### University Core Curriculum (42 hours)
Courses listed below satisfy the University Core Curriculum and are required for the ALD degree.

#### First-year Signature Course
- UGS 302 [Wr] or 303

#### English Composition
- RHE 306

#### Humanities
- E 316K, E 316L, E 316M, E 316N, or E 316P

#### American & Texas Government
- GOV 310L
- GOV 312L, 312P, or 312R

#### American History
- U.S. History (no more than 3 hours of TX history) [Wr]

#### Social Science
- PSY 301

#### Mathematics
- 3 hours; See back for approved courses.

#### Natural Sciences, Part I & II
- NSC 306J and NSC 306K ('C' - or better required)
- NSC 306L or NSC 306M

#### Visual and Performing Arts
- 3 hours; See back for approved courses.

#### Writing Flag [Wr]
- ALD 328 3 hours

### University Flags (hours vary)
College of Education ALD majors require the following University Flag requirements. These courses may be used to fulfill other degree requirements. Flags must be earned at UT Austin; transferred courses may be petitioned to UGS.

- ALD 327 Cultural Diversity [CD]
- Quantitative Reasoning [QR]
- Global Cultures [GC]
- EDC 370E Writing [Wr]

### Spanish (hours vary)
Fourth-semester proficiency in Spanish; students may earn credit via AP scores or by taking the UT Placement Exam.

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### Other Required Curriculum (6 hours)

#### Mathematics
- M 316K and M 316L [QR]

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### Major Coursework (27 hours)

- ALD 320 Cognition, Human Learning, & Motivation or
- ALD 321 Play in Early Childhood Development
- ALD 322 Individual Differences
- ALD 327 Sociocultural Influences on Learning - BIL* [CD]
- KIN 314 Children's Movement (* denotes courses taught in Spanish; courses in italics require fieldwork)

### Foundations Semester:
Students must apply and be admitted to the foundations semester before they can take the courses below. A 2.35 minimum GPA is required to enter but does not guarantee admission.

- ALD 325 Second Language Acquisition* [CD]
- ALD 330 Language in Education*
- EDC 340C Spanish Language and Methods for Bilingual Teachers I*
- EDC 340E Latino Children's Literature for the Bilingual Teacher*
- EDC 340F Foundations of Bilingual Education*

### Professional Development Sequence (42 hours)
Prerequisites for the PDS are denoted by a bullet point (*) and require a "C" or better. Students must apply and be admitted to the Professional Development Sequence (PDS) before they can take the courses below. No other courses can be taken during the PDS semesters. For more information, visit [http://www.edb.utexas.edu/education/departments/undergrad/ald/ec-6th_bilingual/](http://www.edb.utexas.edu/education/departments/undergrad/ald/ec-6th_bilingual/).

#### PDS Application Deadlines:
- Fall Entry - March 1
- Spring Entry - October 1

#### Fall PDS:
15 hours of coursework (listed below) and placement in a Pre-K through first-grade classroom for approximately 1-2 days per week.
- ALD 328 Applied Human Learning [Wr]
- EDC 370E Reading*
- EDC 370E Language Arts* [Wr] or Social Studies*
- EDC 371G Teaching Young Children
- EDC 340D Spanish Language & Methods for Bilingual Teachers II*

#### Spring PDS:
15 hours of coursework (listed below) and placement in a second through sixth-grade classroom for approximately 2-3 days per week.
- EDC 331E School Organization & Classroom Management* [EL]
- EDC 370E Language Arts* [Wr] or Social Studies*
- EDC 370E Mathematics*
- EDC 370E Science*
- EDC 339D Reading Assessment & Development*

### Student Teaching:
12 hours of coursework (listed below) and placement in a Pre-K through sixth-grade classroom, Monday - Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
- EDC 370E Teaching English as a Second Language
- EDC 950E Elementary Grade Teaching Practice*

### Electives (hours vary, enough to achieve a total of 125 hours)

### Graduation & Residency Requirements
To receive a degree from the College of Education, a candidate must be registered in the college either in residence or in absentia the semester that the degree is to be awarded and must apply for the degree no later than the specified deadline. The student must have an official degree audit on file prior to applying for the degree. Sixty hours towards the degree must be completed in residence. Coursework taken out of residence is not allowed in the student’s final semester at the University.

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- Sanchez Building Room 216, (512) 471-3223