

KEAN UNIVERSITY – COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
(24112) B.A. IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION
OPTION IN BILINGUAL EDUCATION 128-129 S. H.
Certification for K-5
EFFECTIVE: FALL, 2008

NAME _____ STUDENT ID # _____ Matriculation Date _____	TRANSFER INSTITUTION(S) _____ Credits _____ _____ Praxis Score _____ In Progress () _____ Kean () _____
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****ACADEMIC MAJOR: (Check One)** Art History, Biology, Communications, Earth Science,
 English (Stand. Lit.), English (Writing), Fine Arts, History, Mathematical Sci., Music,
 Psychology, Philosophy, Sociology, Spanish, Theatre

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS AND LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS 60 S.H.		ACADEMIC MAJOR REQUIREMENTS Min. 30 S.H. **See academic adviser in that department for requirements.
Foundations Requirements 13 S.H.		Courses: (Please see attached) _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____
GE 1000 Transition to Kean ¹	1 _____	
ENG 1030 Composition ²	3 _____	
MATH 1000 College Algebra ²	3 _____	
COMM 1402 Speech Communication ²	3 _____	
GE 2022 Research & Technology	3 _____	
Disciplinary & Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirements		
Humanities 9 S.H.		
*ENG 2403 World Literature	3 _____	
AH 1700 Art History	3 _____	
Music 1050 (recommended) or Music 1000	3 _____	
Social Sciences 9 S.H.		
*HIST 1000 Civil Society In America	3 _____	
PSY 1000 General Psychology	3 _____	
GEOG 2010 World Geography	3 _____	
Science and Mathematics 10 or 11 S.H.		
*MATH 1010 Foundations of Math	3 _____	
*BIO 1000 Principles of Biology ²	4 _____	
ONE course from one of the following areas Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, Geology, Meteorology, or Physics	3 or 4 _____	
Health & Physical Education 4 S.H.		
ID 1225 Issues in Contemporary Health	3 _____	
PED 1101, or 1103, or 1105	1 _____	
Additional Requirements 15 S.H.		
PSY 2100 Child Psychology	3 _____	
HIST 2303 US History to 1877 ²	3 _____	
HIST 2304 US History 1877 to Present	3 _____	
ID 2950 The Child & Technology	3 _____	
ID 2955 Disabled Persons in American Soc.	3 _____	
Free Electives 9 S.H (depending on academic major requirements) _____	3 _____	
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PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION ² 35 S.H.		
Sophomore Level		
EMSE 2800 Sophomore Field Experience ²	3 _____	
Junior Level		
EDUC 3000 Curriculum Evaluation-Learner	3 _____	
EDUC 3400 or 3403 Lang. Arts/Reading in Pre-Sch./Elem. Curr. Of LEP Students	3 _____	
EMSE 3410 Teaching Tech. for Bi./Bic Student	3 _____	
EMSE 3420 Basic Theory & Practice ESL	3 _____	
EMSE 3800 Field Exp. in Elem. Ed.	2 _____	
Senior Level		
EMSE 4440 Intro. to Biling. Ed. (WE)	3 _____	
EMSE 4441 Hist. & Cult. of LEP/ELL Studies	3 _____	
EMSE 4800 Professional Internship	9 _____	
Capstone Course		
EMSE 4900 Senior Seminar	3 _____	

Required of all Freshmen and Transfers with fewer than 10 credits

²All major courses, including Capstone, require a B- or better. See back for more information

*Required Distribution Course

**PLEASE BRING THIS ADVISEMENT FORM WITH YOU TO ALL MEETINGS WITH
DEPARTMENT ADVISER.**

Students must have and maintain a 2.75 GPA

General Education Courses

Students must earn a B- or higher (exceptions made with dept. approval) to meet partial program entry requirements in the following courses: **ENG 1030, MATH 1000, COMM 1402, BIO 1000, HIST 2303 or 2304, and EMSE 2800.**

Students must also earn a C or higher in the following additional courses after acceptance into the program and before Pre-Professional Internship (EMSE 3802): **HIST 2304, MATH 1010**, and a science course (options include **CHEM 1010, ASTR 1100, GEOL 1200, ES 1400, and PHYS 1000 or 1400**). Other college level science courses are acceptable as well.

Academic Major

Students majoring in Elementary Education are required to take an academic major in liberal arts, mathematics, or science as outlined in the Kean University catalog. Some overlap with General Education may occur, in which case the courses that overlap must also be a C grade or higher. Some majors require a greater number of credits and additional cognates. Check specific departmental grade requirements.

Note: Students may choose to use general education courses to satisfy major requirements. For example history majors may wish to use the US History courses to satisfy major requirements and if so they must choose additional liberal art courses, to satisfy the credit requirement for General Education. Students should consult their academic advisor to determine appropriate course substitutions. This situation may occur with other second majors and the students should consult with their academic advisor regarding appropriate course substitution.

Professional Education Courses

Students entering Kean University as freshmen or transfers must earn a B- or higher in all Professional Education courses and a Satisfactory grade in **EMSE 3800 and EMSE 4800. EDUC 3000 and EDUC 3400 or 3403** must be completed prior to taking **EMSE 3800; EMSE 4440 & 4441** must be completed prior to EMSE 4800 and 4900.

EMSE 4900 Senior Seminar and **EMSE 4800** Professional Internship *must* be taken together and no other course registration is permitted.

***ALL TEACHER CANDIDATES ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE Teacher Work Sample BEFORE GRADUATION.**

Additional Information:

Oral and Written Competency in Languages of Instruction

Students entering the Bilingual Option must also demonstrate oral and written competency in both languages of instruction, for example, Spanish and English, as measured by the **ACTFL Proficiency Assessment**. Registration and administration of this test is done in the Elementary Ed. & Bilingual Ed. Department located in Willis 105 B The passing scores for Bilingual Education candidates are:

English:	Other language:
Oral – Advanced High	Oral – Advanced High
Written – Advanced Mid	Written – Advanced Mid

This test must be completed before being declared a bilingual option major.

Writing Emphasis Requirement: All students are required to complete one “Writing Emphasis (WE) course. The WE course should be within the major program. **EMSE 4440** satisfies this requirement for your Professional Major. However, you should consult your content major program advisor (i.e. History, Earth Science, etc.) for any requirements in the respective program.

PRAXIS I: All students entering the Elementary Education Program are required to take the **PRAXIS I**. This is a test in preparation for the Praxis II. Students must earn a score of **172** on the **PRAXIS I** to become eligible to apply to the Elementary Education program.

Praxis II (formerly the National Teachers Exam): The State of New Jersey requires a passing score (141) on the Elementary Education: Content Area (10014) of the Praxis II exam prior to senior field experience.

Adviser's Signature

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