

# DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATOR AND LEADERSHIP PREPARATION

## OUR MISSION

The Educator and Leadership Preparation Department exemplifies equity and empathy while promoting academic inquiry and rigor to positively impact community and schools by preparing professionals in education who represent our shared values.

## VISION

The Educator and Leadership Preparation Department cultivates professionals in education who promote a culture of equity and community thus maximizing teaching and learning for all.

## VALUES

Diversity, Equity, Empathy, Care, Professionalism, Integrity, and Community.

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## Programs

- Child Development, Bachelor of Science (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/educator-leadership-preparation/child-development-bs/>)
- Child Development, Minor (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/educator-leadership-preparation/child-development-minor/>)
- Early Childhood Education Concentration (Non-Certification), Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/educator-leadership-preparation/early-childhood-education-concentration-non-certification-baas/>)
- Education, Minor (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/educator-leadership-preparation/education-minor/>)
- Interdisciplinary Studies Bilingual Generalist (Grades EC-6), Bachelor of Science (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/curriculum-instruction/interdisciplinary-studies-bilingual-generalist-grades-ec-6-bs/>)
- Interdisciplinary Studies Bilingual Generalist (Grades 4-8), Bachelor of Science (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/curriculum-instruction/interdisciplinary-studies-special-education-grades-ec-12-dual-certification-generalist-4-8-bs/>)
- Interdisciplinary Studies Concentration (Non-Certification), Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/educator-leadership-preparation/interdisciplinary-studies-concentration-non-certification-baas/>)
- Interdisciplinary Studies Special Education (Grades EC-12) with Dual Certification in Generalist (Grades EC-6), Bachelor of Science (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/curriculum-instruction/interdisciplinary-studies-special-education-grades-ec-12-7-12-content-bs/>)
- Special Education, Minor (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/education-human-development/educator-leadership-preparation/special-education-minor/>)

## Courses

### Bilingual Education

Code	Title	Credits
EDBL 3307	Acad Spanish DL Immrsion Pgms	3
EDBL 3311	Foundations of Bilingual Education	3
EDBL 3315	Advocacy and Equity in Assessment	3
EDBL 3320	Advocacy and Equity in Assessment	3
EDBL 3321	Mthd Teach Eng to Non-Eng Chld	3
EDBL 3327	Multilingual & Multicult Educ	3
EDBL 3340	Applied Linguistics	3
EDBL 4308	Biliteracy Dual Lang Educators	3
EDBL 4318	Biliteracy Theory and Practice	3
EDBL 4322	Teach Math, Sci, Dual Lang	3

### Early Childhood

Code	Title	Credits
EDEC 3101	Early Childhood Jaguar Tracks III	1
EDEC 3307	Child and Adolescent Development as it Impacts Instruction	3
EDEC 3328	Fndtns of Early Childhood Dev	3
EDEC 3329	Developmentally Appropriate Curriculum for the Young Child	3
EDEC 3331	Infant and Toddler Development	3
EDEC 3332	Professionalism, Leadership and Ethics	3
EDEC 3349	Academics, Creativity & Play	3
EDEC 4101	Early Childhood Jag Tracks IV	1
EDEC 4301	Working with Diverse Families and Young Children	3
EDEC 4302	Action Research	3
EDEC 4303	Practicum in Growth and Development	3
EDEC 4314	Cognitive Development	3
EDEC 4315	Social & Emotional Development	3
EDEC 4316	Assessment of Young Children	3
EDEC 4320	Assessment in Early Childhd Ed	3
EDEC 4329	Lang Devel in Early Childhood	3
EDEC 4337	Phys Devel Early Childhood	3
EDEC 4361	Curr and Materials for EC Ed	3

## Education Field Residency

Code	Title	Credits
EDFR 0000	TEGES Exam Preparation	0
EDFR 3110	Field Lab Residency I	1
EDFR 3120	Field Lab Residency II	1
EDFR 4310	Clinical Teach: Teach Res Sem1	3
EDFR 4320	Secondary Clinical Teaching: Field Residency IV	3
EDFR 4613	Elementary Clinical Teaching: Field Residency III	6
EDFR 4623	Scndry Clinic Tch:Fld Res III	6

## Special Education

Code	Title	Credits
EDSE 3345	Survey of Exceptional Individuals	3
EDSE 3346	Development of Exceptional Individuals	3
EDSE 3347	Behavior Management for Exceptional Individuals	3
EDSE 3348	Intervention/Tech in Spec Educ	3
EDSE 4340	Collaboration and Transition Services in Inclusive Settings	3
EDSE 4346	Assessment of Exceptional Stds	3
EDSE 4347	Federal and State Regulations Concerning Exceptional Individuals	3