

Professional Preparation

The minimum professional requirements necessary to qualify for the Standard Teaching Credential with Specialization in Elementary Teaching include 21-22 units in the following courses:

	<i>Units</i>
E Ed 105, 107A-B, 132A-B.....	19
Elect one course from: E Ed 100, S Ed 184, 186, 187.....	2-3
	21-22

Students are not permitted to enroll in any of the courses listed under professional preparation until official admission to the credential program has been granted.

Internship

An internship which permits the student to teach on a half-time salaried basis while he is completing the 30 units of postgraduate work required for the credential may be arranged for superior students in the elementary teaching credential program. Plans for entering the program should be made at the beginning of the senior year. Consult the chairman of the Elementary Education Department for details.

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION DEGREE

Students enrolled prior to July 1, 1964, in a program leading to the bachelor of education degree will be allowed to continue the program provided they hold a regular California provisional kindergarten-primary or provisional general elementary credential (see department chairman).

MASTER OF ARTS DEGREE

The Elementary Education Department offers a program leading to the master of arts degree in education with a concentration in elementary teaching. Emphasis is on developing highly qualified professional personnel for the elementary schools. Prospective candidates can usually plan to coordinate many of the requirements for the master of arts degree in education with the fifth year which must be completed by every candidate for a standard teaching credential. A student may enter the master's degree program following completion of fifteen semester units of acceptable work in professional education or following completion of the minimum requirements for a standard teaching credential, provided all criteria for classified graduate standing have been met. Students must also comply with policies and procedures established by the School of Education Graduate Committee.

For specific requirements consult the department chairman; for general requirements, see *School of Graduate Studies*. For detailed information about the graduate program at Fresno State College, see the *Graduate Bulletin*, available in the Office of the Dean, School of Graduate Studies.

Courses**ELEMENTARY EDUCATION (E Ed)****100. School and Society (3) (Former Ed, S Ed 100)**

Prerequisite: Soc. 1A or Anthro 2, or permission of instructor; admission to credential program. Function of education in American culture; role of the school and the teacher; impact of social conflict on the school's function; relationship between school and community; designated field experiences.

105. Development and Learning (3) (Former Ed 185, A Ed 105)

Prerequisite: admission to credential program. Facts, ideas, and principles fundamental to an understanding of educational procedures in teaching and learning, and to the growth and development of children.