

Elementary Education Endorsement - Bellingham & Outreach Sites

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This 59-68+ credit program is designed for practicing teachers who hold an endorseable Washington State Teaching Certificate and wish to obtain an additional endorsement in elementary education. The program provides coherent preparation in all areas of the elementary education curriculum. Successful completion of the program leads to recommendation to the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction for the K-8 Elementary Endorsement.

Admissions & Retention

- Washington state teaching certificate
- Cumulative grade point average of 2.75 or higher overall or for the last 45 quarter credits or 30 semester credits.

Retention in the program requires continuous demonstration of competence in standard oral and written English in all coursework. Retention also requires maintenance of a 2.75 quarterly GPA for each quarter after admission. The State of Washington requires students to earn a "C" or better in all major endorsement and most education courses.

Individual course of study plans will vary according to site location and experience.

Outreach Locations - Bremerton & Everett

Endorsement Course Offerings

SPED 305	Intro to SPED & Typical/Atypical Dev (5)
SPED 350	Principles of Assessment and Data Based Decision Making (3)
SPED 465	Assessment for Special Education and General Education Teachers (4)
ELED 365	Inclusive Lesson Design Teachers (3)
ELED 375	Designing Responsive Classrooms (3)
ELED 426	Social Studies Methods (4)
ELED 455	Primary Literacy Instruction in Inclusive Classrooms (3)
ELED 466	Intermediate Literacy Instruction in Inclusive Classrooms (3)
MATH 381	Teaching K-8 Mathematics I (4)
MATH 382	Teaching K-8 Mathematics II (4)
MATH 383	Teaching K-8 Mathematics III (4)
SCED 480	Science Methods & Curriculum for Elementary School (5)
SCED 490	Lab/Field Experience in Elementary Science (3)
HLED 455	Health Education Grades K-8 (2)
PE 345	PE for Elementary School (3)
ART 398	Integrated Arts for Elementary Educators (3)
_____	Practicum Requirement (approx..2-3)

Further Field Experience by Advisement

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SPED 420	Effective Teaching (4)
SPED 460	Creating Inclusive Classrooms (5)
SPED 457	Students with Disabilities in Inclusive Classrooms (5)
SPED 462	Teaching for Learning, Mtvtn & Achvmnt in a Diverse Soc. (5)
SPED 463	Curriculum Based Evaluation: Data-Based Assessment for Effective Decision-Making (5)
SPED 479	Developmental and Remedial Reading Instruction for Inclusive Settings (5)
ELED 424	Language Arts in Elem Curriculum (4)
ELED 426	Social Studies Methods (4)
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*To find out more about the **Renton** site course offerings, please reach out to Renton site staff.*

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