EDUCATION MINOR

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The undergraduate minor in education is appropriate for undergraduate
students interested in furthering their knowledge of education as a
means of career development or to enhance their understanding of
current schooling, community, and policy directions.

The minor requires an application to the School of Education
(http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/schools-college/education/
admissiontext) that consists of a statement of interest and purpose,
and an academic plan. The application process is intended to ensure the
student's commitment to completing the minor. Applications are opened
and submitted every semester. Priority is given to juniors, seniors, and
students intending to enter the bachelor's–master's M.A.T. program. If
you intend to declare human development and family studies (B.A.Ed.) as
your undergraduate major, you are not eligible to complete this minor in
education.

Students may apply any year during their undergraduate career.

More information is available on the school's Web site (http://
soe.unc.edu/academics/education-minor).

Department Programs

Major

• Human Development and Family Studies, B.A.Ed. (http://
catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/human-
development-family-studies-baed)

Minor

• Education Minor (p. 1)

Requirements

In addition to the program requirements listed below, students must:

• take at least nine hours of their minor course requirements at UNC–
  Chapel Hill
• earn a minimum of 12 hours of C or better in the minor (some minors
  require more)

For more information, please consult the degree requirements section of
the catalog (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/general-education-
curriculum-degree-requirements/#degerequirementstext).

The minor consists of five courses.

Three courses in the School of Education: 9

EDUC 504 Learning in the Modern World
EDUC 505 Leadership in Educational/Nonprofit Settings
EDUC 506 Politics, Policymaking, and America's Schools
EDUC 508 Equity, Leadership, and You
EDUC 509 Helping Youth Thrive in K-12 Schools
EDUC 510 Mexican American and Chicana/o Experience in
Education
EDUC 511 Politics of Reading
EDUC 521 Schools, Cultures, and Communities I: Youth
EDUC 522 Schools, Cultures, and Communities II: Schools
EDUC 524 Learning on the Edge: Theories of Experiential
Education
EDUC 525 Human Abilities and Online Learning
EDUC 526 Ethics and Education: From Global Problems to
Classroom Dilemmas
EDUC 527 Screen Education: Representations of Education in
Popular Culture
EDUC 529 Education in American Society
EDUC 533 Social Justice in Education

One course in the College of Arts and Sciences: 3

COMM 318 Cultural Diversity
ENGL 291 The Illustrated Book: History of Illustration in
Children's Texts
HIST 367 North Carolina History since 1865
PLCY 530 Educational Problems and Policy Solutions H
PSYC 250 Child Development H
PSYC 471 The Study of Adolescent Issues and Development
SOCI 130 Family and Society
SOCI 423 Sociology of Education, Experiential Education
SOCI 425 Family and Society, Junior/Senior Section
SOCI 426 Sociology of Education

Education Capstone Course

EDUC 697 Education Minor Capstone Course 1 3

Total Hours 15

H Honors version available. An honors course fulfills the same
requirements as the nonhonors version of that course. Enrollment
and GPA restrictions may apply.

1 To be taken after completing three of the other required courses for
the minor