Preliminary Single Subject Teaching Credential

**Authorized Areas:** English, Mathematics, Science (Biology, Chemistry, Geosciences, and Physics), Social Science (History) and World Languages (Spanish).

**Admission:** The following are requirements for admission.
1. A baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution.
2. A minimum GPA of 3.0 based on the last 90 quarter units in the baccalaureate program.
3. Passage of Basic Skills and Subject Matter requirements.
4. Three letters of recommendation.
5. Official degree posted transcripts.

**California Commission on Teacher Credential (CTC) requirements:** (not admission requirements)
1. US Constitution
2. Technology
3. Health Education
4. CPR (Infant, Child and Adult)

**Credential Requirements:**

*Required courses for Preliminary Teaching Credential (units):*
- EDUC 147: Education in a Diverse Society (4)
- EDUC 162: Learning Theory and Psychology in Education (4)
- EDUC 132: The Exceptional Child (4)
- EDUC 178: Reading and Writing in the Content Areas (4)
- EDUC 179A: Language Development in Content Areas (4)
- EDUC 285 (E-Z): Curriculum Theory and Instructional Processes (4)

**Field Work/Clinical Practice**

*Required courses (units):*
- EDUC 333 Early Supervised Fieldwork and Seminar for Single Subjects (3)
- EDUC 376A Supervised Teaching in the Secondary School (5) - Fall
- EDUC 376B Supervised Teaching in the Secondary School (5) - Winter
- EDUC 376C Supervised Teaching in the Secondary School (6) - Spring

**Seminar Courses**

*Required courses (units):*
- EDUC348A Single Subject Credential Seminar (2) - Fall
- EDUC348B Single Subject Credential Seminar (2) - Winter
- EDUC348C Single Subject Credential Seminar (2) - Spring
Teaching Performance Assessment (edTPA)

Required courses (units):
EDUC377A: Teacher Performance Assessment for Single Subject Candidates (1) - Fall
EDUC377B: Teacher Performance Assessment for Single Subject Candidates (1) - Winter
EDUC377C: Teacher Performance Assessment for Single Subject Candidates (1) – Spring

Note: The UCR Teacher Education Program is accredited by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing. Questions related to the programs accredited status should be directed to the CTC Commission on Accreditation:

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