# BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
# ELEMENTARY & KINDERGARTEN EDUCATION (EEDBL)

Note: In addition to Penn State Berks, some teacher certification programs can be completed at Penn State Altoona, Penn State Delaware County, Penn State Harrisburg, or University Park. Consult an Education adviser for details.

Note: Students who want to enter this teacher certification program must complete the following requirements:

1. Complete the following entrance-to-major non-course requirements by the end of the third (3rd) semester:
   a. Earn a minimum cumulative GPA of a 3.00.
   b. Pass three (3) PRAXIS PPST exams in Reading, Writing, and Mathematics.
   c. Complete the eighty (80) hour Work Experience requirement.
2. Complete the following entrance-to-major course requirements by the end of the fourth (4th) semester:
   a. Engl 15 or Engl 30.
   b. Math 200.
   c. General Education - Quantification (GQ) for three (3) credits.
   d. Literature Selection.
   e. EdThP 115.
   f. EdPsy 14.
   g. C I 295
   h. HD FS 229, or Psy 2 and Psy 213.
   i. Hist 20 or Hist 21.
   j. General Education - Natural Sciences (GN) for three (3) credits.

**Elementary Education Teaching Option: K-6 (EL ED)**

| FIRST SEMESTER | | SECOND SEMESTER | | THIRD SEMESTER | | FOURTH SEMESTER | |
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| *Engl 15/30* | 3 | CAS 100A | 3 | *Literature Sel[2]* | 3 | Engl 202A#/B# | 3 |
| *GQ* | 3 | Engl 100#/*Math 200* | 3 | *U.S. History Sel[2][3]* | 3 | Engl 100#/*Math 200* | 3 |
| *EdThP 115* | 3 | *EdPsy 14* | 3 | Econ 2/4/14 | 3 | U.S. History Sel[4] | 3 |
| *HD FS 229** | 3 | Stat 100 | 3 | Geog 20/102* | 3 | Kines 127# | 1.5 |
| *C I 295* | 2 | *GN* [1]/GA | 3 | *GN* [1]/GA | 3 | *GN* [1]/GA | 3 |
| FYS | 1 | | | | | *GN* [1]/GA | 3 |
| **FIFTH SEMESTER** | | **SIXTH SEMESTER[5]** | | **SEVENTH SEMESTER[5]** | | **EIGHTH SEMESTER[5]** | |
| Aplng 493* | 3 | LL Ed 400# | 3 | C I 495B* | 3 | C I 495D | 12 |
| EdThP 416* | 3 | LL Ed 401# | 3 | Mth Ed 420* | 3 | C I 495F | 3 |
| SplEd 400* | 3 | LL Ed 402# | 3 | SS Ed 430W* | 3 | | |
| Kines 126* | 1.5 | A Ed 303# | 3 | Sci Ed 458* | 3 | | |
| Support Course Sel[4] | 3 | Music 241# | 3 | Support Course Sel[4] | 3 | | |
| *GN* [1]/GA | 3 | | | | | | |

*Italicized courses = Entrance-To-Major requirement.*
Underlined courses = Grade of C or better required.
* Course offered Fall Semester only.
# Course offered Spring Semester only.
[1] Students must complete one (1) General Education - Natural Sciences (GN) for entrance-to-major requirements. Choose one (1) from each of the following areas: Biological, Earth, and Physical. Consult adviser for list.
[2] Course fulfills three (3) credits of General Education - Humanities (GH).
[3] Choose one (1) from the following: Hist 20* or Hist 21#.
[4] Consult adviser for list.
[5] Courses listed in same semester must be taken together. Consult adviser for details.