

**2020-2021**

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**Teacher Preparation Programs  
in  
Nebraska  
Colleges and Universities**



(Office of Educator Preparation Program Approval / May, 2020)

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<b>Highest Certification Degree Granted</b>	M	M	M	M	D	M	M	B	M	B	S	D	D	S	B
<b>Level of Accreditation:</b>															
NCATE/TEAC/CAEP	X		X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Higher Learning Commission (formerly NCA)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
State	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
<b>Administrative Endorsements</b>															
Principal (G) (F) PK-12, PK-8, 7-12	X		X	X	X		X				PK-8 7-12	PK-8 7-12	X	X	
Special Education Supervisor (G) (F) B-12	X										X	X	X	X	
Superintendent (G) (F) PK-12					X						X	X	X	X	
<b>Teaching Endorsements</b>															
Adapted Physical Education (SP) PK-12											X		X		
Agricultural Education (F) 6-12												X			
American Sign Language (S) or (SP) K-8, 7-12, K-12			X (SP)												
Anthropology (S) 7-12															
Art (F) PK-12	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X		X	X	X
Assessment Leadership (G) (SP) PK-12															
Bilingual Education (SP) K-6, 4-9, 7-12												K-6 7-12	X		
Biology (S) 7-12	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
BMIT (Business, Marketing & Info Tech) (F) 6-12	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Chemistry (S) 7-12	X	X	X		X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Coaching (SP) 7-12	X		X		X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X
Driver Education (SP) 7-12															
Early Childhood Education (SP) PK-3	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X			X	X	X	

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Early Childhood Inclusive (F) <i>(formerly ECEU)</i>	B-3	X	X	X						X		X	X	X	X	
Earth and Space Science (S)	7-12	X											X			
Economics (S)	7-12															
Elementary Education (F)	K-6, K-8	K-8	K-6	K-8	K-8	K-6	K-8	K-8	K-6	K-8	K-8	K-6	K-6	K-6	K-8	K-8
English Language Arts (F)	7-12	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
English As A Second Language (SP) PK-12, PK-6, 4-9, 7-12			PK-12	PK-12	PK-12 PK-6 7-12	PK-12 PK-6 7-12	PK-12	PK-12 PK-6 7-12		PK-12		PK-12	PK-6 7-12	PK-6 7-12	PK-12	
Family & Consumer Sciences Occupational (F) 6-12		X											X		X	
Geography (S)	7-12			X								X			X	
Health Education (S)	7-12	X										X		X		
Health & Physical Education (F)	PK-12	X				X	X	X	X	X		X			X	
Health Sciences (SP)	6-12	X											X		X	
High Ability Education (SP)	K-12							X				X				
History (S)	7-12	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Information Technology (SP)	PK-12			X				X				X	X	X	X	
Instructional Technology Leadership (SP)	PK-12			X								X	X	X		
Journalism & Media Education (SP)	7-12			X									X		X	
Mathematics (F)	6-12	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Middle Level Education (S)	5-9	X	X	X		X				X		X		X	X	X
Middle Level Endorsement Academic Areas:																
<i>English Language Arts</i>		X	X	X		X				X		X		X	X	X
<i>Mathematics</i>		X	X	X		X				X		X		X	X	X
<i>Science</i>		X	X	X		X				X		X		X	X	X
<i>Social Science</i>		X	X	X		X				X		X		X	X	X
<i>Agricultural Education</i>																
<i>Business Education</i>		X								X						

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Family and Consumer Sciences Education		X													X	
Health and Physical Education		X		X						X					X	
Industrial Technology Education																
World Language (C=Chinese, F=French, G=German, S=Spanish)				X S												
Music (F) PK-12		X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Physical Education (S) PK-12, PK-6, 7-12		PK-6 7-12		PK-12 7-12		PK-12		PK-12	PK-6 7-12		PK-12	PK-12 PK-6 7-12		PK-12 7-12	PK-6 7-12	PK-12
Physics (S) 7-12				X			X		X		*D	X	X	X		
Political Science (S) 7-12												X			X	
Psychology (S) 7-12				X								X			X	X
Reading and Writing (SP) PK-6, 7-12			X			X									X	7-12
Reading Specialist (G) (S) PK-12		X		X		X						X	X	X	X	
Religious Education (S) K-12, PK-6, 7-12			K-12	X	X							K-12				X
ROTC (S) 9-12																
School Counselor (G) (F) PK-12 (S) PK-8, 7-12		X		PK-12	X	PK-12						PK-8 7-12	PK-8 7-12	PK-12	PK-8 7-12	
School Librarian (F) PK-12												X		X		
School Psychologist (F) (G) PK-12												X	X	X		
Science (F) 7-12		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Secondary English (S) 7-12			*D	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Secondary Transition Specialist (G) (SP) 7-12																
Skilled and Technical Sciences Education (F) 6-12													X		X	
Skilled & Technical Sciences-Skilled Specific (SP) 9-12													X		X	

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Social Science (F)	7-12	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Sociology (S)	7-12											X			X	
Special Education Generalist	(F) K-12 (S) K-6, 7-12	K-12	K-6 7-12	X		X	K-12	X	K-6 7-12	K-6 7-12 K-12		X	K-6 7-12 K-12	K-6 7-12	K-6 7-12 K-12	K-12
Special Education-Behavior Intervention Specialist (G) (SP)	B-12, PK-6, 7-12											B-12	B-12	PK-6 7-12		
Special Education-Deaf or Hard of Hearing (S)	B-12, PK-6, 7-12												B-12	PK-6 7-12		
Special Education-Early Childhood (G) (S)	B-K	X		X									X			
Special Education-Early Intervention Specialist (SP)	B-PK											X	X			
Special Education-Functional Academic Skills and Independent Living Specialist (G) (SP)	B-12											X				
Special Education-Inclusion and Collaboration Specialist (G) (SP)	PK-12											X		X		
Special Education-Visual Impairment (S)	B-12												X			
Speech (SP)	7-12			X									X		X	X
Speech Language Pathologist (G) (S)	B-21											X	X	X		
Theatre (SP)	7-12	X		X		X	X	X	X			X	X		X	X
Vocal Music (S)	PK-12	X		X				X	X		X				X	X
Work-Based Learning (SP) <i>(formerly Cooperative Education/Distributive Occ)</i>	9-12	X					X					X	X	X	X	
World Language (S) (C=Chinese, F=French, G=German, L= Latin, R=Russian, S=Spanish)	K-8, 7-12, K-12		S K-12, 7-12	C, S 7-12	F, S 7-12	S, G K-8, 7-12	S 7-12		F, G, S 7-12, K-12, S K-8			F, G, S 7-12	C, F, G, L, R, S 7-12	F, G, S 7-12	S 7-12	

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