

## PREPARE TO TEACH

The following table outlines the requirements for admission\* for all candidates and additional course prerequisites for students who wish to pursue an internship and/or the combined Master of Education General Education Teaching Emphasis degree (for Multiple and Single Subject candidates). For application information please go to the website and view Teacher Education Admission requirements ([www.education.ucr.edu/tcadmissions.html](http://www.education.ucr.edu/tcadmissions.html)).

**Multiple Subjects**—Elementary teachers (BCLAD emphasis in Spanish option. See BCLAD flier)

**Single Subject**—English, Foreign Language, Social Science, Math or the Science: Biology, Chemistry, Geoscience or Physics

**Education Specialist credentials**—Specializations in Mild/Moderate or Moderate/Severe Disabilities

**Dual Multiple Subject and Education Specialist Credential:** choose specialization from above

Admission Requirements -- All Candidates			Descriptions
<b>Basic Skills</b>			The <b>California Basic Examination Skills Test (CBEST)</b> assesses basic skills in reading, mathematics, and writing. Take it as early as your freshman year but no later than your junior year. Information is available at: <a href="http://www.cbest.nesinc.com">www.cbest.nesinc.com</a>
<b>Subject Matter Competency</b>			The <b>California Subject Exams for Teachers (CSET)</b> assesses a candidate's subject matter competence. Take appropriate exams no later than first quarter of your senior year. Information is available at: <a href="http://www.cset.nesinc.com">www.cset.nesinc.com</a>
<b>Certificate of Clearance</b>			The COC requires fingerprinting and character clearance as required by law. Complete livescan fingerprinting then apply for your document online to the California Teacher Commission. Information on this process can be found at: <a href="http://www.ctc.ca.gov/help/application/cert-of-clear.html">www.ctc.ca.gov/help/application/cert-of-clear.html</a>
<b>Health Education<sup>1</sup> and Infant-Child-Adult CPR Certification<sup>1</sup></b>			EDUC 044 or UCR Extension's EDUC X451.01. We suggest to be taken prior to entering the program. CPR available through American Red Cross, American Heart Association or UCR Extension's EDUC X351.4 (no online courses are accepted).
<b>US Constitution<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>Choose one:</b> POSC 010, HIST 017A, AP exams in Political Science, U.S. History or UCR Extension's EDUC850.
Add the courses if :	Internships	M.Ed. General Educ. Emphasis	Descriptions
US Constitution	✓		<b>Choose one:</b> POSC 010, HIST 017A, AP exams in Political Science, U.S. History, or UCR Extension's EDU850.
EDUC 109 <sup>2</sup>		✓	"Education in a Diverse Society" (prerequisite: EDUC 002 or EDUC 100B)
EDUC 110 <sup>2</sup>	✓	✓	"Learning and Instruction"
EDUC 116 <sup>2</sup>	Special Education	✓	"The Exceptional Child"
EDUC 172 <sup>2</sup>	Multiple Subject & Special Education	Multiple Subject	"Reading and Language Development"
EDUC 174 <sup>2</sup>	Single Subject	Single Subject	"Reading and Writing in the Content Areas"
EDUC 177A <sup>2</sup>	✓		"Language Development in Content Areas"

<sup>1</sup>Health Education, Infant-Child-Adult CPR certification, and U.S. Constitution are required to obtain teaching certification. It is recommended that applicants complete these courses prior to beginning the program.

<sup>2</sup>Candidates who want to be "intern eligible" must complete pre-service requirements (in addition to passing the required exams) for admission into this teaching option. These candidates can be hired as the teacher of record by a partnering district while completing the program. Pre-service courses include EDUC110 and 177A for Multiple Subject, Single Subject, and Special Education intern candidates. EDUC172 is also required for Multiple Subject candidates and EDUC174 is required for Single Subject candidates. Special Education candidates must add EDUC172 and EDUC116.

<sup>2</sup>M.Ed. General Education Teaching Emphasis applicants (Multiple Subject and Single Subject candidates) must complete the following prerequisite courses prior to admission: EDUC109, 110, and 116. Multiple Subject candidates add EDUC172 and Single Subject candidates add 174. At least three of these courses and your exams must be passed in order to be reviewed by the M.Ed. General Education Teaching Emphasis Admission Committee.