

Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Adviser Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Program: Childhood (Grades 1-6) Education- Hegis Code 0802

Minimum Credits Required: \_\_\_\_\_

## Childhood (Grades 1-6) Education- Hegis Code 0802

### Education, Programs in

*(Preparation for early childhood, childhood, middle childhood, adolescence, teaching English to speakers of other languages, business and marketing education and dual certification in childhood and students with disabilities or adolescence and students with disabilities generalist)*

Utica College offers programs in teacher education that lead to certification in several different teaching areas. In order to be certified to teach in New York State, prospective teachers are required to complete a bachelor's degree, including the education program requirements, to pass the mandatory New York State Teacher Certification Examinations, and to meet all other regulations of the New York State Commissioner of Education.

Students interested in a teaching career should plan to consult with an education adviser soon after matriculation to discuss career possibilities, procedures for admission to the education programs and the requirements for completion, and for information about the certification areas available. Some education courses require written permission of the chair for registration.

Courses in the education programs include observation and work in the public schools as well as regular course work. The practical application of the theory and principles of teaching and learning culminates in an assignment to area schools for student teaching in the senior year. It is necessary for students to make plans to set aside one of the semesters of the senior year to devote entirely to student teaching.

There are specific admission and retention criteria and policies, including a minimum 2.75 GPA requirement, for the education programs. Students must achieve a grade of C or better in all courses required for certification. There are also additional requirements associated with student teaching.

Utica College also offers master's programs in education. For more information, consult the Utica College graduate studies catalog.

### Learning Objectives

Our degree candidates have a strong knowledge of subject matter.

Our degree candidates demonstrate pedagogical content knowledge and the ability to use this knowledge to design effective lessons.

Our degree candidates acquire teaching skills that promote student learning.

Our degree candidates teach caringly and effectively and are professionals.

### Childhood (Grades 1-6) Education

Students pursuing the childhood education program must major in a liberal arts field. At Utica College, the following liberal arts majors are available: biology, chemistry, communication arts, economics, government and politics, English, history, international studies, liberal studies, mathematics, philosophy, physics, psychology, psychology-child life, and sociology and anthropology. In addition to the requirements of their major and the courses in the early childhood education program (listed below), students must fulfill the following requirements (some of which may be satisfied by the Utica College Core curriculum):

Six (6) credits of college-level work in a language other than English

at least six (6) credits in each of the following fields: English, mathematics, science, and history

Three (3) credits in the fine arts

## Required Courses - Childhood (Grades 1-6) Education- Hegis Code 0802

Course Name	MVCC Course	Grade	Gen Ed
EDU 111 - Introduction to Teaching (1)			
EDU 201 - Applied Educational Psychology (3)			
EDU 215 - Diversity, Disabilities, and Success (3)	ED 211		
EDU 218 - Curriculum and Instruction (3)			
EDU 301 - Foundations of Literacy (3)	ED 206		
EDU 302 - Literacy and Comprehension: Grades 1-6 (3)			
EDU 314 - Children's Literature (3)	ED 240		
EDU 316 - Social Studies/Literacy Methods: Grades 1-6 (3)			
EDU 321 - Foundations of American Education (3)	ED 150		
EDU 344 - Science and Technology Methods: Grades 1-6 (3)			
EDU 345 - Mathematics Methods: Grades 1-6 (3)			
EDU 471 - Student Teaching Seminar (0)			
EDU 475 - Student Teaching I (6)			
EDU 476 - Student Teaching II (6)			
<i>or</i>			
EDU 477 - Mentored Internship I (6)			
EDU 478 - Mentored Internship II (6)			
PSY 321 - Infancy and Childhood (3)	ED 205		

### 52 Credit Hours

#### Note:

Students in the childhood education program must complete at least 90 credit hours in the liberal arts. Education courses are *not* liberal arts courses. Consult as early as possible with your adviser to be sure that you fulfill this requirement.

#### Notes:

Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date admitted into Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Transfer credits: \_\_\_\_\_

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE – PSYCHOLOGY CHILD-LIFE  
CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CONCENTRATION (Grades 1- 6)  
Total Credit Hours for Degree 136**

<b>Liberal A&amp;S: Childhood Ed</b>			
<b>General Education Core waived with completed AS</b>			
<b>Education Content Requirements</b>			
<b>English Requirement (6 credits)</b>			
ENG 101	Written Communication I		EN101
ENG 135	Introduction to Literature		EN102
<b>Fine Arts Requirement (3 credits)</b>			
FIA 115	Introduction to Art		3 _____
FIA 245	History of Art I	HU187, 204, 205	
FIA 246	History of Art II	or GC244	
<b>Foreign Language Requirement (6 credits)*</b>			
Beginning Foreign Language I (101 level) @ MVCC		FL -	
Beginning Foreign Language I (102 level)		MVCC	
		FL _____	
<b>History Requirement (6 credits)</b>			
TRN 1CV1/2	Transfer-Civilization 1/2	HI101/102	
HIS 126/7	American History (choose 1 class)	HI111/112	
<b>Math Requirement (6 credits)</b>			
LAE 001	Liberal Arts Elective (Mathematics)	MA171	
LAE 001	Liberal Arts Elective (Mathematics)	MA172	
<b>Science Requirement (8 credits)</b>			
Natural Science Elective @ MVCC		4-MVCC	
		4 _____	
<b>Total Education Content Hours: 35</b>			
<b>Education Program Requirements (46 credits)**</b>			
EDU 111	Introduction to Teaching		1 _____
EDU 201	Applied Educational Psychology		3 _____
EDU 215	Diversity/Disabilities & Success	ED211	
EDU 218	Curriculum & Instruction		3 _____
EDU 301	Foundations of Literacy	ED206	
EDU 302	Literacy/Comprehension		3 _____
EDU 314	Children's Literature	EN240	
EDU 316	Soc Studies/Literacy Mthd: GR. 1-6		3 _____
EDU 321	Foundations of American Education	ED150	
EDU 344	Science & Tech Mthd: GR. 1-6		3 _____
EDU 345	Math Methods: GR. 1-6		3 _____
PSY 321	Infancy and Childhood	ED205	
EDU 471	Student Teaching Seminar		0 _____
EDU 475	Student Teaching I		6 _____
EDU 476	Student Teaching II		6 _____
<b>Total Education Program Hours: 46</b>			

<b>PSYCHOLOGY-CHILD LIFE MAJOR</b>			
<b>Psychology Major Core Requirements</b>			
<b>Concentration for Math Teachers (14 credits)</b>			
PSY 101	General Psychology		PY101
PCL 123	Childhood Services		1 _____
BIO 103	Basic Human Anatomy & Physiology		3 _____
PCL 214	Developmental Research Methods		3 _____
PSY 256	Principles of Behavior Change		3 _____
PSY 321	Infancy & Childhood		3 _____
PSY 311	Psychological Assessment & Testing w/		3 _____
PSY 311L	Lab		1 _____
EDU 314	Children's Literature		3 _____
PCL 323	Early Intervention		3 _____
PSY 322	Adolescence		3 _____
PSY 366	Individuals with Disabilities		3 _____
PCL 372	Play in Development I: Birth-Age 8		3 _____
PCL 373	Play in Development II: Age 8-21		3 _____
PCL 374	The Helping Relationship		3 _____
PCL 375	Death, Dying and Bereavement		3 _____
PCL 377	Families, Stress and Coping		3 _____
PCL 423	Childhood Disorders		3 _____
PCL 460	Field Experience		3 _____
<b>Elective Sequence* (9 Credit Hours)</b>			
9 _____			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The elective sequence is a minimum of 9 credit hours of related coursework approved by the student's advisor.</li> <li>Courses used in this sequence may not be used fulfill Core requirements.</li> <li>Completion of a double major, a minor, or an education program for teacher certification fulfills this requirement.</li> </ul>			
<b>Total Psychology-Child Life Major Hours: 55</b>			
<b>Total Education Content Hours: 35</b>			
<b>Total Education Program Hours: 46</b>			
<b>Total Hours Required in Major: 55</b>			
<b>Total Hours: 136</b>			
UCC 101	Free Elective		CF 100
PCL 372	Play in Development		ED203
FEL 002	Free Elective		ED201
PED 001	Physical Education		PE
*maximum of 3 credits eligible for transfer			

\* American Sign Language may be taken to fulfill the Foreign Language Requirement for Education, but is not considered liberal arts credit.

\*\*Education classes are not considered liberal arts credit.