

Accelerated BA/MAT Elementary Education Degree Requirements

Candidate:				Advisor/Date:		Advisor/Date:	
Initial GPA:				Advisor/Date:		Advisor/Date:	
Campus ID:				Advisor/Date:		Advisor/Date:	
<b>Content Requirements:</b> The number of credit hours for each content area are mandated by the State of Maryland for Certification in Elementary Education (Grades 1-6). Students must earn a "C" grade or better in all courses listed below.				<b>Profession Education Requirements:</b> All Courses are 3 credits unless otherwise noted. Students must earn an "A" or "B" in all Education Courses. MAT 36 credit hours			
	Semester	Year	Grade		Semester	Year	Grade
<b>MATH</b> (9 Credit Hours)							
+Statistics or Calculus				EDUC 601 Human Learning and Cognition (F/S/Su)			
+Math for Elementary Teachers I (MATH 131)				EDUC 602 Instructional Systems Development (F/S/Su)			
+Math for Elementary Teachers II (MATH 132)				EDUC 650 Education in Cultural Perspective(F/S/Su)			
OTHER				*EDUC 678 Instructional Strategies/Teaching Students with Diverse Needs (F/S/Su) >			
<b>SCIENCE</b> (9 Credit Hours)				EDUC 417/607 Processes & Acquisition of Reading (F)			
+*SCI 100 Water with a lab: An Interdisciplinary Study				*EDUC 422/663 Instructional Strategies/Teaching Elementary Social Studies (F)			
Two additional physical or biological science courses				*EDUC 416/615 Materials for Teaching Reading (S)			
OTHER				EDUC 421/623 Instructional Strategies/Teaching Elementary Science (S) >			
<b>SOCIAL STUDIES</b> (6 Credit Hours)				<b>Phase I Internship</b> (minimum of 20 full days)			
+*GES110 Physical Geography				EDUC 420/622 Instructional Strategies/Teaching Elementary Mathematics (F) >			
+*HIST 101 US History I				EDUC 419/669 Assessment for Reading Instruction (F) >			
+*HIST 102 US History II				EDUC 418/608 Instruction of Reading (S)			
OTHER				EDUC 448/789 Internship and Seminar in Elementary Education, grades 1-6 (F) > ( <b>pending approval</b> )			
<b>ENGLISH</b> (9 Credit Hours)				<b>Phase II Internship</b> (minimum of 80 full days)			
+*ENGL 100 English Composition				EDUC 452/793E Internship in Elementary Education, grades 1-6 (S) > (10 credits)			
+*ENGL 210 Intro to Literature				EDUC 453/798 Elementary Internship Seminar (S) > (2 credits)			
+*ENGL 226 Grammar and Usage of Proper English				<b>Program Policies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students must maintain a 3.0 GPA to enter and remain in Phase I and II internship.</li> <li>An additional fee for Phase II of the internship is collected with the semester's tuition</li> </ul> <i>Failure to exhibit professional behavior in coursework and field placement may result in student's removal from the program. Readmission is not guaranteed.</i>  F=Fall, S=Spring, Su=Summer > As a professional program, many Education courses require students to work in elementary classrooms and interact with children. Courses requiring these field placements are designated with the "greater than" symbol. Please note that students will also have to complete criminal disclosure forms for some field placements.			
<b>PSYCHOLOGY</b> (3 Credit Hours)							
+*PSYC 200 Child Development Psychology (3)							
OTHER							
This program is open only to UMBC senior undergraduate students with a 3.00 GPA who wish to continue on to complete an MAT degree after graduation. Senior undergraduate students are allowed to take 12 credits of MAT courses at undergraduate tuition rates that will transfer into the MAT program upon graduation. Students must meet all Graduate School and Education Department entrance, grade, GPA, and graduation requirements. All students must select an academic major. Majors Accepted: English, American Studies, Africana Studies, Political Science, Geography; Environmental, Systems, History, Math, Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Foreign Language, Interdisciplinary Studies, and Psychology. Please contact Cheryl Blackwell-Johnson for initial questions and application <a href="mailto:blackwel@umbc.edu">blackwel@umbc.edu</a> +Indicates a recommended course. See a MAT advisor to determine if another course can be substituted. *GEP requirements							

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