



**Bachelor of Science (BS)
Bilingual Education
EC-6th Certification**

2025-2026

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The 2024-2026 list of core courses can be found in the 2024-2026 Undergraduate Catalog: www.utrgv.edu/catalog > See 'Bachelors Degree Program Regulations'

Symbols Key

Minimum Grade: A - Excellent; B - Good; C - Satisfactory; D - Below Average; CR - Credit; P - Passing; S - Satisfactory.
Bolded Course #: Program Admission Requirement

General Education Core (GEC) Sections: 010 - Communication; 020 - Mathematics; 030 - Life and Physical Sciences; 040 - Language, Philosophy & Culture; 050 - Creative Arts; 060 - American History; 070 - Government/Political Science; 080 - Social and Behavioral Sciences; 090 - Applied Communication and Literacies; 090 - Humanities; 090 - Leadership; 090 - Science Labs; 090 - Interdisciplinary; 090 - Technologies; 090 - Language Diversity & Writing.

Students will complete a 6-credit hour clinical teaching experience through EDCI 4637 or EDCI 4331 and EDCI 4332. The EDCI 4331 and EDCI 4332 course sequence is only for students completing the Clinical Teaching Residency Pathway. The two courses are to be taken the last year of the program. Please consult with the program coordinator for more information.

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THIRD YEAR	FALL	3	EDCI 3331	Human Development and Student Learning			Admission to the College of Education EC-6 Teacher Education Program. Admission requirements (See Department).	
		3	EDCI 3332	Designing and Implementing Instruction and Assessment			Admission to the College of Education EC-6 Teacher Education Program. Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		3	READ 3320	Early Literacy Development			Recommended to be taken after admission.	
		3	EDBE 3322	Foundations of Bilingual Education and ESL			Admission to the CEP Educator Preparation Program Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		3	EDBE 3323	The Development of Bilingualism			Admission to the CEP Educator Preparation Program Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
	15 Semester Total Hours							
	SPRING	3	EDCI 3333	Teaching Science to Elementary Students			EDCI 3331 and EDCI 3332 Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		3	EDCI 3334	Teaching Mathematics to Elementary Students			EDCI 3331 and EDCI 3332 Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		3	EDSL 3310	Emergent Bilingual Students in Schools			Admission to the COE Teacher Preparation Program. Field experience hours requirement	
		3	EDBE 3324	Early Bilingualism			Admission to the CEP Educator Preparation Program Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
3		READ 3324	Reading Comprehension and Assessment			READ 3320 and Admission to the CEP Educator Preparation Program. Admission to Teacher Prep if BS in Bilingual education major or BS in education with ESL concentration.		
15 Semester Total Hours								
FOURTH YEAR	FALL	3	EDCI 3335	Teaching Social Studies to Elementary Students			EDCI 3334 Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		3	EDBE 4305	Language Arts in the Bilingual Classroom			Admission to the CEP Educator Preparation Program Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		3	EDBE 4306	The Bilingual Curriculum in the Content Areas			Admission to the CEP Educator Preparation Program Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		3	SPED 4310	Inclusion and Differentiated Instruction in Special Education			Admission to Teacher Prep if education major. No prereq if non education major. Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		12 Semester Total Hours						
	Apply to Clinical Teaching program one semester prior to Student Teaching semester (Spring for Fall and Fall for Spring).							
	SPRING	6	EDCI 4637	Student Teaching for Elementary Teachers (EC-6) or Clinical Teaching Residency I for Elementary Teachers (EC-6) and Clinical Teaching Residency II for Elementary Teachers (EC-6)			Admission to the College of Education Student Teaching Program. All Education courses must be completed prior to admission to Clinical Teaching. Passing identified TEXES certification exams is required before EDCI 4637. Must be taken last semester. EDCI 4331 and EDCI 4332 are an option. Consult with a program coordinator for more information. Department guidance. Only offered Fall or Spring.	
		3	EDCI 4320	Professional Development in Teaching			Admission to clinical teaching. Students must be concurrently enrolled in EDCI 4637 or EDCI 4332.	
	9 Semester Total Hours							

120 TOTAL HOURS
(42) Advanced minimum hours

Revised: Friday, May 9th, 2025