## Plus General Education

### Foundation Studies (12 HRS)

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<td>MATH 201*</td>
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<td>ENGL 103*</td>
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<td>ENGL 203*</td>
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### Plus Knowledge Domain (21 HRS)

Maximum of two courses from any dept.

### Creativity & Critical Analysis (6 HRS)

Required for Program: EPFE 410* OR EPFE 321*
(Recommended HIST 260 or HIST 261)

### Nature & Technology (6 HRS)

### Society & Culture (6 HRS)

Required for Program: PSYC 102, EPFE 201*

### Additional Knowledge Domain course (3 HRS)

### Additional Credit Needed for Graduation

(4 HRS) Elective(s)

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## Program Requirements

To be completed prior to Professional Courses

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<td>MATH 201*</td>
<td>Found. Of Elem. Sch. Mth.</td>
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<td>EPFE 321*</td>
<td>OR 410*-Phil./Hist. of ED.</td>
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<td>PSYC 102</td>
<td>Intro to Psychology</td>
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<td>EPFE 201*</td>
<td>Ed. As an Agent for Chg.</td>
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<td>SESE 240*</td>
<td>Intro to Special Ed.</td>
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<td>LTCY 300*</td>
<td>-Foundation of Inst. in</td>
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<td>ETR 434*</td>
<td>-Assess. Students w/ Sp. Needs</td>
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<td>+SEVI 400*</td>
<td>-Intro to Ed. Vis. Imp.</td>
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<td>+SEVI 410*</td>
<td>-Anatomy of the Eye</td>
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<td>+SEVI 420*</td>
<td>-Literary Braille</td>
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<td>++SEVI 421*</td>
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<td>+SEVI 430*</td>
<td>-Orientation and Mob.</td>
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**PRQ. To ETT 402:**

ETT 229 Computers in Ed. (3)

Or test __________

### Notes:

- Completion of all Plus General Education requirements prior to First Elementary Teaching Methods /Clinical Block is strongly recommended:
  
- Admission to teacher education in Vision Ed. requires min. NIU GPA of 2.50 or higher prior to First Elementary Teaching Methods /Clinical Block and passing score on TAP. Must maintain GPA of 2.50 to remain in program.
  
- Require grade of "C" or equivalent.
  
- Offered only in spring semester.

**All requirements subject to change by ISBE.**

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## Professional Courses

Required minimum GPA for Professional Courses: 2.5

### First Elementary Methods/Clinical Block

- **TAP or Alternative passing score**
  
- +SEVI 440*-Comm. Sys. VI (3)
  
- SESE 418*-Spec. Ed. Clinical (2)
  
- SESE 417*-Classroom Management (3)
  
  

### First Special Education Methods/Clinical Block

- LTIC 420* or LTIC 301**-ESL required (3)
  
- ++SEVI 441*-Inst. Sys. Low Vision (3)
  
- ++SEVI 450*-Asst. Tech. for VI (3)
  
- SEVI 480*-Field Exp. In VI (4)
  
- ETT 402*-Teach/Learn Technology (3)

### Secondary Teaching Methods/Clinical Block

- +SEVI 442-Inst. Sys. VI (PRQ All Vision Courses) (3)
  
- SESE 444*-Inst. Meth. Secondary Strategies (3)
  
- SESE 447*Consult & Collab. & Comm. Skills (3)
  
- SESE 449*-Clinical Experience Secondary (2)
  
- EPS 405*-Human Development (3)

### STUDENT TEACHING/PRQ Completion of All Courses

SEVI 484*-Student Tch. Elementary Level (6)

SEVI 485*-Student Tch. Secondary Level (6)

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