**BAYLOR UNIVERSITY**

**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

**ELEMENTARY ED. With GIFTED and TALENTED in the Baylor Interdisciplinary Core**

*A suggested sequence of course, many courses in the Freshman and Sophomore years are interchangeable. Course selection is subject to availability and fit within each semester.*

### FRESHMAN-FALL
- BIC 1112 Examined Life
- BIC 1314 World Cultures I
- BIC 1313 Rhetoric I
- MTH 1315 Patterns, Relationships & Number Concepts
- TED 1312 Intro to Teaching (add LF 11**)

Chapel (CR)
Total: 14 hr

### FRESHMAN-SPRING
- BIC 1323 Rhetoric II
- BIC 1324 World Cultures II
- MTH 1316 Geometry and Measurement
- EDP 2336 The Developing Child

Chapel (CR)
Total: 16 s.h.

### SUMMER:
Languages* (6-8 hrs)

### SOPHOMORE-FALL
- BIC 2330 Social World II
- BIC 2334 World Cultures III
- TED 4302 Language Arts in the Elem School
- BIC 2437 Natural World I (or 4 hr science)
- MTH 3318 Data and Chance

Total: 16 s.h.

### SOPHOMORE-SPRING
- EDP 3324 Learning and Development
- EDP 2350 Introduction to the Gifted Child
- TED 3301 Early Literacy (Fall or Spring)
- BIC 2340 Social World II
- BIC 2344 World Cultures IV

Total: 15 s.h.

*Summer or Soph Spring: BIC 3358 Biblical Heritage  Total: 3 s.h.*

**Must have minimum 2.75 gpa (cumulative & in major) to begin Teaching Associate.**

### JUNIOR-FALL
- EDP 3650 Teaching Associate GT Part I
- TED 3325 Literacy Instruction in Early Grades
- TED 4308 Social Studies in Elementary School
- TED 4312 Methods of Teaching English 2nd lang
- BIC 3358 Biblical Heritage

Total: 18 s.h.

### JUNIOR-SPRING
- EDP 3651 Teaching Associate GT Part II
- TED 4326 Mathematics in the Early Grades
- TED 4307 Science Methods
- TED 4303 Comprehension and Expository Text

Total: 15 s.h.

### SENIOR-FALL
- EDP 4650 Internship Gifted and Talented Part I
- EDP 4651 Internship Gifted and Talented Part II
- EDP 4351 Differentiation

Total: 15 s.h.

### SENIOR-SPRING
- EDP 4652 Internship Gifted and Talented Part III
- EDP 4653 Internship Gifted and Talented Part IV
- EDP 4352 Exceptionalities

Total: 15 s.h.

**TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS: 134-139***

*Second level proficiency is required.

**Students may seek ESL Supplemental certification with appropriate field placement in addition to TED 4312. This field work will be provided at student's request.

***The minimum hour requirement for a Baylor degree is 124 hours.**

Revised 9/2/22 based on SOE 2019 planner
To enter the Teaching Associate coursework a formal application process must be completed. The requirements include:

- Minimum GPA of 2.75 (cumulative & major)
- One of the following: SAT prior to March 5, 2016 1070 (500+ Reading/Math), or SAT on or after March 5, 2016 480+ on EBRW and 530+ on mathematics test, ACT 23 (19+ English/Math), qualifying TAKS/STAAR test scores or appropriate TSI score.
- **International Students**: TOEFL exam and score of 26 on speaking component.
- Teaching Associate application and paperwork on file with the Office of Professional Practice.

(Please note: Students will be notified of admission decision by email and must respond to the notification within 10 days of receiving the email.)

To enter the Internship coursework the following must be achieved:

- Minimum gpa of 2.75 (cumulative & major)
- Grade of B or better, each semester, in each of the Teaching Associate courses.
- 80% earned overall score on the PPR and content Diagnostic TExES exams.
- One official TExES test attempted.
- Summative e-folio benchmark assessment with a mean rating equal to or greater than 4 (on 9-point scale).

The School of Education has high expectations for our teaching candidates while placed in local school classrooms. The expectations are as follows:

- Any Teacher Education (TED) course may only be repeated once: some TED courses require faculty permission to be repeated.
- A grade of B or higher must be earned in Teaching Associate and Internship courses in order to move on to subsequent semester of coursework.
- If a student does not earn a grade of B or higher in Teaching Associate and/or Internship courses, he/she must initiate an appeal as outlined in the Professional Development School Teacher Education Handbook. This process will determine if the student is able to continue in the Teacher Education Program.

Please note: “Course completion” requirements may vary according to certificate programs as specified in the Professional Development School Teacher Education.