

## ACADEMIC ADVISING

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## GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

### Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 122 credit hours
- 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.75 cumulative CU GPA
- Residency: The last 30 credit hours of the degree must be completed while registered in the College of Education at UCCS.

### Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: [catalog.uccs.edu](http://catalog.uccs.edu)
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule. See degree audit for course prerequisites within the academic major.

## DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Explore Inclusive Elementary Education: [Bachelor of Arts in Inclusive Elementary Education | College of Education \(uccs.edu\)](http://www.uccs.edu/bachelor-of-arts-in-inclusive-elementary-education)

Major Requirements			
	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours
<b>Inclusive Elementary Education</b> (51 hours) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires a minimum of 51 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level) IELM course work.</li> <li>• Requires a minimum of 40 credit hours of additional College of Education course work.</li> <li>• All IELM core courses must be completed with a grade of "B-" or better.</li> </ul>	IELM 3100	Language and Linguistics	3
	IELM 3150	Second Language Acquisition	3
	IELM 3200	Designating Transitions & Inclusive Futures	3
	IELM 3250	Teaching Students with Complex Support Needs	3
	IELM 3300	Collaboration and Co-Teaching	3
	IELM 3900	Field Placement I – Elementary	3
	IELM 3950	Field Placement II - Elementary	3
	IELM 4005	Classroom Management & Positive Behavior Support	3
	IELM 4015	Teaching Reading & Writing Grades 2-6	3
	IELM 4025	Teaching Elementary Mathematics	3
	IELM 4035	Teaching Elementary Science	3
	IELM 4045	Teaching Elementary Social Studies	3
	Professional Placement Track	<i>Complete one of the following professional placement track options:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Traditional Placement Track – IELM 4900 and 4950</li> <li>or</li> <li>• Resident Placement Track – IELM 4905 and 4955</li> </ul>	
<b>Education Courses</b> (40 hours)	COUN 4500 or COUN 4070	Wellness, Resilience and Emotional Intelligence or Adventure Education and Experiential Learning	3
	EDUC 1000	Introduction to Inclusive Education	3
	EDUC 2000 or IECE 1010	Introduction to Educational Psychology or Inclusive Child Development Birth-8	3
	EDUC 2100	Introduction to Technology in Education	3
	EDUC 2200	Children's Literature	3
	EDUC 2300	Health and Physical Education for Educators	3
	EDUC 2400	Arts Integration for Educators	3
	EDUC 2600	Integrated Science I	3
	EDUC 2650	Integrated Science II	3
	EDUC 2700	Schools, Society, and Diversity	3
	EDUC 3992	Introduction to Professional Year – Elementary	1
	IECE 4000	Math and Numeracy in the Early Childhood Inclusive Classroom	3
	IECE 4010	Literacy Development, Instruction, and Interventions K-Grade 3	3
LEAD 1000	American Foundations of Education	3	

General Education and Elective Requirements		
<b>Core Writing Requirement</b> (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ENGL 1310, 1308, or 1305 (<i>Students choosing ENGL 1305 must complete ENGL 1300 first.</i>)</li> <li>ENGL 1410</li> <li>PORT 3000 (0 Credits) – Writing Portfolio</li> </ul>	
<b>Reasoning Skills</b> (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MATH 3010</li> <li>MATH 3020</li> </ul>	
<b>General Education</b> (9 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ECON 1000, 1010, or 1050</li> <li>ENGL 1500</li> <li>PSC 1100</li> </ul>	
<b>Compass Curriculum</b> (10 hours)	• Explore and Navigate courses must be outside major requirements.	
	• Writing Intensive, Inclusiveness, and Sustainability courses can count towards other requirements within the degree.	
	<b>Component</b>	<b>Course</b>
	<b>Gateway Program Seminar</b>	GPS 1010
	<b>Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures</b>	HIST 1510, 1520, or 1530
	<b>Explore – Society, Behavior and Health</b>	GES 1980 or 1990
	<b>Explore – Physical and Natural World</b>	EDUC 2600 (included in Education requirements)
	<b>Navigate</b>	COUN 4500 or IELM 3150 (included in Education reqs.)
	<b>Summit</b>	IELM 4950 or 4955 (included in major requirements)
<b>Writing Intensive Courses (WIC)</b> <i>Two courses with one upper-division (3000+ level)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IELM 4950 or 4955 (included in major requirements)</li> <li>EDUC 2200 (included in Education requirements)</li> </ul>	
	<b>Inclusiveness</b> GES 1980 or 1990	
<b>Sustainability</b> EDUC 2600 or IELM 4035 (included in Education reqs.)		

**FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PLAN**

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

Year One	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			ENGL 1310	3		ECON 1000, 1010 or 1050
		GES 1980 or GES 1990	4		ENGL 1410	3
		GPS 1010	3		ENGL 1500	3
		HIST 1510, 1520 or 1530	3		LEAD 1000	3
		EDUC 1000	3		PSC 1100	3
		<b>TOTAL</b>	16		<b>TOTAL</b>	15

Year Two	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			EDUC 2000 or IECE 1010	3		EDUC 2300
		EDUC 2100	3		EDUC 2400	3
		EDUC 2200	3		EDUC 2650	3
		EDUC 2600	3		EDUC 2700	3
		MATH 3010	3		MATH 3020	3
		<b>TOTAL</b>	15		<b>TOTAL</b>	15

Year Three	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			COUN 4500 or COUN 4070	3		EDUC 3992
		IECE 4010	3		IECE 4000	3
		IELM 3100	3		IELM 3150	3
		IELM 3200	3		IELM 3250	3
		IELM 3900	3		IELM 3950	3
					IELM 4015	3
		<b>TOTAL</b>	15		<b>TOTAL</b>	16

Year Four	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	FALL	Hours
			<b>Traditional Placement Track</b>			<b>Residency Placement Track</b>
		IELM 4005 (NOTE: Course can be taken in the summer prior)	3		IELM 4005 (NOTE: Course can be taken in the summer prior)	3
		IELM 3300	3		IELM 3300	3
		IELM 4025	3		IELM 4025	3
		IELM 4035	3		IELM 4045	3
		IELM 4045	3		IELM 4905	6
		IELM 4900	3			
		<b>TOTAL</b>	18		<b>TOTAL</b>	18
		<b>SPRING</b>			<b>SPRING</b>	
		<b>Traditional Placement Track</b>			<b>Residency Placement Track</b>	
		IELM 4950	12		IELM 4035	3
					IELM 4955	9
		<b>TOTAL</b>	12		<b>TOTAL</b>	12

**NOTE:** All year three and four courses must be taken together and in the specified order.