# Elementary Licensure
(South Carolina – Grades 2-6)*

## General Education Requirements (Specific to Licensure Requirements):

|☐| (4) Both a biological and a physical science course with lab/applied experiences
|☐| (4) One course that fulfills the Mathematical and Formal Reasoning requirement

## Foundation Courses:

|☐| EDU 111 (4) Perspectives on American Education (Education Laboratory 001 included)
|☐| EDU 120 (4) Human Growth and Development
|☐| EDU 221 (4) Education of Students with Exceptionalities (Prerequisites: EDU 111, 120)

## Methods Courses:

|☐| EDU 305 (4) Arts Integration in the Elementary Grades (Prerequisite: To be taken sophomore year or later and have completed EDU-111 or EDU-120)
|☐| EDU 330 (4) Reading and Writing Processes and Instruction in Grades PK–3
|☐| EDU 331 (4) Reading and Writing Processes and Instruction in Grades 2-6
|☐| EDU 332 (4) Social Studies in Grades PK-6
|☐| EDU 333 (4) Science in Grades PK-6

## Spring Term Practicum/Senior Block (16 Hours):

|☐| EDU 430 (4) Assessment for Instructional Planning
|☐| EDU 431 (4) Diverse School Cultures
|☐| EDU 432 (4) Integrating Curriculum and Technology in Grades PK-6
|☐| EDU 470 (4) Practicum in Teaching

## Student Teaching Internship (Fall Term After Graduation):

|☐| EDEP 670 (6) Teaching Internship

## Courses Outside the Department:

|☐| HSC 200 (4) Health Education and Physical Activity (Prerequisite: HSC 101)
|☐| **MTH 301 (4) Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers I
|☐| **MTH 302 (4) Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers II

** MTH 301 and MTH 302 do not fulfill the Mathematical and Formal Reasoning requirement toward graduation.

Note: Courses with an EDU prefix and GGY-230 (Principles of Geography) may not be taken P/NP by Education majors.

## The Following (See Education Department):

- Application to Furman Teacher Education Program.
- Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators (Computerized): Reading (Test Code 5712); Writing (Test Code 5722); and Mathematics (Test Code 5732) to be taken prior to junior year. Teacher candidates who attain an 1100 or above on the two-part SAT or a comparable score of 24 on the ACT are exempt from taking the Praxis Core; teacher candidates who attain a 1650 or above on the three-part SAT taken after March 1, 2005 are also exempt.
- Praxis Test (Computerized): Instructional Practices and Applications (Test Code 5019) (minimum score: 155) to be taken January or March of senior year (Registration information provided in August of senior year).
- Praxis Test (Computerized): Principles of Learning and Teaching; Grades K-6 (Test Code 5622) (minimum score: 160) to be taken January or March of senior year (Registration information provided in August of the senior year).
- Apply for Approved South Carolina Teacher Licensure in Elementary Education (Application and fingerprinting information provided Fall of the senior year).

*If you are interested in teaching in the early grades (Pre-K-3rd) or Special Education (Pre-K-12), please ask your advisor about Furman’s approved programs in Early Childhood Education and Special Education (one course taken at the undergraduate level may allow you to complete the Master of Arts degree as early as the second summer following graduation).