

EDUCATOR PREPARATION CURRICULUM PLANNING GUIDE*

DEGREE: Not associated with a degree

MINOR: English as a Second Language **LICENSURE PROGRAM:** K-12

FOR: Spring Admits to the Educator Preparation Program (EPP) - Effective 2025-2026

ESL COURSES					
Semester	Course #	Course Title	Field Exp Hours	Offered	Credits
3 – Fall	EDU 225	Foundations of ESL and Bilingual Education		Fall only	3
	EDU 235	Immigration and Education		Fall only	3
4 - Spring	EDU 325	Introduction to Second Language Acquisition		Spring only	3
	EDU 335	ESL Methods (must be in or have completed EDU 312)		Spring only	3
5 or 7 Fall	EDU 446	Assessment in the Second Language Classroom		Every Other Fall only	3
6 - Spring	EDU 436	Literacy Methods in the Second Language Classroom		Spring only	3
Required to move to Residency / Student Teaching semester: • Successful completion the following coursework: all degree, major/minor courses, EDU requirements except 420 & 425 • Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher AND EDU major GPA of 3.0 or higher, with all EDU course grades C+ or above • Successful completion of the Content Knowledge Assessment • Successful completion of the Pre-Residency Portfolio with a score of 20 or higher • Passed criminal background check within the last two years that will remain valid through Residency • Admitted to Residency					
Required for endorsement of licensure: • Successful completion of all licensure requirements for initial license, including the Pedagogical Knowledge Assessment (see your Major) • Meet the Content Knowledge Assessment Policy requirements (see below)					

*All programs leading to licensure must meet the requirements of the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction and PI 34. The WI DPI may make changes to the requirements for licensure at any time that may affect the program. It is the student's responsibility to ensure that they meet with the teacher education advisor each semester to ensure that they have the most current program information. Advising by anyone but the teacher education advisor will not be deemed official for this program.

Content Knowledge Assessment

All candidates must successfully complete the Content Knowledge Assessment prior to admission to Residency by **one** of the following:

Option 1	Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher in all content area courses: EDU 225, 235, 325, 335, 436, and 446
Option 2	Passing score of 149 or above on Praxis II: English as a Second Language (5362)