

**William Paterson University, Department of Teacher Education, PreK-12
BA in Early Childhood Education, Preschool – Grade 3 (P-3)**

Before registering for Semester 1 courses, you will need to:	Semester 1 Courses (6 credits)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Successfully complete CIED 2050 and CIED 2160, both with a minimum grade of C. <input type="checkbox"/> Enroll in an appropriate liberal arts or sciences major. <input type="checkbox"/> Achieve a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher at WPU; complete 60 credits <input type="checkbox"/> Apply for a background check before Semester I . https://www.wpunj.edu/coe/departments/field/substitute-license.html <input type="checkbox"/> Achieve at least a C in each major course and maintain a 3.0 GPA in education courses. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact Dr. Mankiw for course permits (Mankiws@wpunj.edu) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> CIED 2070 Educational Practices in Inclusive Environments (20 hours field experience) (3 credits) <input type="checkbox"/> CIED 2140 Developing Pedagogical Content Knowledge in K-6 Mathematics (3 credits) <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 2000 Preparing for the Education Profession (0 credit)
Before registering for Semester 2 courses, you will need to:	Semester 2 Courses (6 credits)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Submit clinical applications for Clinical Experience: CIEC 2400; Clinical Practice I: EDUC 4200; Clinical Practice II: EDUC 4340. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Click: Online Clinical Application Portal: https://www.wpunj.edu/coe/departments/field/applications.html <input type="checkbox"/> Obtain a NJ substitute credential, required for district placements. A sub license can be applied for upon completion of 30 credits. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> https://www.wpunj.edu/coe/departments/field/substitute-license.html <input type="checkbox"/> Contact Dr. Mankiw for course permits (Mankiws@wpunj.edu). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> CIEC 2400 Early Childhood Clinical Experience and Seminar (1 day/week in the field) (1 credit) <input type="checkbox"/> CIEC 3200 Environments in EC Classrooms (2 credits) <input type="checkbox"/> CIEC 3250 Language and Literacy Development, Preschool to Kindergarten (3 credits)
Before registering for Semester 3 courses, you will need to:	Semester 3 courses (12 credits)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Successfully complete all UCC courses in Areas A through M. <input type="checkbox"/> Successfully complete other required courses--second math course (CIED 2140), second science course, and second History in American history. <input type="checkbox"/> Maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA. <input type="checkbox"/> Take the Praxis II exam in Early Childhood Content Knowledge (test code 5025) to continue to Semester 3: CP 1 (WP recipient code 2518) <input type="checkbox"/> The Clinical Practice I and II (Semesters 3 & 4) should be the last two semesters before graduation <input type="checkbox"/> Contact Dr. Mankiw for permits (Mankiws@wpunj.edu) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> CIED 3400 Teaching & Learning Mathematics in Early Childhood (3 credits) <input type="checkbox"/> CIEC 3500 Critical Literacy Across the Content Areas & Assessment (3 credits) <input type="checkbox"/> CIEC 3600 Language & Literacy in Early Elementary: Grades 1-3 (3 credits) <input type="checkbox"/> CIED 3150 Early Childhood Professional Learning Seminar (2 credits) <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 4200 Clinical Practice I: (3 days/week in the field) (1 credit)
Before registering for Semester 4 courses, you will need to:	Semester 4 Courses (12 credits)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> The PRAXIS II exam in Early Childhood Content Knowledge (#5025) must be passed before entering Clinical Practice II and official passing Praxis II scores must be received by the Office of Field Experiences (WP recipient code 2518) by August 15st to enter Clinical II in the fall semester and by January 15th in the spring semester. <input type="checkbox"/> Candidates are not permitted to enroll in more than one additional course during the Clinical II semester. <input type="checkbox"/> Contact Dr. Mankiw for permits, Mankiws@wpunj.edu 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> CIEC 3800 Supporting Language & Literacy Development for Diverse Learners (3 credits) <input type="checkbox"/> EDU 4340 Clinical Practice II : Connecting Theory, Practice, and Community in Education: Early Childhood: (5 days/week in the field) (6 credits)