Registration – 4 Year Bachelor of Education

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New Students Registration Information:
www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/registration/new-first-year-students
About the Four-Year Bachelor of Education (BEd)

• An undergraduate professional degree leading to teacher certification

• Completion of a BEd is required to teach K-12 in Alberta

• 4-Year BEd consists of 120 units (typically 4 years of study, full course load)

• Up to 7 years from initial admission to the program to complete degree

• At UCalgary, there are various pathways to obtain a BEd degree:
  • 4-year BEd; 5-year Concurrent; 2-year After-Degree
Why A Four-Year BEd?

Our 4-Year Bachelor of Education pathway is designed to give you the skills and competencies to be a great first year teacher, with a good foundation in core subject areas and added depth in one area of specialization.

• Program consists of 120 units:
  • 6 foundational courses in a breadth of areas
  • 5 elective courses from any area
  • 8 teachable subject area courses specific to your specialization
  • 20 EDUC major courses (EDUC 201 and EDUC 400/500)

The Four-Year BEd Program page in the online Calendar has information on course details, including accepted courses for foundational requirements.
What Your Program Looks Like

Suggested program sequence

Please Note: You must successfully complete EDUC 201 before taking your 400-level EDUC courses. Additionally, the 400-level and 500-level courses are taken as distinct semesters - you cannot take any non-Education courses during your Education terms, nor can you ‘mix and match’ with other EDUC classes. If you have incorrectly registered in your 400-level or 500-level EDUC courses, you will be removed, and asked to correct your registration.

**Year 1**
- **Fall Term**
  - EDUC 201 | Fine Arts | Math or Science | Teachable | Elective
- **Winter Term**
  - Literature | Canadian Studies | Teachable | 2 Electives

**Year 2**
- **Fall Term**
  - EDUC 420 | EDUC 427 | EDUC 430 | EDUC 435 | EDUC 440 (Field I)
  - Winter Term
  - Psychology | 3 Teachables | Elective

**Year 3**
- **Fall Term**
  - Health | 3 Teachables | Elective
  - **Winter Term**
  - EDUC 445 | EDUC 450 | EDUC 456 | EDUC 460 | EDUC 465 (Field II)

**Year 4**
- **Fall Term**
  - EDUC 520 | EDUC 525 | EDUC 530 | EDUC 535 | EDUC 540 (Field III)
  - *Opportunity to participate in Teaching Across Borders
  - **Winter Term**
  - EDUC 546 | EDUC 551 | EDUC 556 | EDUC 560 (Field IV)
Structuring Non-Education Courses

• Teachable Subject Area Courses (24 units)
  • 20 different Teachable Subject Areas

• Foundational Courses (18 units)
  Literature  |  Fine Arts  |  Psychology  |  Canadian Studies
  PhysEd/Health & Wellness  |  Science/Mathematics

• Elective Courses (15 units)
  • Your choice

Four-Year BEd Program Courses - Calendar 2021-2022
www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/ed-4-2.html
Student Centre

my.ucalgary.ca

• Access information about your student record
• Register in courses and check grades
• Review your student financial account
• Change your program or major or add a minor or certificate

www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/student-centre
Enrolment Appointment

How to find your course registration date/time in your Student Centre

www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/registration/enrolment-appointments
Schedule Builder

www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/registration/schedule-builder
Search for Classes (Course Search)

Choose semester

Choose course code

Add course number (optional)

Show undergrad courses only

Check if only wanting to see courses with space (optional)

(Optional) opportunity to add additional filters to search
**Academic Requirements**

Tool to see program requirements and progress in degree

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**Step 1: Click on “Program & Advising Info”**

**Step 2: Click on “Academic Requirements”**
Academic Requirements

• Teachable Subject Area Courses
• Foundational Courses
• EDUC Courses
• Elective Courses

ucalgary.ca/registrar/student-centre/academic-requirements
EDUC Registration Guide

Undergraduate Program in Education page - “Current Students”
werklund.ucalgary.ca/undergraduate-programs/current-students/registration-guides

• A guide for both On-Campus and Community-Based pathways
• Helps you choose the correct course and section for your route and teachable subject area
• Contains any course updates, alternative dates and deadlines for EDUC courses, and alternative Summer/online offerings for on-campus students
Questions?
Faculty and Campus Resources

Faculty Resources

• Academic Advisors
• Field Advisors/Career Advisors
• Experiential Learning Facilitator
• Directors of Student Experience & Field

Campus Resources

• Wellness Center
• Student Success Center
• Student Accessibility Services (SAS)
• Enrolment Services
• Financial Aid and Student Awards
Field Experience
There are 4 field experiences, one in each of your Education terms:

• **Field I** is two weeks during the Fall term
• **Field II** is four weeks during the Winter term
• **Field III** is six weeks long during the Fall term of the last year
• **Field IV** is eight weeks long during the Winter term of the last year

Other EDUC courses finish before you go out to Field, which conclude your terms (like the “final exam”)

More information on Field Experience can be found on the Undergraduate Program webpage werklund.ucalgary.ca/undergraduate-programs/field-experience
Student Opportunities

Optional ways to enhance your experience at Werklund:

Service Learning
- curated and coordinated volunteer opportunities

Professional Learning
- build on academic learning from the program

Land-Based Opportunities
- focus on Indigenous ways of knowing and connecting to the land

Teaching Across Borders
- volunteer teach and experience a new culture

Mentorship
- Peer-to-Peer and Professional-to-Preservice

K-12 Tutoring Program
Create Your Program Structure

• Step 1 – Understand your program requirements and structure through the UPE website and Calendar

• Step 2 – Prepare for registration by finding your course registration date/time and set yourself a reminder

• Step 3 – Check out the 1st Year Degree Guide

• Step 4 – Familiarize yourself with “Search for Classes” and “Schedule Builder”

• Step 5 – Use Registration Guide to help choosing the appropriate EDUC major courses

Visit the Office of the Registrar’s Registration page for hints, tips, and updated information on Fall 2021 course delivery

Having trouble?
New Student Registration is available starting in May!
Contact Your Advisors

UPE@UCalgary.ca

Appointments currently via Zoom
  • bookable and drop-in times available on the Contact page
werklund.ucalgary.ca/undergraduate-programs

FOIP Regulations
  • ucalgary.ca/registrar/student-centre/privacy-policy
  • To grant friends or family access to your private information, you need to complete Third-Party Authorization form