

Middle Grades Education (6-9) Program of Study

Recommended Sequence of Courses

- Minimum of 120 hours required for graduation

Academic Concentration	Additional Teaching Field
Select one subject area: Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, OR Social Studies	Select one subject area (different from your Academic Concentration) : Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, OR Social Studies
Complete 24 hours of Arts and Sciences courses – select from: https://uncw.edu/ed/advising/concentration.html#middle	Complete 18 hours of Arts and Sciences Courses – select from: https://uncw.edu/ed/advising/concentration.html#middle
Complete Praxis II and edTPA for Licensure	Complete Praxis III and edTPA for Licensure

Freshman	Fall	Prerequisites	University Studies
	University Studies – See concentration sheets at https://uncw.edu/ed/advising/concentration.html#middle for courses that will double-count <p style="text-align: right;">Total: 15 hours</p>	*See concentration sheets	*See concentration sheets
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Sophomore	Fall EDN 200 – Teacher, School, and Society – 3 hours EDNL 200 – Field Studies – 1 hour EDN 203 – Psychological Foundations – 3 hours University Studies- 9 hours – See concentration sheets at https://uncw.edu/ed/advising/concentration.html#middle for courses that will double-count <p style="text-align: right;">Total: 16 hours</p>	*EDNL 200 is a corequisite with EDN 200 *See concentration sheets	EDN 200- Approaches and Perspectives/Living in Our Diverse Nation EDNL 200 - Approaches and Perspectives/Living in Our Diverse Nation EDN 203- Approaches and Perspectives/Understanding Human Institutions and Behaviors *See concentration sheets
	Spring PSY 221 Adolescent Psychology OR PSY 223 Lifespan Human Development Psychology – 3 hours Academic Concentration – 3 hours Additional Teaching Field – 6 hours University Studies- 6 hours – See concentration sheets at https://uncw.edu/ed/advising/concentration.html#middle for courses that will double-count	*PSY 105 is a prerequisite for PSY 221 and PSY 223 *See concentration sheets	*See concentration sheets

		Total: 18 hours		
Junior	Fall	EDN 301 Instructional Design – 3 hours EDN 303 Instructional Technology – 3 hours Academic Concentration – 6 hours Additional Teaching Field – 3 hours Total: 15 hours	*EDN 200 and EDN 203 are prerequisites for EDN 301	EDN 303 - Building Competencies/Information Literacy
	Spring	EDN 318 – Middle School – 3 hours EDN 320 – Diverse Learners – 3 hours EDN 352 – Developing Reading and Writing Competence in the Middle Grades (offered fall and spring) – 3 hours Additional Teaching Field – 6 hours Academic Concentration – 3 hours Total: 18 hours	*EDN courses require admission to WCE	EDN 318 - Explorations Beyond the Classroom EDN 352 - Building Competencies/Writing Intensive; Explorations Beyond the Classroom
Senior	Fall	EDN 439 – Field Studies in the Middle Grades – 3 hours EDN XXX – methods courses for middle grades – select two from the list below – 6 hours <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EDN 323 – Math • EDN 335 – Social Studies • EDN 338 – Science • EDN 355² – Language ARTs Academic Concentration – 6 hours Additional Teaching Field – 3 hours Total: 18 hours	*EDN 303 should be taken prior to methods courses *EDN 301 and EDN 318 are prerequisites for all methods courses (EDN 323, 335, 338, and 355) *EDN 439 is a co-requisite with the methods courses	EDN 323, EDN 335, EDN 338, and EDN 355 - Explorations Beyond the Classroom
	Spring	EDN 411 – Practicum (6-9) – 12 hours Total: 12 hours	* All courses in the concentrations for 6-9 majors *A grade of C- or better is required in all education courses with a 2.7 cumulative GPA on all work attempted at UNCW.	Explorations Beyond the Classroom, Common Requirements/Critical Reasoning, Capstone