

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION/TEACHING MAJOR (BIRTH-GRADE 3) (BA TRADITIONAL)

Students who complete this major and other state requirements are eligible to apply for a Minnesota teaching license for Early Childhood Education (Birth through Grade 3).

General Education Requirements

All degree seeking undergraduate students must complete the general education (<http://catalog.csp.edu/undergraduate/academic-information/general-education-requirements/>) requirements.

Degree Requirements

A bachelor of Arts degree consists of a major of typically 30 to 44 credits or two minors, general education courses, upper-level requirements, and elective courses totaling a minimum of 120 credits.

Code	Title	Credits
ECE 321	Preschool Education	2
ECE 324	Language Development and Emergent Literacy	3
ECE 327	Infant and Toddler	2
ECE 326	Building Primary Classrooms	3
ECE 425	Young Children with Special Needs	2
ECE 428	Guidance and Assessment	2
ED 203	Principles of Elementary Mathematics	3
ED 201	Foundations of and Introduction to Education	3
ED 330	Human Diversity and Relations	2
ED 336	Educational Psychology	3
ED 342	Teaching Literacy	4
ED 344	The Effective Teacher	3
ED 371	Teaching Practicum	4
ED 360	Content & Mthd for K-6 Mathema	4
ED 470	Health Education for Teachers	2
ED 471	Student Teaching	15
Total Credits		57

Each state has different requirements for professional licensure and certifications. CSP's educator preparation programs are designed specifically to prepare students for licensure in Minnesota, but are not approved by any other state licensing boards for licensure in those states. CSP is unable to determine whether its teacher preparation programs would meet the educational requirements for licensure in other states. #Students who want to work in a state other than Minnesota should contact the state licensing board in their state before enrolling in the program.##Please see the contact information for teacher licensing boards here (<https://publish.smartsheet.com/4dfcb6a0284545ee895980a8c8b71432/>).