

# 2023–24 Elementary Education Academic Map

## Department of Elementary and Special Education

### Middle Tennessee State University • Murfreesboro



An academic map is a suggested four-year schedule of courses based on degree requirements in the undergraduate catalog. This sample schedule serves as a general guideline to help build a full schedule each term. Milestones, courses, and special requirements necessary for timely progress to complete a major are designated to keep you on track to graduate in four years. **Missing milestones could delay your program and affect your financial aid.**

**This map is not a substitute for academic advisement—contact your advisor if you have any questions about scheduling or about your degree requirements.** Also see the current undergraduate catalog ([catalog.mtsu.edu](http://catalog.mtsu.edu)) for a complete list of requirements and electives. *Note: Requirements are continually under revision, and there is no guarantee they will not be changed or revoked; contact the department and/or program area for current information.*

**You may choose to attend a summer term to reduce your load during fall or spring terms but still stay on track to graduate in four years (see back). NOTE: Learning Support courses will alter the sequences on this map.**

## Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3		ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	
BIOL 1030/1031 or PSCI 1030/1031 (Nat Sci)	4	May count for General Education	Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3	
MATH (Math)	3	MATH 1010 or 1710 rec.	BIOL 1030/1031 or PSCI 1030/1031 (Nat Sci)	4	May count for General Education
EESE 2010	3	Must earn B or better; coreq: EESE 2011	Soc/Beh Sci	3	HLTH 1530/1531 rec.
EESE 2011	1	Must earn B or better; coreq: EESE 2010	MATH 1410	3	C required to take MATH 1420 and ELED 3150
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		MATH 1420	3	Prereq: MATH 1410 with C or better; must make a C to take ELED 3150
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		BIOL 3000 or PSCI 4030	4	Prereq for PSCI 4030: PSCI 1030/1031; Prereq for BIOL 3000: BIOL 1030/1031
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
SPED 3010	3		PSY 2300	3	
Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3		Soc/Beh Sci	3	GEOG 2000 rec.
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	Must apply for admission to teacher education (ATE)	<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	Must apply for admission to teacher education (ATE)
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
ENGL 3510	3		READ 4015	6	Prereq: ELED; ATE; coreq: ELED 3400
BIOL 3000 or PSCI 4030	4	Prereq for PSCI 4030: PSCI 1030/1031; Prereq for BIOL 3000: BIOL 1030/1031	ELED 3150	3	Prereq: ATE, Gen Ed Math, MATH 1410 and 1420 (C or better in both)
ART 3200, MUED 3210, THEA 3600, CDIS 3250, HLTH 4300, or PHED 3500	3		ELED 3300	3	Prereq: ATE
ENGL 3740 or LIBS 4150	3		ELED 3400	3	Prereq: ATE, ELED 3000; Coreq: READ 4015
ELED 3000	3	Prereq: Adm. to Teacher Ed (ATE); coreq: ELED 3100			
ELED 3100	1	Prereq: Adm. to Teacher Ed (ATE); coreq: ELED 3000			
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>17</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
ELED 4350*	6	Prereqs: Admission to TEP; completion of all prior course-work; GPA 2.75 and permission of department	ELED 4110	12	
ELED 4200*	3				
ELED 4130*	3				
ELED 4340*	3	Coreqs: All four courses are coreqs for one another and must be taken as a block			
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	

**\*NOTE:** Residency / students select a specific Residency / section and sign up for all corresponding classes in that section. Classes may not be selected from multiple sections.

**TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120**

# Elementary Education

## Suggested Fall/Spring/Summer Four-Year Schedule

Refer to [www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships/](http://www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships/) for information regarding use of the Lottery Scholarship for the summer term.

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MATH (Math)	3	MATH 1010 or 1710 rec.	BIOL 1030/1031 or PSCI 1030/1031 (Nat Sci)	4	May count for General Education
EESE 2010	3	Must earn B or better; coreq: EESE 2011	MATH 1410	3	C required to take MATH 1420 and ELED 3150
EESE 2011	1	Must earn B or better; coreq: EESE 2010			
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>14</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	
FRESHMAN SUMMER					
Soc/Beh Sci	3	HLTH 1530/1531 rec.	COMM 2200 (Comm)	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>			<b>3</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		MATH 1420	3	Prereq: MATH 1410 with C or better
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		BIOL 3000 or PSCI 4030	4	Prereq for PSCI 4030: PSCI 1030/1031; Prereq for BIOL 3000: BIOL 1030/1031
SPED 3010	3		HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3		PSY 2300	3	
			Soc/Beh Sci	3	GEOG 2000 rec.
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