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Multiple Subject Credential Program

The SB 2042 Multiple Subject Credential Program is an accredited (CTC/NCATE) professional preparation program. This program prepares candidates to teach multiple subjects in a self-contained classroom. Candidates are certified to meet the needs of English Learners through the English Language Development component (AB 1059). Teachers with this credential teach elementary (K-6) grades. This is a one-year program with courses offered in the late afternoon and early evenings.

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Multiple Subject Credential: Program Requirements

Interested candidates must complete a two-part application process:
1. Apply for admission to CSUB. Applications are online at: www.csumb.edu. Please indicate the degree objective as EDUC/CRED.
2. Apply for admission to Multiple Subject Credential Program. Applications are online at: www.csusb.edu/sse/teacher_education.

Program Admission Requirements
- Attend a Mandatory Group Information and Application Session.
- CSET: All candidates must pass the California Subject Examination for Teachers (CSET subtest I, II, III) prior to admission to the credential program. (Exception applies to Blended program students).
- CBEST: All candidates must have attempted the California Basic Educational Skills Test prior to admission to the credential program.
- Fingerprint Clearance: Certificate of Clearance, Emergency, or Substitute Permit issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.
- TB Certificate: Current certificate of freedom from Tuberculosis.
- Professional Liability Insurance: Purchase Professional Liability Insurance at the Cashier’s window or online. Valid for one year from purchase date.
- Interview and Writing Assessment
- GPA of 2.75 for last 90 quarter units

Pre-Requisite Courses
- EDTE 300 Early Field Experience in Education (3)
  Note: 45 hours of field component required in this course

Foundational Courses
- EDSP 301 Teaching Exceptional Learners (3)
- EDTE 410 Teaching English Learners (4)
- EDTE 416 Socio-Cultural Foundations of Education (3)
- U.S. Constitution: Complete an appropriate course or exam at CSUB or at another institution
  Foundational Courses can be taken any time prior to admission or with Stage I courses.

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A minimum GPA of 3.0 must be maintained in all credential coursework. A course with a grade lower than a "C" must be repeated.

Stage I
- EDTE 415 Technology for Educators (3)
- EDEL 460 Language & Literacy for Diverse Classrooms I (4)
- EDEL 461 Math Methods/Assessment (4)
- EDEL 462 Learning Theories & Classroom Management (4)
- EDTE 401 TPA 1 Subject Specific Pedagogy (1)
  Note: EDTE 401 must be taken concurrently with EDEL 461.

Stage II
- EDEL 463 Language & Literacy for Diverse Classrooms II (4)
- EDEL 464 Science Methods/Assessment (4)
- EDEL 465 Social Studies Methods/Assessment (4)
- EDTE 402 TPA 2 Designing Instruction (1)
  Notes: EDTE 402 must be taken concurrently with EDEL 464. Take the RICA Exam upon completion of Stage II.

Stage III
To begin Stage III, candidates must have completed all prior coursework, passed CSET and CBEST exams, passed TPA 1 & 2, and have obtained TB Certificate, valid Fingerprint Clearance, and current Liability Insurance.
- EDEL 498 Student Teaching (Full day teaching at school site) (10)
- EDTE 403 TPA 3 Assessing Learning (1)
- EDTE 404 TPA 4 Culminating Activity (2)

* Fieldwork (10 hours)

Please Note: Program requirements may change with new legislation and/or CTC requirements