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| **2023-2024** |
| **Teacher Preparation Programs**  **in**  **Nebraska**  **Colleges and Universities** |
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**(Office of Educator Preparation Program Approval / May, 2023)**

| **Degree Codes:** | | | | | **Bellevue University** | **Chadron State College** | **College of Saint Mary** | | **Concordia University** | **Creighton University** | | **Doane University** | **Hastings College** | **Midland University** | | **NE Wesleyan University** | | **Peru State College** | **Union College** | **University of NE-Kearney** | **University of NE-Lincoln** | **University of NE-Omaha** | **Wayne State College** | | **York University** | |
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| **B – Bachelor’s** | |  | **M – Master’s** | |
| **S - Specialist** | |  | **D - Doctorate** | |
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| **Endorsement Codes:** | | | | |
| **F - Field** | |  | **S - Subject** | |
| **G - Graduate** | |  | **SP - Supplemental** | |
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| **Highest Certification Degree Granted** | | | | | B | M | M | | M | M | | D | M | M | | B | | M | B | S | D | D | S | | B | |
| **Level of Accreditation:** | | | |  |  |
| CAEP/AAQEP | | | | |  | 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 | | X | |
| State | | | | | X | X | X | | X | X | | X | X | X | | X | | X | X | X | X | X | X | | X | |
| ***Administrative Endorsements*** | | | | |  |
| Principal (G) (F) PK-12, PK-8, 7-12 | | | | |  | X |  | | X | X | | X |  | X | |  | |  |  | PK-8  7-12 | X | X | X | | X | |
| Special Education Supervisor (G) (F) B-12 | | | | |  | X |  | |  |  | |  |  |  | |  | |  |  | X | X | X | X | |  | |
| Superintendent (G) (F) PK-12 | | | | |  |  |  | |  |  | | X |  |  | |  | |  |  | X | X | X | X | |  | |
| ***Teaching Endorsements*** | | | | |  |
| Adapted Physical Education (SP) PK-12 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  | X |  | \*D | |  |  |
| Agricultural Education (F) 6-12 | | | | |  |  | |  | X |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  | X |  | |  |  |
| American Sign Language (S) or (SP) K-8, 7-12, K-12 | | | | |  |  | |  | (SP)  K-12 |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| Anthropology (S) 7-12 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| Art (F) PK-12 | | | | |  | X | | X | X | X | X | | X | |  | | X | X |  | X |  | X | | X |  |
| Bilingual Education (SP) PK-12, K-6, 4-9, 7-12 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  | \*D | K-6  7-12 | K-6  7-12 | |  |  |
| 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 | X |
| Chemistry (S) 7-12 | | | | | X | 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 | X |
| Driver Education (SP) 7-12 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| Early Childhood Education (SP) PK-3 | | | | |  | X | | X | X | X | X | | X | | X | |  | X |  | **✝**X | X | X | | X |  |
| Early Childhood Inclusive (F) B-3  *(formerly ECEU)* | | | | |  | 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-6, K-8 | K-8 | | K-6 | K6, K8 | K-8 | K-6 | | K-8 | | K-8 | | K-6 | K-8 | K-6,  K-8 | K-6 | K-6 | K-6 | | K-8 | K-8 |
| English As A Second Language (SP)  PK-12, PK-6, 4-9, 7-12 | | | | | PK-12 |  | | \*D | 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 |  |
| English Language Arts (F) 7-12 | | | | |  | X | | X | X | X | X | | X | |  | | X | X | X | X | X | X | | X |  |
| 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 |  | X | |  |  |
| Health & Physical Education (F) PK-12 | | | | | X | X | |  |  |  | X | | X | | X | | X | X |  | X |  |  | | X |  |
| Health Sciences Education (F) 6-12 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| Health Sciences Education (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 | X |
| Information Technology (SP) PK-12 | | | | | X |  | |  | 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 | X |
| Middle Level Education (S) 5-9 | | | | | X | X | | X | X |  | X | |  | |  | |  | X |  | X |  | X | | X |  |
| Middle Level Endorsement Academic Areas: | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| *English Language Arts* | | | | | X | X | | X | X |  | X | |  | |  | |  | X |  | X |  | X | | X |  |
| *Mathematics* | | | | | X | X | | X | X |  | X | |  | |  | |  | X |  | X |  | X | | X |  |
| *Science* | | | | | X | X | | X | X |  | X | |  | |  | |  | X |  | X |  | X | | X |  |
| *Social Science* | | | | | X | X | | X | X |  | X | |  | |  | |  | X |  | X |  | X | | X |  |
| *Agricultural Education* | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| *Business Marketing Info Technology-BMIT* | | | | |  | X | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  | X |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| *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)* | | | | |  |  | |  | S |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| Music (F) PK-12 | | | | |  | X | |  | X |  | X | | X | | X | | X | X | X | X | X | X | | X |  |
| Orientation and Mobility (O&M) Specialist  Special Services B-21 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | | . |  |  |  | X |  | |  |  |
| Physical Education (S) PK-12, PK-6, 7-12 | | | | | X | PK-6  7-12 | |  | PK-12  7-12 |  | X | |  | | PK-12 | | PK-12 |  |  | X |  | PK-12  7-12 | | PK-6  7-12 | PK-12 |
| Physics (S) 7-12 | | | | |  |  | |  | X |  |  | | X | |  | | X |  |  | X | X | X | |  |  |
| Political Science (S) 7-12 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  | X |  |  | | X |  |
| Psychology (S) 7-12 | | | | | X |  | |  | X |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  | \*D |  |  | | 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 | K-12 | K-12 |  | |  | |  | |  |  | K-12 |  |  |  | |  |  |
| 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 | | X |  |
| 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 | | | | | X |  | |  | 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 |  |
| Social Science (F) 7-12 | | | | | X | 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 | | | | | 7-12 | K-12 | | K-6  7-12 | X |  | X | | K-12 | | X | | K-6  7-12 | X |  | X | X | K-6  7-12 | | X | K-12 |
| Special Education-Behavior Intervention Specialist (G) (SP) B-12, PK-6, 7-12 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | | ✝X  B-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 |  |  | |  |  |
| Special Education-Visual Impairment (S) B-12 | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  | X |  | |  |  |
| Speech (SP) | | | | |  |  | |  | X |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  | X |  | | X | X |
| Special Program (S) | | | | |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |  | |  | |  |  |  |  |  |  | |  |  |
| Speech Language Pathologist (G) (F) 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) 9-12  *(formerly Cooperative Education/Distributive Occ)* | | | | | X | X | |  |  |  |  | | X | |  | |  |  |  | X | X | X | | X |  |
| World Language (S) K-8, 7-12, K-12  (C=Chinese, F=French, G=German, L= Latin, R=Russian, S=Spanish, J=Japanese) | | | | |  |  | | S  7-12,  K-12 | C, S  7-12 | F, S  7-12 | S  7-12 | | S  7-12 | |  | | F, G, S  7-12 |  |  | F, G, S  7-12 | S, C, F G, R, L  ✝J  7-12 | F, G, S  7-12 | | S  7-12 |  |

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**X - Endorsement program offered for all levels. ✝ - Indicates new program offering beginning in 2023-2024. Endorsements listed in BOLD were recently reviewed by NCTE.**

**\*D – Indicates program is dropped effective 2023-2024; no new candidates accepted. Previously enrolled candidates are allowed to complete.**

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