# BILINGUAL EDUCATION/ ELEMENTARY MAJOR, BACHELOR OF ARTS IN EDUCATION (BAE)

The Bilingual Education Program offers a major for those students preparing to teach dual language learners who wish to demonstrate their commitment to learning an additional language. This Bilingual Education major requires the completion of a minor or certificate approved by a Modern Language advisor. Notes: students who want to have a second endorsement in a minor field will require more than 12 quarters to complete the BAE.

This major satisfies the endorsement for preschool through grade 12.

## **World Language Requirement**

Acceptance to the program is contingent upon scoring Advanced-Low or higher on both the oral and written ACTFL tests. As the State of Washington, Professional Educator Board (PESB) requires bilingual education candidates to pass the ACTFL oral and written tests with a score of Advanced-Mid or higher in order to get the certification, candidates who score Advanced-Low on any of the ACTFL tests will be asked to prepare a plan to pass the ACTFL oral and written tests at the end of the certification at the Advanced-Mid level. This plan will require them to take some upper-division world language courses.

Elementary Education students must complete the required Elementary Education Core and the following courses.

**Grade Requirements:** the minimum cumulative GPA for this program is ≥2.7.

## **Required English Course**

**Total Credits** 

5		
Required English as a Second Language Courses		
3		
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6		
Required Capstone		
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#### **Elementary Education Core**

There are general education science and social science courses that are strongly recommended for the Elementary Education candidate. See the general requirements section of this catalog. Please see an Education advisor for clarification.

<b>Total Credits</b>	5	0-62
EDUC 427	GENERAL STUDENT TEACHING K-12 (Variable credit. A minimum of 3 credits are required.)	3-15
EDUC 423	ELEMENTARY STUDENT TEACHING K-8	12
EDUC 308 & EDUC 380 & EDUC 381 & EDUC 386B	FOUNDATIONS OF ELEMENTARY CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT and INTEGRATED STEM METHODS 1 and INTEGRATED STEM METHODS 2 and FIELD EXPERIENCE AND PRACTICUM	14
EDUC 303 & EDUC 310 & EDUC 338 & EDUC 340 & EDUC 386A	FOUNDATIONS OF ASSESSMENT and LITERACY METHODS, MANAGEMENT AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL and LANGUAGE AND SOCIAL STUDIES METHODS 1: INTEGRATED LANGUAGE ARTS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL and LANGUAGE AND SOCIAL STUDIES METHODS 2: INTEGRATED SOCIAL STUDIES FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL and FIELD EXPERIENCE AND PRACTICUM	
EDUC 304	INTRODUCTION TO ELEMENTARY READING	3

#### **University Competencies and Proficiencies**

English (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/ #newitemtext)

Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/#mathcompproficienciestext)
Placement and Clearance (http://catalog.ewu.edu/placement/)
Prior Learning/Sources of Credit AP, CLEP, IB (http://catalog.ewu.edu/prior-learning/)

## General Education Requirements (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduatedegree/#generaleducationrequirementstext) (GER)

- Minimum Credits-180 cumulative credit hours
  - 60 upper-division credits (300 level or above)
  - 45 credits in residence (attendance) at Eastern, with at least 15 upper-division credits in major in residence at Eastern
- Minimum Cumulative GPA ≥2.0

### **Breadth Area Core Requirements (BACR)**

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Humanities and Arts (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/#humanitiesandfineartsgecrtext)

Natural Sciences (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/ #naturalsciencesgecrtext)

Social Sciences (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/ #socialsciencesgecrtext)

### University Graduation Requirements (http://catalog.ewu.edu/ undergraduate-degree/#universitygraduationrequirementstext) (UGR)

Diversity Course List (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/#cultureandgenderdiversityintheuslisttext)
World Language (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/#worldlanguagetext) (for Bachelor of Arts)
Global Studies Course List (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/#internationalstudiesrequirementtext)
Minor or Certificate (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/#majorminororcertificateugrtext)
Senior Capstone Course List (http://catalog.ewu.edu/undergraduate-degree/#capstonecourselisttext)

Application for Graduation (use EagleNET (https://inside.ewu.edu/eaglenet/)) must be made at least two terms in advance of the term you expect to graduate (undergraduate and post-baccalaureate).

Use the Catalog Archives (http://catalog.ewu.edu/archives/) to determine two important catalog years.

Requirements in Degree Works (https://inside.ewu.edu/records-and-registration/degree-works/) are based on these two catalog years:

- a. The catalog in effect at the student's first term of current matriculation is used to determine BACR (Breadth Area Credit Requirements) and UGR (Undergraduate Graduation Requirements).
- b. The catalog *in effect at the time the student declares a major or minor* is used to determine the program requirements.

## Students who earn a BAE in Bilingual Education at EWU should be able to:

- create developmentally-appropriate bilingual lesson plans grounded in language acquisition research;
- deliver an oral presentation designed to inform families of the benefits of a K–8 bilingual dual-language program;
- explain how pedagogical strategies support elementary and middle school students' literacy;
- identify the effects of the interrelationship between language and culture on the bilingual classroom;
- identify the optimal elements in a WA standards-based lesson plan for bilingual Education;
- teach a lesson that supports the linguistic development of bilingual speakers.