

# Certificate in Elementary Education K-6

## Description

The Certificate in Elementary Education K-6 provides a structured pathway for secondary teachers seeking to earn an Elementary K-6 endorsement. The program is designed for licensed secondary (7-12) educators with a 5-year standard renewable license and at least three years of teaching experience.

### Minimum Total Credit Hours: 15

### Course Requirements

The certificate program consists of the following 15 credit hours:

- EDEL 610 - STEM Methods (3 credit hours)
- EDRD 655 - Early Literacy Instruction I & II (6 credit hours)
- EDRD 614 - Reading Diagnosis and Intervention (3 credit hours)
- EDRD 602 - Reading & Writing Across the Curriculum (3 credit hours)

### Other Academic Requirements

Educators completing this coursework will also be required by MDE to pass the Foundations of Reading Test (190) to earn the K-6 endorsement.

