

Mission Statement

The mission of the Educator Preparation Information Center is to provide quality information, guidance, and support services to educator preparation candidates as they work towards their academic and professional goals. The Educator Preparation Information Center team will provide the foundation and comprehensive knowledge for our candidates to achieve educator certification.

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Teacher Education

The ASU Department of Teacher Education prepares candidates for rewarding careers in elementary and middle school education. Our goal is to provide the knowledge and skills that will allow you to make a positive impact in the lives of future students. Recall a teacher who made a difference in your life; this is the type of teacher we strive to produce. In addition to our bachelor’s degree programs in teacher education, we offer several master’s degrees for those who wish to further their professional careers.

Curriculum and Instruction

The ASU Department of Curriculum and Instruction is designed entirely around the concepts of meeting candidates’ needs and preparing today’s professionals to be leaders.

Undergraduate and Graduate Programs

The department works with undergraduate candidates preparing to teach grades 4-8 science, mathematics and social studies. It also works extensively with graduate students who are preparing to be guidance counselors, principals, and superintendents.

One popular programs allows anyone with a bachelor’s degree to achieve teaching certification in just a little more than a year. We also offer a counseling option, which allows candidates to prepare to work in school settings and to become licensed professional counselors.



Teacher Certification Areas Offered at ASU

INITIAL CERTIFICATIONS

Elementary Certifications, Early Childhood - Grade 6

- EC-6 Generalist
- EC-6 Generalist with EC-12 Special Education

Middle School Certifications, Grades 4-8

- 4-8 English Language Arts and Reading
- 4-8 Generalist
- 4-8 Mathematics
- 4-8 Science
- 4-8 Social Studies

All-Level Teacher Certifications, Grades EC-12

- Art
- Music
- Physical Education
- Theatre Arts
- Special Education (Combined with EC-6 Generalist)
- French
- German
- Spanish

Secondary Certifications

- Grades 7-12
 - Speech (Communication Major)
- Grades 8-12
 - Chemistry
 - Computer Science
 - English Language Arts and Reading
 - History
 - Journalism (Mass Media Major)
 - Life Science (Biology Major)
 - Mathematics (Bachelor of Arts or Science)
 - Social Studies
 - Mathematics/Physics

Supplemental Certification Areas

- Bilingual Supplement
- Special Education Supplement

ADVANCED CERTIFICATIONS

Grades EC-12 (for those who already have an initial certification)

- School Counselor
- Principal
- Educational Diagnostician
- Reading Specialist
- Superintendent

