

**Valparaiso University Teacher Education Program Requirements – Elementary Education
2011-2012 Catalog**

	Requirements		Credits	Comments	
General Education		Core	10		
		CORE 110	The Human Experience	5	<i>Pre-requisite to Block 1</i>
		CORE 115	The Human Experience	5	<i>Pre-requisite to Block 1</i>
			Theology	6	
		THEO 200	The Christian Tradition	3	200-level course
		THEO 3xx	Upper level course	3	300-level course
			Humanities	6	
		ENGL 200	Literary Studies	3	
		HIST 220 or 221	American History	3	
			Social Sciences:	3	
			School and Society	3	<i>ED 306 fulfills this requirement</i>
			Natural Sci.	7-8	
		PSY 110/111	General Psychology with Lab	4	<i>Pre-requisite to Block 1</i>
			Natural Science with Lab	3-4	Choice of natural science* with lab
		PE 100	PE	1	
			Quantitative Analysis	4	
	MATH 213/211	Math for Elementary Teachers	4	<i>Pre-requisite to Block 2</i>	
		Cultural Diversity	3		
	ED 470	Home, School, Community	3	<i>Block 3</i>	
Teacher Education	ED 350	Block 1 Seminar: Inquiry	0	<i>Block 1</i>	
	ED 304	Educational Psychology	3	<i>Block 1</i>	
	ED 306	School & Society	3	<i>Block 1</i>	
	ED 310	Foundations Early/Emergent Literacy	3	<i>Block 1</i>	
	ED 351	Block 2 Seminar: Efficacy	0	<i>Block 2</i>	
	ED 357	Curriculum & Assessment	3	<i>Block 2</i>	
	ED 329	Literacy in the Elementary School	4	<i>Block 2</i>	
	ED 324	Math Methods	3	<i>Block 2</i>	
	ED 308	Technology as Pedagogy	2	<i>Block 2</i>	
	ED 323	Science Methods	3	<i>Block 2</i>	
	ED 327	Social Studies Methods	3	<i>Block 2</i>	
	ED 450	Block 3 Seminar: Equity	0	<i>Block 3</i>	
	ED 400	Fine Arts Experience	3	<i>Block 3</i>	
	SPED 440	Learning Exceptionalities	3	<i>Block 3</i>	
	ED 465	Literacy in Socio-Cultural Contexts	4	<i>Block 3</i>	
	ED 451	Block 4 Seminar: Praxis	1	<i>Block 4</i>	
	ED 452	Block 4 Seminar: Undergraduate Research	1	<i>Block 4</i>	
	ED 439 or SPED 449	Student Teaching: Elementary OR Elementary and Special Education	12	<i>Block 4</i>	
	Other Requirements	COMM 243	Public Communication	3	<i>Pre-requisite to Block 1</i>
ENG 3xx		Advanced Composition	3	<i>ENG 300, 321, 380, or 423</i>	
		One Concentration	14 -30	<i>Student choice of concentration: See VU General Catalog for specific information on your selected minor's course and total credit requirements</i>	

* BIO 125, 151, 171; CHEM 111, 115,121,131; GEO 104; MET 103; ASTR 101; PHYS 111, 141; NS 101,102,103