

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
REPORT TO THE RIVERSIDE DIVISION
MAY 23, 2017**

To be adopted:

Proposed Changes to Education Minor (EDUC)

PRESENT:

**Education Minor
Subject abbreviation: EDUC
Graduate School of Education**

Program Office, Sproul 1124
(951) 827-5850; **education.ucr.edu**

The Education minor offers to any undergraduate student an introduction to issues and practices of education and research in public schools. Students from any major are invited to pursue a minor in Education.

Students in the Education minor may select from a variety of courses that may focus on a particular interest or may sample across aspects of the curriculum. Specific areas of interest that are reflected in the course offerings include: Special education, ~~literacy and language, curriculum and teaching strategies~~, and educational research.

The Education minor does not lead to a teaching credential; however, some of the courses will satisfy UCR ~~credential program~~ requirements. Students who are interested in pursuing a teaching credential should contact ~~GSOE student services~~ at (951) 827-5225.

~~Admission~~ Students apply to the Education minor by submitting a UC Riverside “Request to Declare/Drop a Minor” form.

Once approved by the Education Minor Committee, the application goes to the student’s college for approval. Both approvals

PROPOSED:

(No change)

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Students in the Education minor may select from a variety of courses that may focus on a particular interest or may sample across aspects of the curriculum. Specific areas of interest that are reflected in the course offerings include: Special education, psychology, higher education, policy and leadership, culture and language, issues of classism, racism, sexism, heterosexism, diversity and equity, social justice, curriculum and teaching strategies, qualitative and quantitative methods, and educational research.

The Education minor does not lead to a teaching credential; however, some of the courses will satisfy UCR Teacher Education Program requirements. Students who are interested in pursuing a teaching credential should contact the Teacher Education Program at (951) 827-5225.

~~are required for admission.~~

~~The minimum qualifications are:~~

- ~~1. Present good academic standing with a minimum GPA of 2.0~~
- ~~2. Petitions must be filed at least two quarters before graduation, depending on major.~~

Program Requirements The Education minor consists of the satisfactory completion of 24 units in courses identified for the Education Minor Program. At least 16 units must be completed in upper division courses.

(No change)

~~All courses that candidates may want to use to satisfy the teacher credential program requirements must be completed with a minimum grade of "C." Minor in Education candidates must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0.~~

Student petitions require the approval of the program advisor in the Education minor. Students may not petition to take more than 8 units of courses outside of the identified courses for the Education minor. College approval from both the Graduate School of Education and the major college is required. Please see education.ucr.edu for the minor petition process. Minor in Education candidates must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0.

~~**Course Work** The following courses will comprise the menu of electives for the Education minor: EDUC 001, EDUC 002, EDUC 003, EDUC 004, EDUC 020, EDUC 020S, EDUC 030, EDUC 040, EDUC 040S, EDUC 044, EDUC 050, EDUC 050S, EDUC 100A, EDUC 100B, EDUC 109, EDUC 109S, EDUC 110, EDUC 110S, EDUC 112, EDUC 112S, EDUC 114, EDUC 116, EDUC 116S, EDUC 118, ~~EDUC 120~~, EDUC 129, EDUC 130, EDUC 131, EDUC 133, EDUC 139, EDUC 146/ETST 146, ~~EDUC 172, EDUC 172S~~, EDUC 173, EDUC 174, EDUC 174S, EDUC 175, EDUC 175S, EDUC 176, ~~EDUC 177A, EDUC 177B~~.~~

Course Work Students will have the opportunity to select from a menu of electives to complete the course work: EDUC 001, EDUC 002, EDUC 003, EDUC 004, EDUC 005, EDUC 010, EDUC 020 or EDUC 020S, EDUC 022, EDUC 030 or EDUC 030S, EDUC 040 or EDUC 040S, EDUC 041, EDUC 042, EDUC 044, EDUC 050 or EDUC 050S, EDUC 051, EDUC 100A, EDUC 100B, EDUC 104, EDUC 105, EDUC 109 or EDUC 109S, EDUC 110 or EDUC 110S, EDUC 112 or EDUC 112S, EDUC 114, EDUC 116 or EDUC 116S, EDUC 118, EDUC 122, EDUC 123, EDUC 129, EDUC 130, EDUC 131, EDUC 133, EDUC 134, EDUC 139, EDUC 141, EDUC 142, EDUC 143, EDUC 146/ETST 146, EDUC 160, EDUC 161, EDUC 173, EDUC 174 or EDUC 174S, EDUC 175 or EDUC 175S, EDUC 176, EDUC 181, EDUC 182, EDUC 183.

Additional courses may be added to this list by proposals of academic units, or by petitions of students to take a suitable alternative course.

(no change)

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Justification:

1. The catalog copy has been revised to reflect the areas of course offerings and to help students better understand the process to add the minor and program requirements and learning opportunities.
2. Our faculty continue to develop new undergraduate courses, and we want to officially recognize these courses as electives for the Education Minor. The following new courses have been added as electives: EDUC 005, EDUC 010, EDUC 030S, EDUC 041, EDUC 042, EDUC 051, EDUC 104, EDUC 105, EDUC 122, EDUC 123, EDUC 134, EDUC 141, EDUC 142, EDUC 160, EDUC 161, EDUC 181, EDUC 182, EDUC 183.

Approvals:

Approved by the faculty of the College of Graduate School of Education:	February 21, 2017
Approved by the Executive Committee of the College of Graduate School of Education:	April 4, 2017
Reviewed by the Committee on Undergraduate Admissions:	April 25, 2017
Approved by the Committee on Educational Policy:	April 24, 2017