

MIDDLE SCHOOL GENERALIST (B.S.Ed.) (Grades 5-9)

PFW School of Education

Effective Fall 2018

Minimum: 120 Credits

Name: _____

ID: _____

C- OR BETTER IS REQUIRED FOR EVERY COURSE USED TOWARD THIS DEGREE

PFW GENERAL EDUCATION: Variable Credits

Below is a list of highly recommended courses to accomplish the general education requirements and prepare you for the content required by the Indiana DOE. The full list of approved courses for general education can be found at www.pfw.edu/academics/bulletins.

Category A. Foundational Intellectual Skills (9)		
1. Written Communication 1.1 / 1.2 / 1.3 / 1.4 / 1.5 / 1.6 / 1.7		
ENGL 13100 Rdng, Wrng & Inqry I	3	
2. Speaking & Listening 2.1 / 2.2 / 2.3 / 2.4 / 2.5 / 2.6 / 2.7		
COM 11400 Fund. Of Speech	3	
3. Quantitative Reasoning 3.1 / 3.2 / 3.3 / 3.4 / 3.5 / 3.6 / 3.7 / 3.8		
MA 14000, MA 15300 OR STAT 12500	0 / 3	
Category B. Ways of Knowing (21 - 22)		
4. Scientific 4.1 / 4.2 / 4.3 / 4.4 / 4.5 / 4.6		
BIOL 10000	0 / 3	
Refer to Approved List (not BIOL)	0 / 3	
Lab with one science course	0 / 1	
5. Social & Behavioral 5.1 / 5.2 / 5.3 / 5.4 / 5.5 / 5.6		
EDU 34001 Edu. & Amer. Cult.	3	
Refer to Approved List	0 / 3	
6. Humanistic & Artistic 6.1 / 6.2 / 6.3 / 6.4 / 6.5 / 6.6 / 6.7		
HIST (Refer to Approved List)	0 / 3	
Refer to Approved List (not HIST) (Literature Recommended)	0 / 3	
7. Interdisciplinary Opt 1: (3) 1.1-3.8 & (2) 4-6 Opt 2: 7.1 / 7.2 / 7.3		
Refer to Approved List	0 / 3	
Category C. Capstone (3)		
8. Capstone 8.1 / 8.2 / 8.3 / 8.4		
Refer to Approved List	0 / 3	

Note: Several Gen. Ed. courses may also be used in your concentrations. Completing these courses will increase the number of electives available to you.

PRE-PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION: 6 Credits

Course	Crdts	Grade
EDU 20000 Examin Self as a Teacher	3	
AND EDU 10100 Lab/Field Exp	0	
EDU 20002 Using Computers in Educ	3	

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION : 30 Credits

BLOCK 1: SPRING ONLY (9)

Course	Crdts	Grade
Pre-req: Must complete all of the 1st checkpoint		
EDU 30600 Teach Excpt Learn Second	3	
EDU 40500 The Jr High & Middle School	3	
EDU 25000 Gen Educ Psychology	3	
AND EDU 30100 Lab/Field Exp	0	

BLOCK 2: FALL ONLY (9)

Course	Crdts	Grade
Pre-req: Must complete all of the 2nd checkpoint		
EDU 47500 Adol Devel & Clsrmg Mgmt	3	
EDU 44300 Soc.Stud, 44700 Eng, 44800 Math, OR 44900 Sci Methods	3	
EDU 40101 Crit Rdg in Content Area	3	
EDU 40100 Lab Field Exp	0	

STUDENT TEACHING: (12)

Course	Crdts	Grade
Pre-req: Must complete all of the 3rd checkpoint		
EDU 48000 Student Teaching	12	
AND EDU 40100 Final Program Assess	0	

OR

EDU 48000 Student Teaching	9	
AND EDU 47000 SPED Practicum	3	
AND EDU 40100 Final Program Assessment	0	

TEACHING CONCENTRATIONS: 54 Credits

Primary Concentration	30	
Supporting Concentration	24	

(See the next two pages for a complete list of concentration courses and other requirements.)

ELECTIVES: Variable Credits(To bring total credits to 120)

It is suggested that you choose electives from your major or from another teacher certification area.

Evaluated by: _____ Date: _____

MIDDLE SCHOOL GENERALIST STUDENT CHECKPOINTS

Successful completion of all Program Assessments within each block is required

1ST Checkpoint: For Admission to Block 1

- _____ 1. Pass the Pearson CASA (Core Academic Skills Assessment) or one of the following alternative measures:
 - _____ Reading (220) _____ Writing (220) _____ Math (220)
 - _____ ACT Composite score of 24 based on math, reading, grammar, and science
 - _____ SAT Combined score of at least 1100 on critical reading and math if taken prior to 3/1/16 or **1170** composite beginning 3/1/16
 - _____ GRE Combined score of at least 1100 on quantitative and verbal
 - _____ Master's degree from a regionally accredited institution
 - _____ PPST (taken prior to 9-1-2013)
 - _____ Reading (176) _____ Writing (172) _____ Math (175) _____ Composite (527)
- _____ 2. Completion of all Pre-Professional Education classes, ENGL 13100 and COM 11400
- _____ 3. Completion of 15 credits in your Primary concentration and 12 credits in your Supporting concentration
- _____ 4. Minimum 2.70 cum. GPA in your Middle School Generalist major
- _____ 5. Minimum 2.70 cum. GPA
- _____ 6. Candidates may retake a Pre-Professional Education course only one time.
- _____ 7. Pass a Criminal History Report. Criminal History Reports are valid for one year and will be repeated when necessary.

2nd Checkpoint: For Admission to Block II

- _____ 1. Completion of Block 1 with each course having a grade of C- or higher
- _____ 2. Completion of 21 credits in your Primary concentration and 18 credits in your Supporting concentration
- _____ 3. Minimum 2.70 cum. GPA

3rd Checkpoint: For Admission to Student Teaching

- _____ 1. **Complete an application for student teaching and meet with the Student Teaching director ONE YEAR before intended student teaching semester. For fall placements: Sept – Nov. For spring placements: Jan – Mar.**
- _____ 2. Take at least one Pearson content exam. It is recommended that you take the exams in each of your content areas.
- _____ 3. Completion of Block 2 with each course having a grade of C- or higher
- _____ 4. Minimum 3.00 cum. GPA in your Middle School Generalist major
- _____ 5. Minimum 3.00 cum. GPA
- _____ 6. You may have no more than 6 credits remaining in your degree besides Student Teaching.
- _____ 7. Candidates may retake a Professional Education course only one time.
- _____ 8. Pass an Expanded Criminal History Report

4th Checkpoint: Final Assessment/Licensure

- _____ 1. Completion of student teaching and all course requirements
- _____ 2. Pass at least one Pearson content exam and the Pedagogy Test
- _____ 3. No grade lower than a C- in any required course
- _____ 4. Minimum 3.00 cum GPA in your Middle School Generalist major
- _____ 5. Minimum 3.00 cum. GPA
- _____ 6. Provide evidence of a valid CPR/AED/Suicide Prevention certification
- _____ 7. Apply for graduation and license

A student should request permission for a waiver in writing from the School of Education Chair for an exception to any of the above requirements.

MIDDLE SCHOOL GENERALIST MAJOR

54 Credits

Secondary Middle School Generalist majors must complete two concentrations: one Primary (30 credits) and one Supporting (24 credits). The Primary concentration consists of the first 24 credits (Supporting concentration) plus an additional 6 credits.

LANGUAGE ARTS (24 or 30 Credits)

Course	Title	Crs	Grd
ENGL 10101, 10201 OR Multi-Cult Lit	West World Mstrpcs I or II, or Multi-Cultural Lit	3	
ENGL 20201 or 23301	Literary Interpretation or Interm Expository Writing	3	
ENGL 20501, 20600 OR LING 10300	Intro Eng Lang, Intro Study Grammar or Intro Study Lang	3	
COM 25000	Mass Communication & Society	3	
ENGL 49002 or 49102	Children's Literature or Literature for Young Adults	3	
EDU 40101	Critical Reading in Content Area	3	
ENG LIT elective (British 300+ level)		3	
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Language Arts elective	(not COM 11400 or ENGL 13100) (For Primary Concentration)	3	
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MATHEMATICS (24 or 30 Credits)

Course	Title	Crs	Grd
MA 10100	Math for Elementary Teachers I	3	
MA 10200	Math for Elementary Teachers II	3	
MA 10300	Math for Elementary Teachers III	3	
MA 15300	College Algebra	3	
MA 22900 OR MA 16500	Calculus for Mgr/Soc/Bio Sciences I or Analytic Geometry & Calc I	3-4	
STAT 12500	Communicating with Statistics	3	
Computer Science elective		3	
MA, STAT OR CS elective	To bring total to 24 credits (MA 15400 or MA 16800 recommended)	2-3	
MA OR STAT elective	(For Primary Concentration)	3	
MA OR STAT elective	(For Primary Concentration)	3	

SCIENCE (24 or 30 Credits)

(License will read "Life Science 5 – 9")

Course	Title	Crs	Grd
GEOG 10700	Physical Systems of the Environment	3	
BIOL 10000	Intro to the Biological World	3	
EAPS 10001	General Geology	3	
BIOL 10001 OR EAPS 10002	Intro Biological World Lab or General Geology Lab	1	
CHM 11100	General Chemistry	3	
PHYS 22000	General Physics (P: MA 15300)	4	
PHYS 22100	General Physics	4	
BIOL 34900	Environmental Science	3	
EAPS 12100 OR ASTR 10000	Meteorites & Planets or The Solar System (For Primary Concentration)	3	
Science elective	(For Primary Concentration)	3	

SOCIAL STUDIES (24 or 30 Credits)

(License will read "Historical Perspectives 5 – 9")

Course	Title	Crs	Grd
ECON 20000 OR ECON 20100	Fund of Economics or Intro to Microeconomics	3	
POL 10300	Intro to American Politics	3	
HIST 10501	American History to 1877	3	
HIST 10601	American History since 1877	3	
HIST 11300	Western Civilization to 1500	3	
HIST 11400	European History 1500 to present	3	
HIST 23200	The World in the 20th Century	3	
HIST elective (300+ level)		3	
Social Studies elective	(For Primary Concentration)	3	
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