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## Master of Education: Elementary Education Accelerated Online Program *Student Planning Guide*

### **Degree Program Required Classes (12 courses, 34 credits)**

All classes should have the “AOP” section (i.e. ED 981 AOP Adv. Foundations of Education)

#### **To be taken at the beginning of the program**

- ED 981 Advanced Foundations of Education

#### **Additional required courses**

- ED 910 The Child, Family, Community and Diversity in Education
- ED 914 Teaching and Learning Literacy Across Multiple Disciplines
- ED 927 Inclusive Settings: Learning Strategies and Management Techniques (1-6)
- ED 929 Mathematics Assessment and Instruction for Diverse Learners
- ED 979 Technology and Literacy in the Classroom
- EL 908 Social Studies Content, Curriculum, Assessment and Instruction
- EL 909 Science Content, Curriculum, Assessment and Instruction

#### **Research Course Sequence (*should be taken in this order*)**

- ED 996 Research and Evaluation
- ED 982 Research in Education
- ED 993 Seminar: Research in Content Concentration

#### **To be taken at the end of the program**

- ED 992 Portfolio Evaluation (1 credit)

### **Two-Year Course Schedule**

Worcester State University has published the course schedule for the next two years. You can locate the schedule by clicking on the link below (or cutting and pasting it into your browser). This schedule can be helpful in planning your degree completion.

<https://www.worcester.edu/continuing-education/wp-content/uploads/sites/29/2023/02/EDU-two-year-planning-guide.pdf>

## **Student Completion Plan**

The following chart can be used for planning purposes. You may elect to take two courses every 7 weeks, one course every 7 weeks, or adjust your schedule depending on when you can more or fewer classes.

Students who take two courses every 7 weeks can complete in one year (14 months).  
Students who take one course every 7 weeks can complete in two years.

Start with your first semester and set a plan for the completion of your master's degree.

<b>7-Week Term</b>	<b>Course I</b>	<b>Course 2</b>
Summer I, 20____		
Summer II, 20____		
Fall I, 20____		
Fall II, 20____		
Spring I, 20____		
Spring II, 20____		
Summer I, 20____		
Summer II, 20____		
Fall I, 20____		
Fall II, 20____		
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Spring I, 20____		
Spring II, 20____		
Summer I, 20____		
Summer II, 20____		

*If you need assistance in planning out your degree completion, please do not hesitate to contact your Graduate Program Coordinator (contact information can be found on your acceptance letter).*