

**2018-2019 Old Dominion University Catalog**  
**Interdisciplinary Studies-Teacher Preparation - SPEL Bachelor of Science with Licensure**  
**Special Education General Curriculum K-12, Highly Qualified Designation in Elementary**

*This is a sample five year curriculum with a suggested ordering of courses. Students may re-order as needed.*

**YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (31-34 CREDITS)**

<b>FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)</b>	<b>SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)</b>	<b>SUMMER SEMESTER (0-3 credits)</b>
<b>General Education</b> ENGL 110C COMM 101R or 103R HIST 104H MATH 102M, 103M (preferred) or 162M BIOL 105N or 106N preferred or 110N+111N,  ~Obtain Background Clearance^^	<b>General Education</b> ENGL 112L, 114L, WCS ARTH 121A or MUSC 264A*** GEOG 100S PHIL 230 STAT 130M ~Sign-up for Northstar Praxis Tutorials ~Sign-up for LiveText Student Membership	SPAN 101F (Preferred) if needed

**YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (31-34 CREDITS)**

<b>FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)</b>	<b>SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)</b>	<b>SUMMER SEMESTER (0-3 credits)</b>
<b>General Education</b> ENGL 211C PHYS 101N or CHEM 105N+106N HIST 100H or HIST 302 MATH 335 SPED 400 ~VDOE Teacher Prep Entry Assessment recommended while taking SPED 400** ~UTEP Admission Interview	<b>Major Content</b> ENGL 327W POLS 101S MATH 302 SPED 313 TLED 430 ~Apply to UTEP	SPAN 102F (Preferred) if needed  ~TB Skin Test (if needed)

**YEAR 3 -JUNIOR (30-37 CREDITS)**

<b>FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)</b>	<b>SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)</b>	<b>SUMMER SEMESTER (4 credits)</b>
<b>Major Content Courses:</b> CS120G, LIBS110G, or IT150G ENGL 350 or 370 HPE 327 1CR PE ELE+ (must be SPED 402 TLED 468 ~VCLA (if not satisfied) Recommended	<b>Major Content</b> ECON 200S ENGL 336 or approved upper level lit ARTS 305,MUSC 308 or 460 TLED 408 SPED 415 (registration requires UTEP ~All required ~RVE Recommended	OEAS 110N  ~Praxis SA 5001 Recommended ~Apply for Internship by August 1

**YEAR 4 - SENIOR (28 CREDITS)**

<b>FALL SEMESTER (12 credits)</b>	<b>SPRING SEMESTER (12 credits)</b>
<b>Major Content Courses:</b> HIST 356 SPED 411 SPED 417 SPED 403 (registration requires admission to UTEP) SPED 483 (1 credit) <b>Passing scores for: VCLA, Praxis SA 5001, RVE, SPED exit exam, &amp; certifications are all required to</b> ~Apply for Graduation by November 30	<b>Major Content Courses:</b> SPED 486 Student Teaching ~Submit Licensure Application

**NOTE:** Majors must have a minimum 2.8 GPA (overall, within major coursework, and within professional education coursework), a grade of C or better in all courses, and pass the VBOE teacher prep entry assessment to be admitted to the undergraduate teacher education program. All students should be admitted into the undergraduate teacher education program by their 60th credit hour. Delaying admission to the undergraduate teacher education program will adversely affect your ability to complete this program in 4 years. Please refer to the catalog and consult your advisor for additional requirements, prerequisites, and eligibility for teacher licensure in Virginia. Upper Division General Education is satisfied through professional education sequence.

\*Cannot be waived by the completion of an approved associate degree.

\*\*Earning 150 on Praxis Core Math subtest (5732) paired w/ 470 composite score on VCLA (VC099) is the recommended method to meet this req.

\*\*\*If credit is received for ARTH 121A, majors must take MUSC 308 or 460. If credit is received for MUSC 264A, majors must take ARTS 305. Online students should take ARTH 121A or its equivalent and MUSC 460.

^^Once a candidate is cleared by ODU, additional clearance background check will not be required unless there is a break in enrollment at ODU that requires the candidate to go through reactivation or readmission process with the Old Dominion University admissions office.