

## Elementary (Grades 1-8\*) Teaching Licensure Courses and Mentoring/Supervision

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Required Courses:</b></p> <p><b>Foundations courses:</b>          6110-Introduction to Classroom Management (3) <b>or</b> 6120-Advanced Classroom Management (3)          6050*-Curriculum Design, Evaluation, Assessment (3)          6020*-Diversity in Education (2)</p> <p><b>Methods and Content courses:</b>          6265-Foundations in Inclusive Teaching (2)          6229-Instructional Technology for Pre-Service Teachers (2)          6311-Content Instruction in the Elementary School: Science (2) – only taught summer semester          6312-Content Instruction in the Elementary School: Mathematics (2) – only taught spring semester          6313-Content Instruction in the Elementary School: Social Studies (2) – only taught fall semester          6314-Reading Instruction in Elementary Schools (2) – only taught fall semester          6316-Language Arts Instruction in Elementary Schools (2) – only taught spring semester          6317-Arts Integration for Elementary Teachers (2) – only taught summer semester</p> <p><b>Please note:</b> Content courses are only taught one semester each academic year. Delaying taking these courses can delay the completion of the program.</p>	<p>24 credit hours + practicum and student teaching</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Required Mentoring, Supervision, and Field Work:</b>          (These credits do <b>not</b> count towards a master’s degree, but are part of the requirements for licensure.)</p> <p>MED 6860–Practicum in Education (2)          Complete a practicum of at least 60 clock hours in a school setting at least a semester prior to student teaching.</p> <p><b>AND</b></p> <p>MED 6870–Student Teaching in Elementary Education (6)          Successfully complete student teaching (all day, every day for 60 days) with an assigned cooperating teacher.</p> <p><b>Please note:</b> Deadlines for student teaching are in September for the following spring semester and in January for the following fall semester (yes, this is very early!). Some placements might be available in summer at year-round schools. Contact the program director in early January if interested.</p>	
<p><b>Successfully completing coursework, practicum, Praxis test, and student teaching will result in a Utah Level 1 Teaching License.</b></p>	

\*Grades 7-8 require subject degree. See endorsements on the USBE website.

### Admission Requirements

- Online application form filled out with the \$60 fee paid
- Earned bachelor’s degree (see program director or administrative assistant for a degree audit) – Official transcripts must be sent to MED office
  - Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or better – GPA below 2.75 will not be considered
- Elementary Content Praxis test passed
- USBE background check
- Recommendation forms (3)
- Group interview

Detailed explanations of each of these are in the *GCT Student Handbook*.