

## The Mission of the School

The School of Education and Human Development (SOEHD) has established as its primary mission the maintenance of quality educational programs designed to prepare teachers and other educational leaders for service in public and private schools and other educational institutions.

Emphasis is directed toward preparing highly competent educators and human development specialists, providing professional support and leadership to the area community,

promoting applied research, and providing experiences and opportunities that will enable employed professionals to remain current in their fields.

The 1994-95 academic year will find students attending classes, studying, and working in a state-of-the-art Education Building. The five-story facility, opened in Spring 1994, offers clinical areas and computer and microteaching laboratories. One of the special features is a Human Development Center that is organized for observation and teaching young children, from infants through age six.

SOEHD directs its full attention to the enhancement of human potential so that those who work in the field of education and human development function more effectively and productively in an ever-changing and increasingly diverse society.

Education majors complete two student teaching experiences, and one of them must be in a school with high levels of student diversity and "at risk" learners. CSU Fresno graduates from the School of Education and Human Development are prepared with the knowledge, skills, and values to work effectively with students of diverse backgrounds.



## The School of Education and Human Development

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The School of Education and Human Development includes the departments of Counseling and Special Education; Curriculum, Teaching, and Educational Technology; Educational Research, Administration, and Foundations; and Literacy and Early Education. The Liberal Studies Program, the Center for Educational Research and Service, and the Instructional Technology and Resource Center are integral parts of the school.