LITT 2412, 2413 Gram/Punct	4	
Lang Arts LITT 2xxxx	4	
ANY (non-G) from 4 areas above	4	
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<b>Total Credits to Liberal Arts Major:</b>	<b>42/43</b>	
<b>Required Cognates from EDUC (at right)</b>	<b>26</b>	

Students MUST earn C or better in all content courses for the Major and specializations.

#2 Required General Education – Student can earn middle school specializations by choosing recommended G courses. See EDUC preceptor for advisement.	Credits	C or Better
GEN	4	
GAH	4	
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GNM	4	
GNM	4	
GSS	4	
GSS	4	
GIS	4	
<b>Total General Studies required</b>	<b>32</b>	

**General Studies Writing Requirement - 4 courses-**  
Two W1 courses may be transferred. W2 courses must be at Stockton.  
\_\_\_W1 \_\_\_W1/W2 \_\_\_W1/W2 EDUC4600\_W1/W2 3000 level

**General Studies Quantitative Reasoning Requirement - 3 courses-**  
Two Q1 courses may be transferred. Q2 courses must be taken at Stockton  
\_\_\_Q1 \_\_\_Q2 \_\_\_Q1 or Q2

**General Studies Outcome Requirement:** These courses are listed as attributes  
\_\_\_A (Arts) \_\_\_H (Historical Consciousness)  
\_\_\_FSEM \_\_\_V (Values/Ethics) \_\_\_I (International/Multicultural)

#3 Required At-Some-Distance courses—from right PSYC 3391, PSYC 3323, INTC 2610, EDUC 3105, EDUC 4110, EDUC 3200, EDUC 4150, EDUC 4610 (26 credits)	Credits	B- or Better
PSYC 1100 Intro to Psyc (ASD)	4	
<b>Total At-Some-Distance required</b>	<b>30</b>	

**Middle School Specializations (drawn from above) – 15 credits minimum of coursework in content area & Middle School Praxis II test required**

Language Arts	Social Studies
Math	Science

Dates of Curr WS Review: \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_

#4 Professional Requirements—Grades of C or better required (equiv. transfer credits can be accepted)- 20 credits at left	Credits	Grade
EDUC 1515 Diversity in Fam, Schl & Commun. (ASD, V) or equiv, also accepted: GAH 1360; GEN 2126; GSS 1044, 3360, 3516; SOCY 2745	4	
EDUC 2241 Inclusive Learning in Education (ASD) also accepted GSS 2330,2340	4	
INTC 2610 Instructional Tech for K12 Educators (ASD) also accepted GEN 2108	4	
PSYC 3323 Adolesc (ASD) also accepted PSYC 2201/3322 Dev/Life; EDUC 2231	4	
PSYC 3391 Ed. Psyc (ASD); EDUC 2231	4	
<b>Prerequisite to Entry:</b> Grade of B- or better required	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>
EDUC 2000 Gateway to NJ Teaching Profession (ASD)	1	
<b>Additional requirements for EDUC entry*/placement</b>		<b>Done?</b>
Attend Information Session and Orientation*		
3.0 or better overall GPA* <b>GPA _____ as of _____</b>		
Criminal Background Check / Sub Cert		
TB Test		
State Code Exam (formerly Health Test )		
<b>Core Praxis Scores* or SAT score of 560+ reading &amp; 540+ math or an ACT Score of 23 on both the English and Math sections</b>	Reading score	
	Writing score	
	Math score	
<b>#5 Professional Education—Grade of B- or better required (38 credits counted at left) Professional licensure courses may only be re-attempted once after withdrawal or failure to earn B- or better.</b>		
<b>Clinical Experience Semester</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>
EDUC 3100 Part-time Clinical Experience in EDUC (50 hr) (ASD)	2	
EDUC 3105 Literacy Development P to Gr. 3	3	
<b>Clinical Practice I Semester (formerly "Introductory Semester")</b>		
EDUC 3101 Part-time Clinical Practice I in Education (80 hr) (ASD)	2	
EDUC 3200 Practices & Techniques of Teaching (ASD)	4	
<b>PRAXIS II TEST(S) must be passed BY the Clinical Practice I Semester in the subject(s) and grade level you wish to student teach. Check this website for current NJ test information for certification area <a href="http://www.ets.org/praxis/nj/requirements">www.ets.org/praxis/nj/requirements</a></b>		
<b>Clinical Practice II Semester (formerly "Intermediate Semester")</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>
EDUC 4600 Part-time Clinical Practice II in Education (W2)- 100 hrs (Cog)	2	
EDUC 4110 Methods of Teaching English Language Arts Literacy– Gr. 4-8 (ASD)	2	
EDUC 4610 Curric. & Methods in Elem. Education (ASD)	3	
EDUC 4150 Methods of Teaching Elementary Math (ASD)	4	
<b>Full-time Final Clinical Practice Semester (formerly "Student Teaching")</b>		
EDUC 4990 Full-time Final Clinical Practice - full-time 15-week experience (Cognate)	12	
EDUC 4991 Final Clinical Practice Seminar (ASD )	2	
EDUC 4992 edTPA Capstone (ASD)	2	
In order for your certificate to be processed, you must meet the following requirements: complete your BA degree; pass the Praxis test(s), take the edTPA, and complete all liberal arts content coursework required; and attain a minimum GPA of 3.0.		
Final Overall GPA _____ as of _____		