

# EDUCATION STUDIES MINOR

**Banner Code:** ESTU

## Academic Advising

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This minor is designed for students with a strong interest in exploring the field of education to develop a conceptual and situated understanding of schools and teaching. It will not lead to teacher licensure; rather it is designed to introduce students to the structure of American education. Students interested in teacher licensure are urged to contact the College's Student and Academic Affairs Office (<https://cehd.gmu.edu/saa>) for guidance in identifying the requirements for teaching credentials.

## Admissions & Policies

### Policies

Eight credits of coursework must be unique to the minor. For policies governing all minors, see AP.5.3.4 Minors.

## Requirements

### Minor Requirements

Total credits: 18-19

#### Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
EDUC 300	Introduction to Teaching	3
SOCI 382	Education in Contemporary Society	3
Total Credits		6

#### Electives

Code	Title	Credits
Select four courses from the following:		12-13
EDIT 413	Technology, Society, and the Culture of Learning	
EDLE 412	Schools and the Law	
EDLE 420	Organization and Management of Schools	
EDUC 303	Politics of American Education	
INTS 312	Images and Experiences of Childhood: Social Construct, Literature, and Film (must register for 3 credits)	
or INTS 316	Introduction to Childhood Studies (Mason Core)	
Total Credits		12-13