

# ELEMENTARY EDUCATION MAJOR

## Acceptance to Major Requirements

Application to the Education Department occurs during the semester students are enrolled in EDUC 379A Educational Psychology: Myths Versus Science

Course Requirements: EDUC 111 Introduction to Teaching and Learning in a Diverse World

Minimum GPA: 2.50 or above in Licensure Content Area & Education Department coursework Minimum Cumulative GPA: 2.50

A complete application package (Detailed Admission Requirements can be viewed on the Education Department's website at: <https://www.csbsju.edu/education/student-resources/apply-to-the-program/>)).

Other Requirements: Background check sans felony.

Note: Students enrolled in EDUC 379A Educational Psychology: Myths Versus Science who do not meet the above requirements may still apply but are encouraged to familiarize themselves with the appeal process in advance.

Code	Title	Hours
EDUC 111	Introduction to Teaching and Learning in a Diverse World	4
EDUC 150	Fundamentals of Music	2
EDUC 151	Principles of Art	2
EDUC 203	Development, Learning, and Mental Health in Childhood and Adolescence	4
EDUC 212	Clinical Experience: Elementary Education	2
EDUC 215	Literature for Children and Adolescents K-8	4
EDUC 305	Human Exceptionalities: School, Home, and Community	1
EDUC 313	Teaching Physical Education K-6	1
EDUC 315	Art Pedagogy in Grades K-6	2
EDUC 318	Social Studies Pedagogy in Grades K-6	4
EDUC 323	Elementary Science Content	4
EDUC 325	Mathematics Pedagogy K-6	4
EDUC 333	Music Pedagogy K-6	2
EDUC 334	Science Pedagogy K-6	4
EDUC 347	Reading, Writing and Language Growth K-6	4
EDUC 359	Issues in Education K-12	1
EDUC 379A	Educational Psychology: Myths Versus Science	4
EDUC 390	Ethics in Human Relations	4
MATH 121	Fundamentals of Mathematics	4
MATH 180	Fundamentals of Mathematics II	4
Student teaching experience		16
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>77</b>

## Optional 5-8 or K-8 Endorsement

Elementary education majors may choose to complete a grades 5-8 endorsement in Communication Arts and Literature, Mathematics, General Science, or a grades K-8 endorsement in World Languages (French, German, or Spanish).

## Additional Requirements:

### General Education Requirements:

All undergraduate students must complete the requirements of the Integrations Curriculum (IC) which is designed to ensure all of our students receive a liberal arts education. Please review details of the Integrations Curriculum (<https://catalog.csbsju.edu/catalog/academic-programs-policies-regulations/integrations-curriculum/>) requirements here (<https://catalog.csbsju.edu/catalog/academic-programs-policies-regulations/integrations-curriculum/>).

### Graduation Requirements:

In addition to the Integrations Curriculum, all undergraduate students must meet the following minimum degree requirements to earn their degree from CSB and SJU.

**Credits:** 124 total credits, 40 of which must be from upper division coursework

**GPA:** 2.0 or higher\*

**Residency:** At least 24 of your last 32 credits must be completed at CSB/SJU

Please visit Graduation (<https://catalog.csbsju.edu/catalog/academic-programs-policies-regulations/graduation/>) under the Academic Policies and Regulations (<https://catalog.csbsju.edu/catalog/academic-programs-policies-regulations/>) portion of the catalog for additional details regarding degree requirements.

\* Cumulative GPA as well as major(s)/minor(s) GPA. Please note some majors/minors may require a higher GPA to earn their degree.

## Four Year Plan

Course	Title	Hours
<b>First Year</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
EDUC 111	Introduction to Teaching and Learning in a Diverse World	4
LANG 111		4
INTG 100	Foundations	4
MATH 121	Fundamentals of Mathematics	4
INTG 105	College Success	1
		<b>Hours</b>
		<b>17</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
INTG REQ Elective		4
LANG 112		4
THEO 100	Theological Explorations	4
MATH 180	Fundamentals of Mathematics II	4
EDUC 150	Fundamentals of Music	2
		<b>Hours</b>
		<b>18</b>
<b>Second Year</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
<b>Elementary Block</b> - all classes need to be taken together		
EDUC 151	Principles of Art	2
EDUC 315	Art Pedagogy in Grades K-6	2
EDUC 212	Clinical Experience: Elementary Education	2

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EDUC 215	Literature for Children and Adolescents K-8	4
EDUC 203	Development, Learning, and Mental Health in Childhood and Adolescence	4
EDUC 379A	Educational Psychology: Myths Versus Science	4
<b>Hours</b>		<b>18</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
EDUC 323	Elementary Science Content	4
LANG 211		4
INTG REQ/Elective		4
Elective		4
EDUC 313	Teaching Physical Education K-6	1
<b>Hours</b>		<b>17</b>
<b>Third Year</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
THEO 3XX		4
EDUC 325	Mathematics Pedagogy K-6	4
EDUC 334	Science Pedagogy K-6	4
EDUC 301	Teaching Literacy to English Language Learners (recommended)	2
EDUC 333	Music Pedagogy K-6	2
<b>Hours</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
Study Abroad		
Study Abroad Seminar		4
Elective		4
Elective		4
Elective		4
<b>Hours</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Fourth Year</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
EDUC 318	Social Studies Pedagogy in Grades K-6	4
EDUC 347	Reading, Writing and Language Growth K-6	4
INTG 300	Learning Integrations	4
EDUC 390	Ethics in Human Relations	4
EDUC 359	Issues in Education K-12	1
<b>Hours</b>		<b>17</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
EDUC 360	Student Teaching K-6	16
<b>Hours</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>135</b>