

# Approved Concentrations for Elementary Education (K-6) and Early Childhood (Pre-K-2) Education

## FINE ARTS

**MOVEMENT & DANCE** 9 credit hours from the following:

HPER P290 Movement Experiences for Preschool & Elementary Children  
HPER P110 Dance in Elementary Education  
HPER P249 Rhythmic Experiences for Children  
HPER D201 Modern Dance Workshop I  
HPER D201 Modern Dance Workshop II  
HPER D221 Dance Composition  
HPER D332 Dance & the Allied Arts II  
HPER           Technique Classes

*Any of the fine arts concentrations may include a 1-3 credit hour internship with an arts-oriented informal education program or community initiative.*

## FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

### FOREIGN LANGUAGE STUDY

*Any concentration in foreign language and cultures may include a 1-3 credit hour internship with faculty/projects on campus; with a community service program (such as the Hispanic Education Center); with area business/industry [such as Spanish language newspapers or radio stations]; or with informal education programs such as the Children's Museum or Indianapolis Zoo.*

## HUMANITIES

### CREATIVE WRITING

9 credit hours from the following:  
ENG W206 Introduction to Creative Writing  
ENG W208 Introduction to Poetry Writing  
ENG W301 Writing Fiction  
ENG W401 Writing Poetry  
ENG W403 Directed Writing

## MATHEMATICS

9 additional credit hours in courses with strong quantitative focus.

*A concentration in mathematics may include a 1-3 credit hour internship with a faculty project or with a community business that emphasizes the application of mathematics.*

## SCIENCE

### EARTH/SPACE SCIENCE

9 credit hours that include geology, physical geography, or astronomy:  
AST A100 The Solar System  
AST A105 Stellar Astronomy  
GEOL G109 Fundamentals of Earth History  
GEOL G132 Environmental Problems  
GEOG G303 Weather & Climate  
GEOG/GEOL G185 Global Environmental Change

*Any of the science concentrations may include a 1-3 credit hour internship with faculty/projects in SOS, E&T, SLA, SPEA, or EDUC; with area business/industry; with informal education programs such as the Children's Museum or Indianapolis Zoo.*

## SOCIAL STUDIES

### AFRO-AMERICAN STUDIES

9 credit hours from the following:  
AFRO A150 Survey of the Culture of Black Americans  
AFRO A364 History of Black Americans  
AFRO A402 Seminar in Afro-American Studies  
AFRO A202 The West and the African Diaspora  
AFRO A303 Topics in Afro-American Studies  
AFRO A352 Afro-American Artists  
MUS Z394 Black Music in America  
ENG L370 Black American Writing

*Any of the social studies concentrations may include a 1-3 credit hour internship with faculty/projects in SOS, SLA, SPEA, or EDUC; with area business/industry; with informal education programs such as Conner Prairie or the Indiana Historical Society.*

**MUSIC** 9 credit hours from the following:

MUS M110 Music & Computers  
MUS Z111 Introduction to Music Theory  
MUS M174 Music for the Listener  
MUS Z393 History of Jazz  
MUS Z394 Black Music in America  
MUS       Vocal or instrumental classes

### ART

9 credit hours of art history or studio art

**THEATRE** 9 credit hours from the following:

COMM T336 Children's Theatre  
COMM T440 The Art & Craft of Puppetry  
COMM T437 Creative Dramatics  
COMM T431 Playwriting

### LITERATURE

ENG L208 Topics in English & American Literature & Culture  
6 additional credit hours focused on author, genre, or period study

### PHILOSOPHY

PHIL P120 Ethics  
6 additional credit hours

### LIFE SCIENCE

SPEA E272 Introduction to Environmental Science  
6 additional credit hours in biology, botany, ecology, or zoology

### PHYSICAL SCIENCE

9 credit hours that include BOTH chemistry and physics

### AMERICAN STUDIES

9 credit hours from the following:  
AMST A301 The Question of American Identity  
AMST A302 The Question of American Community  
3 additional credit hours from the following:  
AMST A303 Topics in American Studies  
AMST A304 The Transformation of America 1960-1980  
HIST A390 Representative Americans (*strongly recommended*)

### GEOGRAPHY

GEOG G327 Geography of Indiana  
6 additional credit hours above the 200 level

### HISTORY

HIST A363 History of Indiana  
6 additional credit hours above the 200 level  
HIST A390 Representative Americans (*strongly recommended*)