



**BACHELOR of SCIENCE in PHYSICAL EDUCATION (#587)  
TEACHER EDUCATION**

Department of Kinesiology, Recreation and Sport  
College of Health and Human Services  
Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

**Success Markers**

**SAMPLE - 4 year plan**

FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<i>Visit the Math Lab for free tutoring</i>  <i>Think about adding a health minor</i>	MATH 109 General Mathematics or MATH116 College Algebra (F-QR)	3	ENG 100* Intro to College Writing (F-W1)	3
	HIST 101 or HIST 102 World History (F-SB)	3	PSY 100 Intro to Psychology (E-SB)	3
	COMM 145* Fundamentals of Public Speaking and Communication (F-OC)	3	GEOG/GEOL 103 Our Dynamic Planet (E-NS)	3
	Arts & Humanities (E-AH)	3	PE 121 Dance & Rhyth Activities	2
	PE 122 Foundations of Kinesiology	3	EDU 250 Intro to Teacher Education	3
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>14</b>

SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<i>Volunteer or Join a Student Organization like PE Majors Club Green Toppers</i>  <i>Register to take CORE Exam (required for Teacher Education)</i>	ENG 200 Intro to Literature (F-AH)	3	ENG 300 Writing in Disciplines (F-W2)	3
	BIOL 131 Human Anatomy & Physiology* (E-NS, SL)	4	Required Connections: HMD 211 Human Nutrition (K-SY)	3
	PE 111 Movement Themes & Concepts I 1 <sup>st</sup> Bi-term	2	World Language, if needed, OR General Elective	3
	PE 123 Movement Themes & Concepts II 2 <sup>nd</sup> Bi-term	2	PE 220 Skill Progression & Assessment 1 <sup>st</sup> Bi-term	2
	PE 211 Net/Wall & Target Sports 1 <sup>st</sup> Bi-term	2	PE 222 Fitness/Wellness Applications 2 <sup>nd</sup> Bi-term	2
	PE 212 Striking/Fielding & Invasion Sports 2 <sup>nd</sup> Bi-term	2	PE 223 Intro to Teaching Physical Education	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>	

**World Language Proficiency:** All students entering in fall 2014 or later must demonstrate proficiency in a world language at the Novice High level before completing 60 credit hours. Novice high is the ability to communicate in writing and speaking on familiar topics in simple sentences. To meet this requirement, students may take college language courses or take a proficiency test. For more information go to:

<http://www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement/>.

THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<i>Visit Career Services</i> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; transform: rotate(-2deg); display: inline-block;"> <i>Complete application for admittance in Teacher</i> </div>	Connections -Social & Cultural (K-SC)	3	Connections –Local to Global (K-LG)	3
	PE 310 Kinesiology (BIOL 131)	3	PE 314 Physical Education Curriculum	3
	PE 311 Exercise Physiology (BIOL 131)	3	PE 320 Methods in EMC Physical Education	2
	PE 313 Motor Development	3	PETE 322 Field Experience in Physical Education I	2
	PE 319 Adapted Physical Education	3	PE 324 Evaluations in Physical Education	3
	PE Activity Elective	1	PE 483 Technology Applications in Physical Education	1
			PSY 310 (PSY 100)	3
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>17</b>
FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
<i>Apply for Graduation (YEA) direct link</i>  <i>Celebrate</i>	PE 300 Outdoor Educational Activities	2	SEC 489 Student Teaching TWS Seminar	3
	PETE 415 Field Experience in Physical Education II	2	ELED 490 Student Teaching Elementary	5
	PE 416 Special Topics in Physical Education	1	MGR 490 Student Teaching Middle School <b>OR</b> SEC 490 Student Teaching Secondary	5
	SEC 478 Teaching Physical Education	3		
	SPED 330	3		
	Elective (minor)	3		
	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>13</b>

**Total Credit Hours:120**

**Colonnade Program:** All students entering in fall 2014 or later must complete 39 hours in 13 specific Colonnade areas. Colonnade areas are listed in parentheses marked in blue after the corresponding classes. Some areas may have specific course requirements while others can be chosen from selected lists of options. For more details and to see lists of options, go to [http://www.wku.edu/colonnade/documents/approved\\_colonnade\\_courses\\_website.pdf](http://www.wku.edu/colonnade/documents/approved_colonnade_courses_website.pdf).

**For more Information:**

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