

**CLASS A CERTIFICATE – ELEMENTARY EDUCATION**

2017-Current

Master of Education – M.Ed.

University of South Alabama – College of Education and Professional Studies

MINIMUM GRADUATE HOURS REQUIRED: 30

	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Grade</b>
<b>Curriculum and Teaching (12 Hours)</b>			
EEC 522	Elementary School Curriculum	3	_____
EEC 523	Instructional Planning in the Elementary School	3	_____
RED 531	Trends and Practices in Teaching Reading	3	_____
<b>Select one from:</b>			
EEC 532	Language Development in Elementary School		
<b>OR</b>			
EEC 535	Trends in Teaching Mathematics <i>(Not offered online at this time.)</i>		
<b>OR</b>			
EEC 537	Teaching Science <i>(Not offered online at this time.)</i>	3	_____
<b>Diversity (3 Hours)</b>			
A <b>Diversity</b> course is required, UNLESS a <b>Survey Course in Special Education</b> was NOT previously taken at the undergraduate or graduate level, in which case SPE 500 would be taken in place of the <b>Diversity</b> course.			
EDU 567	Multicultural Experiences in Schools	3	_____
<b>Educational Foundations (3 Hours)</b>			
EDM 510	Microcomputing Systems	3	_____
<b>Research and Evaluation (3 Hours)</b>			
IDE 510	Educational Research and Evaluation	3	_____
<b>Electives (9 Hours) (Refer to Elective Note Below)</b>			
500-599	From: AED, EEC, RED or EPY 502 ( <i>EPY 502 recommended, if considering pursuing additional graduate degree(s).</i> )	3	_____
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**Elective Note:**

Any advisor approved 500 level course is acceptable as an elective. For example, students may choose to take AED 501-Trends & Practices in Teaching Art in the Elementary School, EEC 553- Organizational Patterns & Curriculum in ECE, EEC 554- Language Development in ECE, EEC 577- Children’s Literature for the Gifted, EEC 590-Special Topics (i.e., NTA, AMSTI, PTI), RED 545-Literature for Children & Adolescents or any course listed on this program sheet but not previously taken.