

**Elementary Education + English – B.A.** (128 Credits)  
Sample Eight-Semester Plan (Updated 06/13/18)

Students are expected to review and track their own progress towards completion of degree requirements. This is provided as a sample guideline—it does NOT reduce the importance of careful and regular discussions between a student and their academic advisor.

**Important Reminders:**

1. Students must complete a minimum of **120** credits.
2. Students must attain a cumulative GPA of at least a **2.0**.

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| **Year 1** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Fall Semester** | | |  | **Spring Semester** | | |
| **Course** | | **Credits** |  | **Course** | | **Credits** |
| FYS | First Year Seminar | 3 |  | FYS | FYS-Linked Course (CORE)\* | 3 |
| EN 105 | Writing Seminar | 3 |  | EN 106 | Critical Reading, Thinking, Writing | 3 |
| ED 100 | Teaching and Learning | 3 |  | ED 101A | Educational Psychology | 3 |
| HI 107 | The Ancient World (World History) | 3 |  | ID 224B | Natural/Biological Sciences | 4 |
| PS 203 | Introduction to Psychology I | 3 |  | MA 210 | Statistics | 3 |
| **Winter Session** | | |  |  |  |  |
| ED 103 | Field Experience in Education (35hrs) | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| **Total** | | **15** |  | **Total** | | **16** |
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| **Year 2** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Fall Semester** | | |  | **Spring Semester** | | |
| **Course** | | **Credits** |  | **Course** | | **Credits** |
| ED 312 | Children's Literature | 3 |  | CO 204 | Public Speaking (recommended) | 3 |
| EN 228/9 | American Literature I or II | 3 |  | EN 205/6 | British Writers I or II | 3 |
| ID 208 | Integrating Elementary Curriculum | 3 |  | HI 103/4 | US History I or II | 3 |
| ME 207 | Early Childhood/Elem Math Curriculum | 3 |  | ID 304 | Ethics\* | 3 |
| PS 307 | Child Development | 3 |  | ME 202 | Early Childhood/Elem Math Instruction | 3 |
| **Total** | | **15** |  | **Total** | | **15** |
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| **Year 3** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Fall Semester** | | |  | **Spring Semester** | | |
| **Course** | | **Credits** |  | **Course** | | **Credits** |
| ED 208 | Literacy Development With Special Needs | 3 |  | ED 308 | Educating Students w/ Special Needs in Reg Classroom | 3 |
| ED 323 | Sheltered English Immersion | 3 |  | EN 330 | History of English | 3 |
| EN 311/2 | Shakespeare | 3 |  | EN 223 | Rhetoric | 3 |
| EN 211 | Writing About Texts | 3 |  | EN 2XX | English 200-level Elective | 3 |
| PO 210 | Intro to American Politics | 3 |  | ID 224A | Physical Sciences | 4 |
| XX 400 | Science Methods in Elem Classroom | 3 |  | XX 400 | Social Sciences Methods in Elem Classroom | 3 |
| **Total** | | **18** |  | **Total** | | **19** |
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| **Year 4** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Fall Semester** | | |  | **Spring Semester** | | |
| **Course** | | **Credits** |  | **Course** | | **Credits** |
| EN 3XX | English 300-level Elective | 3 |  | ED 401 | Student Teaching | 12 |
| ID 234 | Digital Scholarship | 3 |  | EN 401B | Seminar - Capstone | 3 |
| CORE | Religious Studies\* | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| CORE | Expressive Arts\* | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| CORE | Philosophy\* | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| **Total** | | **15** |  | **Total** | | **15** |

*\* CORE may be taken in any order; FYS-Linked Course satisfies a CORE requirement—that CORE should be replaced with an elective.*