



UHC Curriculum Guide for Certification Only Program Alternative Path to Certification Elementary Grades 1 - 5

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Course	Description	Hrs	Gr.	Sem.	Course	Description	Hrs	Gr.	Sem.
EDU 301/ EDG 601	Educational Psychology or Advanced	3			EDU 316	Supporting Students with Dyslexia	3		
EDU 304A	Learner with Special Needs	3			EDU 425	Foundations of Teaching and Learning	3		
EDU 306	Classroom Management and Organization	3			EDU 445*	Methods and Strategies for Elementary Teachers	3		
EDU 307	Survey of Reading/English Language Arts	3			EDU 461A*	Residency II	3		
EDU 308	Methods of Teaching Reading/Language Arts	3			EDU 461B*	Residency II	3		
EDU 312	Materials and Methods of Teaching Mathematics I	3			Total Curriculum				33

Admissions Requirements for EDU 445, 4614A, and 461B include:

1. A Completed Application to Program
2. Passing scores on **Praxis II Elementary Multiple Subjects Exam**. (Middle school Praxis does not qualify)
3. Meet all state requirements for the **Practitioner License** (Including: Passing Content Test, Clear Background Credential, Louisiana Approved Mentor, Teacher of Record in Area of Certification and grade cluster in a state-accredited school.

Completion of Program:

Before applying for a Louisiana teaching certificate, the candidate must pass the **Praxis II Principles of Learning and Teaching (PLT) Exam (5622)**

The University of Holy Cross coursework and program requirements are subject to change to ensure compliance with accreditation standards and Louisiana Department of Education regulations and certification requirements