



# Elementary Education, B.S. *major*

## Communication Arts & Literature Endorsement (Teacher Licensure)

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A total of 120 semester credits are needed for the **Elementary Education, Communication Arts & Literature endorsement (Teacher Licensure) B.S.** degree and include the following:

- Completion of a minimum of 40 upper division credits (level 3000/4000)
- Completion of all required major credits
- Completion of Core Curriculum credits (Minnesota Transfer Curriculum [MnTC] Goal Areas 1-10 with a minimum of 40 credits) required for all baccalaureate degrees
- Completion of BSU Focus and Nisidotaading Course Requirements

### Dual Degrees

Students wishing to complete two degrees concurrently, (example: Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Arts) must complete a minimum of an additional 30 credits above the required 120 credits.

### Multiple Credentials

Any additional major, minor or certificate in a degree must have at least 6 credits of course work not used to meet the requirements of another major, minor or certificate in the degree.

Required Credits: 83

Required GPA: 2.50

### I ELEMENTARY EDUCATION FOUNDATION COURSES

Complete the following courses:

- ED 1100 Education & Society (3 credits)
- ED 2110 Educational Psychology and Learning Theories (3 credits)
- ED 3140 Human Diversity and Educational Equity (3 credits)
- ED 3350 Principles and Strategies of Teaching (3 credits)
- ED 3780 Inclusive Teaching and Classrooms (3 credits)
- ED 4778 Teacher Leadership (3 credits)

Complete the following course, up to 12 credits:

- ED 4820 Student Teaching - Elementary (1-16 credits)

### II ELEMENTARY EDUCATION MAJOR COURSES

Complete the following courses:

- ED 3201 Language Arts I (3 credits)
- ED 3202 Language Arts II (3 credits)
- ED 3203 Language Arts III (3 credits)
- ED 3221 Elementary Math Methods (3 credits)
- ED 3222 Elementary Science Methods (3 credits)
- ED 3240 Social Studies in the Elementary School (3 credits)
- ED 3310 Creative Arts in Education (3 credits)
- HLTH 4100 Teaching Elementary School Health (2 credits)
- PHED 4200 Methods of Teaching Elementary Physical Education to Classroom Teachers (1 credit)

Complete the following course:

- MATH 1011 Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers I (3 credits)

Complete the following course:

- MATH 1013 Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers II (3 credits)

### COMMUNICATION ARTS AND LITERATURE ENDORSEMENT

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- ED 3208 Developmental Reading in Middle School (3 credits)
- ED 3417 Teaching and Learning in the Middle School (3 credits)
- ED 4737 Content Area Reading (3 credits)
- ENGL 2337 American Literature from 1865 to Present (3 credits)
- ENGL 3540 Literature for Young Adults (3 credits)

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING COURSE (5 CREDITS):

- ED 4840 Student Teaching - Special Fields (1-12 credits)

### COMMUNICATION ARTS AND LITERATURE ENDORSEMENT

SELECT 1 OF THE FOLLOWING COURSES:

- ENGL 2357 British Literature to 1800 (3 credits)
- ENGL 2358 Diverse British Literatures from 1800 to Present (3 credits)
- ENGL 2370 World Literature to 1600 (3 credits)
- ENGL 2377 World Literature from 1600 to Present (3 credits)

### PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION COURSES MUST BE COMPLETED

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### Program Learning Outcomes | Elementary Education, B.S. Communication Arts & Literature Endorsement (Teacher Licensure)

8710.2000 Standards of Effective Practice:

<https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/8710.2000/>

8710.3200 Teachers of Elementary Education:

<https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/8710.3200/>

8710.3310 Middle Level Endorsement License for Teachers of Communication Arts and Literature:

<https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/8710.3310/>

### Suggested semester schedule | Elementary Education, Communication Arts and Literature Endorsement B.S. major

Freshman - 1st semester

- ED 1100 Education & Society (3 credits)
- Core Curriculum Goal 4
- Nisidotaading Course Requirement
- Core Curriculum (6 credits)

Freshman - 2nd semester

- MATH 1011 Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers I (3 credits)
- Core Curriculum (10 credits)
- BSU Focus (1 credit)

Sophomore - 3rd semester

- ED 2110 Educational Psychology and Learning Theories (3 credits)
- MATH 1013 Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers II (3 credits)
- ENGL 2357 British Literature to 1800 (3 credits)  
or ENGL 2358 Diverse British Literatures from 1800 to Present (3 credits)  
or ENGL 2370 World Literature to 1600 (3 credits)  
or ENGL 2377 World Literature from 1600 to Present (3 credits)
- Core Curriculum (6 credits)

Sophomore - 4th semester

- ENGL 2337 American Literature from 1865 to Present (3 credits)
- ENGL 3540 Literature for Young Adults (3 credits)  
(offered every other year)
- Core Curriculum (9 credits)
- HLTH 4100 Teaching Elementary School Health (2 credits)

Junior - 5th semester

- ED 3350 Principles and Strategies of Teaching (3 credits)
- ED 3201 Language Arts I (3 credits)
- ED 3140 Human Diversity and Educational Equity (3 credits)
- ED 3417 Teaching and Learning in the Middle School (3 credits)
- ENGL3350  
(offered every other year)

Junior - 6th semester

- ED 3240 Social Studies in the Elementary School (3 credits)
- ED 3202 Language Arts II (3 credits)
- ED 3310 Creative Arts in Education (3 credits)
- ED 3780 Inclusive Teaching and Classrooms (3 credits)
- ED 3208 Developmental Reading in Middle School (3 credits)  
(take as soon as possible)
- PHED 4200 Methods of Teaching Elementary Physical Education to Classroom Teachers (1 credit)

Senior - 7th semester

- ED 3203 Language Arts III (3 credits)
- ED 3221 Elementary Math Methods (3 credits)
- ED 3222 Elementary Science Methods (3 credits)
- ED 4778 Teacher Leadership (3 credits)
- ED 4737 Content Area Reading (3 credits)

Senior - 8th semester

- ED 4820 Student Teaching - Elementary (1-16 credits)  
(take for 7 credits)
- ED 4840 Student Teaching - Special Fields (1-12 credits)  
(take for 5 credits)