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Early Childhood Education (Pre-K through 3rd Grade)

Northwestern State University (NSU) is proud to offer a B.S. in Early Childhood Education for teachers who want to work with preschool through 3rd grade children. This program prepares teachers to work with young children, their families, and their communities to positively impact all children's lives. The program is comprised of Education courses and Practicum experiences that address the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) standards and is nationally recognized by NAEYC and the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP). Through the completion of coursework, students engage in critical and creative thinking and problem solving as they practice differentiating content to meet all students' needs while modeling culturally responsive practices.

The program seeks to prepare teachers of young children for real classrooms in the real world. Students are consistently involved in analyzing best practices for teaching young children, designing and implementing developmentally appropriate activities for young children, and assessing and documenting young children's development.

A teacher education degree from Northwestern State University can transform your life. Then, you can transform the life of a child, a classroom, a school, a community, the world.





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