

## Plan of Study – Clackamas CC Pathway to WPU BS in Early Childhood/Elementary Education

Important: This degree program is for students pursuing a Preliminary Teaching License for Multiple Subjects (Early Childhood/Elementary Education). This degree program **does not** prepare students for a Preliminary Teaching License for a Single Subject (Middle Level and High School).

*Note: Clackamas CC utilizes quarter credits and WPU utilizes semester credits. For conversion, 1.5 quarter credits = 1 semester credit*

Clackamas Community College Major/Core Pathway			Warner Pacific University Equivalencies	
Course	Title/Description	Cr (Qtr)	WPU Requirement Fulfilled	Cr (Sem)
WR 121 + 122	College Composition	4 + 4	EN 111 + 112 English Composition	5.36
Science Course	Science Course: At least 1 course/4 credits from one of the following subject areas: BI, CH, ESR, G, GS, PH, or Z.	4	Science Core Requirement	2.68
History & Culture Course	At least 1 course/3 credits from one of the following subject areas: ART, ENG, HST, or MUS. WR 241 or 244 may also apply. <i>(Note: must be separate from ENG 222).</i>	3	Historical & Cultural Knowledge Core Requirement	2
Critical Thinking Course	At least 1 course/3 credits from one of the following subject areas: COMM, EC, or PHL. <i>(Note: must be separate from Ethics course).</i>	3	Critical Thinking Core Requirement	2
Health Course	At least 1 course/3 credits from HE 163, HE 164, HE 204, HE 207, HE 249, HE 250, HE 263, HE 264, or HPE 295.	3	Health Core Requirement	2
Ethics Course	At least 1 course from PHL 102 or PHL 205 (or alternate approved Ethics course).	4	Ethics Core Requirement	2.68
Urban Life Course	At least 1 course from PS 200, PS 201, PS 203, PSY 201, PSY 202, PSY 215, SOC 204, SOC 205, or SOC 206.	4	Urban Life Core Requirement	2.68
ENG 222	Children’s & Young Adult Literature	4	ED 341A Literature for Children	2.68
MTH 211 + 212 + 213	Fundamentals of Elementary Math Sequence	12	MA 211A + 212A Fundamentals of Elem. Math Sequence	8
ED 216	Foundations of Teaching & Education	4	ED 250A Introduction to Education	2.68
ED 229	Learning & Development	3	ED 260A Human Dev & Learning Theory for P-12	2
ED 258	Culturally Responsive Education	3	ED 353A Cultural Diversity (Also Meets Diversity Core)	2
<b>Total Credits Taken at Clackamas for Major &amp; Core Requirements</b>		<b>55</b>	<b>Total Credits Transferred from Clackamas for Major &amp; Core</b>	<b>36.7</b>
<b>Additional Elective Credits*</b>		<b>50</b>	<b>Additional Elective Credits Transferred to WPU</b>	<b>33.3</b>

\* Additional elective credits are any college credits completed by the student in excess of the 60 quarter credits required at Clackamas for the Major/Core Pathway. Options include additional coursework at Clackamas, transfer coursework from other institutions, and alternative credit. If a student has experience as a paraeducator and needs additional credits, WPU offers the option to submit a portfolio for evaluation of Prior Learning Experience. Please consult with an advisor for portfolio requirements and procedures. Note: Portfolio credit **only applies in the additional elective credit category; it does not shorten the length of the program at WPU.** Students who have enough elective credit do not need to complete the portfolio.

### Graduation from WPU with the BS in Early Childhood/Elementary Education requires the following:

- Major/Core Pathway at Clackamas (50 quarter credits), grades of C- or higher
- At least 53.5 quarter credits of additional electives so that the student has a total of at least 105 quarter credits (70 semester) for transfer to WPU
- Major/Core Cohort at WPU (50 semester credits), grades of C- or higher
- Successful completion of 15 weeks of student teaching (ED 495)

### Licensure Requirements for Early Childhood/Elementary Education

Candidates will need to meet all Oregon Teacher Standards and Practices Commission (TSPC) requirements for licensure, including successful submission of an edTPA to Pearson for evaluation and passing the ORELA subject matter exams. For full information regarding TSPC licensure requirements, please visit <https://www.oregon.gov/tspc/Pages/index.aspx>.

Warner Pacific University Major/Core Cohort	
ILR 300A Advanced Information Literacy (Core Course)	3
HUM 310A Exploring the Human Condition (Core Course)	3
REL 320A Spirituality, Character, & Service (Core Course)	3
ED 240A Educational Technology (Also Meets IT Core)	3
ED 334A Teacher as Manager	2
ED 281A Curriculum Planning and the Role of the Teacher	3
ED 372A Literacy Methods (w/ 50-hour practicum)	4
ED 375A Social Studies Methods in the Classroom	2
ED 376A ESOL Methods in the Classroom	2
ED 377A Art/PE/Music Methods in the Classroom	2
ED 378A Math & Science Methods in the Classroom	3
EDPSY 360A Exceptional Learners	3
EDPSY 395A Observation, Assessment, & Evaluation	3
ED 481A Professional Development Seminar	2
ED 495A Student Teaching (15 week, full-time experience)	12
<b>Total Semester Credits Taken at WPU</b>	<b>50</b>
<b>TOTAL Semester Credits for BS Degree</b>	<b>120</b>