



## Courses

The Teaching and Learning Pathway focuses on the general theory and practice of learning and teaching, the basic principles of educational psychology, the art of teaching, the planning and administration of educational activities, school safety and health issues, and the social foundations of education. Through a wonderful partnership with Northern Kentucky University's School-Based Scholars Program, students in this pathway have the opportunity to earn twelve (12) total hours of college dual credit coursework that transfer to the Teacher Education Program. These courses involve a hybrid approach of in-class and online course offerings.

The purpose the pathway is to empower students with the knowledge, dispositions, and skills to be effective educators in a variety of disciplines and grade levels. Cooperative experience, internships, shadowing, and mentoring opportunities provide depth and breadth of learning in the instructional program, and allow students to directly apply concepts

### College & Career Options

- Teacher
- School Counselor
- School Psychologist
- Educational Consultant
- Professor

### Orientation to Education (Dual Credit - EDU 104) / Introduction to Education (Dual Credit -EDU 305) Grades 11-12

#### Learn

Explore the education profession  
KY teacher standards  
Contemporary educational theory

#### Engage

Field experience  
Educational career exploration

### Human Growth and Development (Dual Credit - EDU 300) - Grades 11-12

#### Learn & Engage

Life-span human development  
Physical, cognitive, social & personal development  
Student development at specific levels of instruction

### Racism & Sexism in Edu. Institutions (Dual Credit - EDU 316) - Grade 12

#### Learn & Engage

Introduction of racism and sexism in the U.S.  
Prejudice, assimilation, feminism & cultural reproduction  
Social, cultural, political, psychological, & economic exclusion

### Education Capstone (Dual Credit - EDU 592) - Grade 12

#### Learn

Inquiry-based data collection  
Application of educational theories & research  
Action planning

#### Engage

Project-based learning focused on research, creativity, and application