2025-2026 Education Studies Minor 1

EDUCATION STUDIES MINOR

Department: Education (https://catalog.bradley.edu/undergraduate/education-health-sciences/education-counseling-leadership/)

The education studies minor is designed for non-teacher education majors interested in understanding effective schooling and best practices in teaching and learning but do not wish to pursue a state teaching license. The minor provides students in majors such as psychology, kinesiology and health science, and public health education with the information, experiences, and opportunities necessary to gain in-depth knowledge of educational theory and practice that can be applied to their current major as well as to their future career goals. The capstone courses in the minor allow students to integrate their knowledge of educational theory and practice with knowledge of their major, their volunteer, employment, and leadership experiences on campus and in the community, and their career goals by completing a customized project and engaging in an immersive internship experience. Students who select the education studies minor may choose to intern - and later seek employment - in schools, park districts, community agencies, and nonprofit organizations that serve children and adults.

A minimum of 16 semester hours is required for the minor. 7 hours of required courses, three hours of elective course and six hours of capstone courses. Students must achieve a minimum GPA of 2.5 in all courses. The requirements for the minor are outlined below.

Code	Title	Hours
Core Foundation of Education Courses		
EDU 115	The History of Education in the United States	3.0
or EDU 280	Exploring Diversity: Learners, Families, And Communities	
EDU 116	Introductory Field Experience	1.0
EDU 210	Human Development from Birth to Young Adulthood	3.0
Electives (3 hours	s Required)	3.0
EDU 100	Technology Applications	
EDU 194	Physical Education for P-6 Schools	
EDU 196	Fine Art in the P-6 Schools	
EDU 215	Strategies for Effective Teaching	
EDU 216	Effective Planning and Instruction for Teaching	
EDU 230	Adapting Curriculum to Support Inclusive Environments	
EDU 234	Language Development	
EDU 260	Children's Literature	
EDU 270	Physical Development and Health	
EDU 291	Assistive Technology for Individuals with Special Needs	al
Capstone Courses		
EDU 350	Topics in Teacher Education	1.0-6.0
EHS 301	Cooperative Education Or Internship in EHS	0.0-9.0
Total Hours		11-25