

Certificate: Teaching Assistant

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Developmental Courses as required based on placement scores						
	ENG 91 Writing for College 1 – Score of 4 E Code 1 and below, 30.01 Choose an item.					
	ENG 92 Writing for College 2 – Score of 6 E Code 2, 30.02 Choose an item.					
	ENG 99 Writing Studio with linked ENG 101+ - Score of 6 E Code 2, 30.02 OR successful completion of ENG 91					
	ESL 94 Academic Writing 1 – Score of 5 or 6 E Code 6, 20.01.					
3□	ESL 122 Academic Writing 2 – Score of 7 E Code 7, 21.01					
	MATH 92 Pre-Algebra – Arithmetic score 44 and below, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, 40.01 Choose an					
OR □	MATH 93 Beginning Algebra – Arithmetic score 45 and above, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, 40.02 Choose an item. MATH 94 Foundations of Mathematical Reasoning – Arithmetic score 45 and above, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, 40.02 Choose an item.					
	READ 93 Foundation of College Reading – Score of 57 and below, 10.01 Choose an item.					
3□	READ 105 Analytical Reading – Score of 58 and higher 11.01 Choose an item.					

	Program of Study
3□	ENG 101 – Writing and Literature
3□	ENG 102 – Writing and Research
3□	PSYCH 101 – General Psychology: Students must have at least one of the following: A score of 8 or higher on the ESSAY portion of the placement test. Or received a passing grade in either ENG 92 or ESL 122. Or have a Pre or Co-requisite of ENG 101 or ENG 101H.
3□	PSYCH 109 – Developmental Psychology: PSYCH 101 is the prerequisite.
3□	EDU 101 – (Formerly INTER 101) Foundations of Elementary Education Pre-req: ENG 101 ready AND READ 105 ready
3□	EDU 103 – Teaching in Today's Diverse Classroom Pre OR Co-Req: EDU 101
3□	EDU 200 – Special Education: Contemporary Perspectives Pre-req: EDU 101
3□	EDU 202 – Elementary Education: Practicum and Field Study Pre-req: EDU 101 and Pre or Co-Req: EDU 200 + cumulative GPA 2.5

SEEN BY: Completed credits of 24 required

The Teaching Assistant certificate provides an opportunity for teaching assistants and other individuals interested in childhood education to begin their higher education in a gradual and supportive manner and to meet the new state and/or federal requirements. The Certificate will qualify students to attain Level III Teaching Assistant certification as well as the six credit hours required for Level II certification. For some individuals, this will be the first step in a process for obtaining a baccalaureate degree and teaching certification. Upon completion of this proposed Certificate Program, students will:

- Be knowledgeable about a range of issues in the field of public education in grades K-12.
- Have information regarding teacher preparation and certification issues so that they will know what career options they have, and
 what the routes are in pursuing those options.
- Have knowledge of basic information, concepts and principles in the field of psychology, especially as those facts, concepts and principles pertain to the education of young children.
- Be able to demonstrate college-level competence in the area of critical reading and writing.
- Be able to demonstrate the ability more generally to successfully complete college-level work in an area of concentration.



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