

EDUCATION (EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PLUS LICENSURE) - MASTERS OF ARTS

Concentration: Early Childhood Education (plus licensure)

The College of Education's School of Teacher Preparation, Administration and Leadership at New Mexico State University offers a 42 credit Master of Arts in Education Plus Licensure in Early Childhood Education for individuals who have completed a bachelor's degree. The program is designed to meet the professional education course requirements for teacher licensure as a part of a Master of Arts in Education degree program. A full-time student in this program typically completes in 2 years.

Eligible Participants must:

- Completed a bachelor's degree in a closely related field with a cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- Prerequisites may be required depending on BA degree coursework.
- Be admitted to the NMSU Graduate School
- Be admitted to the College of Education's School of Teacher Preparation, Administration and Leadership

Prefix	Title	Credits
Program Requirements		
<i>Core Courses</i>		
EDUC 5120	Multicultural Education ¹	3
EDUC 5140	Research in Curriculum and Pedagogy ¹	3
<i>ECED Licensure Course Work</i>		
ECED 5510	Advanced Teaching and Learning of Literacy	3
ECED 5420	Science/Math Curriculum	3
ECED 5310	Issues in Early Childhood Education	3
ECED 5110	Working with Young Children with Special Needs, Ages 3-8	3
ECED 5410	Seminar on Child Development, Assessment and Well-being of Young Children	3
ECED 5520	Literacy Development in Early Childhood	3
BLED 5120	The Bilingual Preschool Child	3
ECED 5220	Play in the Early Childhood Curriculum	3
ECED 4810	Student Teaching/Seminar Early Childhood	3
SPED 4810	Early Childhood SPED Student Teaching	9
Total Credits		42

¹ Prerequisites to TEP Methods Courses; TEP portfolio can be submitted during the semester in which you are finishing the Core courses.