# SPECIAL EDUCATION
## K-6 TEACHING SUBJECT ENDORSEMENT, BACHELOR OF ARTS IN EDUCATION

Offered by Department of Teacher Education [Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/departments-programs/teacher-education)

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### General Studies

**Foundational Core (Written, Math, Oral, Democracy)**

Foundational Core courses [Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses) 12

- **ENG 102** Academic Writing and Research
- **MATH 230** Math for Elementary Teachers I
- **SPCH 100** Fundamentals of Speech Communication
- **TE 100** Teaching in a Democratic Society

### Portal

Select one course numbered 188 [Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses/portal-course) 3

### Distribution

- **ENG 101** Introduction of Academic Writing 3

*If ENG 101 is not taken as a prerequisite for ENG 102 then additional hours may be required to meet the 27 credit hour minimum in the Distribution Area of General Studies.*

- **Aesthetics** [Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses/aesthetics) 3

- **Humanities** [Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses/humanities) 6

*Including:

Select 1 of the following:

- **ENG 250** Introduction to Literature: British Literature
- **ENG 251** Introduction to Literature: American Literature
- **ENG 252** Introduction to Literature: Western Civilization
- **ENG 253** Intro to Literature: Non-Western Civilization
- **ENG 254** Introduction to Literature: Special Topics
- **HIST 210** Western Civilization
- **HIST 211** Western Civilization
- **HIST 212** Non-Western World History
- **HIST 215** Introduction to Latin America
- **HIST 250** American History
- **HIST 251** American History

**Social Sciences** [Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses/social-sciences) 6

*Including:

- **PSCI 110** Introduction to American Politics

### Natural Sciences

Select any approved ECON, PSY, SOC, or GEOG GS course 8

- **Biol 103** General Biology

### Analytical and Quantitative Thought

[Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses/analytical-quantitative-thought) 3

*Including:

- **MATH 330** Math for Elementary Teachers II

### Wellness

[Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses/wellness) 3

*Including:

- **PE 150** Healthy Wealthy and Wise

### Capstone

Select one course numbered 388 [Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses/capstone-course) 3

### Professional Sequence

Complete all required courses 1 24

*Including:

- **TE 318** Management and Assessment in Preschool/Elementary Classrooms
- **TE 411** Inclusive Practices for Students with Exceptionalities in PreK-8 Classrooms

### Endorsement

Complete all required courses 43.5

### Unrestricted electives

Needed to reach 120 credit hours minimum 2.5

### Total Credit Hours

120

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**Endorsement**

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**Special Education K-6 Teaching Field Endorsement Requirements**

- **TE 311** Math Methods I 2
- **TE 312** Math Methods II 2
- **TE 314** Phonics and Word Study 2
- **TE 315** Literacy Assessment 2
- **TE 316** Primary Grades Literacy 2
- **TE 317** Field Experience: Literacy 1
- **TESE 330** Collaboration, Consultation, and Co-Teaching 3
- **TESE 437** Medical Aspects of Individuals with Disabilities 3
- **MATH 104** Concepts in Mathematics and Statistics 2 3
- **TE 313** Field Experience: Math (Take .5 credit hour course twice) 1

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[Link](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/general-studies/general-studies-courses/natural-sciences)
Select the following in specified sequence:

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**Total Credit Hours** 43.5

1. Students must apply for admission to all Teacher Education programs ([http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/departments-programs/teacher-education/professional-sequence-education-degrees](http://catalog.unk.edu/undergraduate/departments-programs/teacher-education/professional-sequence-education-degrees)).

2. For students without sufficient preparation at a higher level.