

Common Calendar
for Undergraduate Educator Certification
TTU College of Education - Education Preparation Program (EPP)

	CORE REQUIREMENTS	CONTENT/OTHER DEGREE COURSES	EPP 1 ST YEAR	EPP 2 ND YEAR
<i>Also known as...</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Basics ✓ Transfer ✓ Core 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Academic Major ✓ Content Area ✓ Teaching Field 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Education ✓ Pedagogy ✓ Tech Teach ✓ Blocks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Methods ✓ Field Experience ✓ Observations ✓ Clinical ✓ Student Teaching
<i>When is it?</i>	Freshman – Sophomore Year	Sophomore Year	Fall and Spring Semester of Junior Year	Fall and Spring Semester of Senior Year
<i>What is it?</i>	See specific degree plan for course requirements.	See specific degree plan for course requirements.	See specific degree plan for course requirements.	See specific degree plan for course requirements. <hr/> Student Teaching Year – start date begins with the K-12 calendar. <hr/>
<i>When to apply?</i>	N/A	N/A	Application and acceptance for admission completed at the end of the Sophomore year. <i>Example:</i> If you plan to begin in Fall 2021, apply and complete admission in Spring 2021.	Apply for graduation before Spring term. Apply for certification during Spring term.

Cont...	CORE REQUIREMENTS	CONTENT/OTHER DEGREE COURSES	1ST YEAR	2ND YEAR
Requirements...	Follow degree plan – meet with advisor each semester.	<p>Follow degree plan – meet with advisor each semester.</p> <p>Maintain 2.75 content and overall GPA.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Meet with Advisor. 2. 60 credit hours completed. 3. C or higher in all degree coursework. 4. Core complete with minimum 5. Be TSI satisfied/complete. 6. 2.75 GPA. 7. Complete EPP Screening 8. Submit Application 9. Submit Acceptance Letter. 	<p>Complete degree.</p> <p>Successfully complete minimum 30 hours field experience.</p> <p>Complete study/prep course for test approval</p> <p>Take content certification exam by 2nd Friday in December.</p> <p>Pass content certification exam by 2nd Friday in May. Students may not begin student teaching without passing content exam.</p>	<p>Complete student teaching and Performance Assessments.</p> <p>Pass edTPA or PPR</p> <p>(Elementary and 4-8 English – Pass STR)</p> <p>Complete coursework.</p>
Deadlines:	N/A	Attend Admission Workshop prior to May 1.	See above	All requirements must be met by the end of the appropriate term in order to graduate and be recommended for certification.
Where to apply:	N/A	Attend Admission Workshop. Emails with schedule to sign up will be sent from the advisor.	Attend Admission Workshop to receive application link from a certification advisor.	Tea.texas.gov

<i>What is next?</i>	Complete degree requirements for graduation.	Complete degree requirements for graduation.	Complete degree and program certification requirements for graduation and certification eligibility.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete degree and program certification requirements for graduation and certification eligibility. 2. Receive approval to register for all TExES necessary for certification. 3. Pass all TExES necessary for specified certification. 4. Submit certification application and fee to TEA once all TExES are passed. 5. Submit fingerprinting and background check application and fee to TEA.
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