BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION 2020-2021

FRESHMAN YEAR FALL	CREDITS	COMPLETED
CATEGORY I: Communication WRIT 101 College Writing I	4	
CATEGORY III: Natural Sciences with Lab BIOB or CHMY	4	
CATEGORY VII: Technology EDU 270 Integrating Technology in Education	3	
CATEGORY VI: Humanities & Fine Arts Any course in this area	3	
Elective - Concentration or Minor	3	

TOTAL CREDITS 17

SOPHOMORE YEAR FALL	CREDITS	COMPLETED
CATEGORY III: Natural Sciences with Lab Any GEO, GPHY or PHSX Course	4	
CATEGORY IV: Social Sciences & History HSTA 255 Montana History	3	
EDU 201 Intro to Education with Field Experience	3	
PSYX 230 Developmental Psychology	3	
Elective - Concentration or Minor	4	

TOTAL CREDITS 17

JUNIOR YEAR FALL	CREDITS	COMPLETED
EDSP 304 Ed and Psychology of Exceptional Child	3	
EDU 315 Integrating IEFA Across the Curriculum	2	
EDU 336A Practicum 1	1	
EDU 340 Classroom Management	3	
EDU 382 Assessment, Curriculum + Instruction	3	
EDU 320 Intro to Lesson Planning	1	
Elective - Concentration or Minor	5	

TOTAL CREDITS 18

SENIOR YEAR FALL	CREDITS	COMPLETED
EDU 335 Fund + Corr. Strgts Elem. Rdg Prog	3	
EDU 452 Advanced Practicum	3	
EDU 397MA Methods: K-8 Mathematics	2	
EDU 397SC Methods: K-8 Science	2	
EDU 397HE Methods: K-8 Health Enhancement	2	
Elective - Concentration or Minor	6	

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FRESHMAN YEAR SPRING	CREDITS	COMPLETED
CATEGORY I: Communication COMX 115 Intro to Interpersonal Communication	3	
CATEGORY II: Mathematics M 121 College Algebra or M 105 Contemporary Mathematics	4 4	
EDU 225 Intro to Education Psychology	3	
HTH 110 Personal Health and Wellness	3	
Elective - Concentration or Minor	4	

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SOPHOMORE YEAR SPRING	CREDITS	COMPLETED
CATEGORY V: Cultural Diversity Any NASX Course	3	
CATEGORY VI: Humanities & Fine Arts Any LIT course	3	
CATEGORY IV: Social Sciences & History PSCI 210 Intro to American Government	3	
M 130 Math for Elementary Teachers	3	
Elective - Concentration or Minor	3	

TOTAL CREDITS 15

JUNIOR YEAR SPRING	CREDITS	COMPLETED
EDU 311 C, D + E in Global Ed	3	
EDU 336 B Practicum 2	1	
EDU 337 Reading Materials Elementary Child	2	
EDU 397CA Methods: K-8 Int. Arts all Learners	2	
EDU 397SS Methods: K-8 Social Studies	2	
EDUC 334 Methods of Teaching Intgrtd Lang Arts	3	
Elective - Concentration or Minor	3	

TOTAL CREDITS 16

SENIOR YEAR SPRING	CREDITS	COMPLETED
EDU 495 Student Teaching EL K-8 or ES K-12	12	

TOTAL CREDITS 12

THE VALUE OF YOUR ELEMENTARY EDUCATION DEGREE



An elementary education degree from Montana State University-Northern prepares you for a successful teaching career that focuses on children in the early grades. Graduates of the elementary education program will be eligible to apply for K-8 teaching licensure.

Learn the fundamental teaching skills in MSU-Northern's elementary education program, which includes courses in pedagogy, child development and elementary school curriculum. Earn a Bachelor of Science degree in elementary education with a subject area of concentration. Enhance personal development through an innovative Montana elementary teacher education program that incorporates extracurricular experiences and electives into the course of study.

Candidates earning MSU-Northern's elementary education degree will be recommended for a Standard Class II Educator License (grades K-8).



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You're going to need 15. That's the number of credits you need to take each semester to graduate on time. Sure, you can take less and still receive some scholarships and funding. But unless you take 15 credits a semester (or 30 a year), you're looking at an extra year or more in order to graduate. Know the courses you need to graduate, and meet with your advisor to map out a plan to earn your degree on time.