

TEACHER EDUCATION MAJORS

Spring 2019 Important Dates

Bloodborne Pathogens: Protection in the Educational Environment (OSHA)

Tuesday, February 5th	4:00-4:50 PM	McCollum Science Hall 137
<i>or</i> Wednesday, February 6th	4:00-4:50 PM	McCollum Science Hall 137
<i>or</i> Thursday, February 7th	4:00-4:50 PM	McCollum Science Hall 137

You do not need to sign up beforehand.

High Risk Behaviors and Substance Abuse Training

Online

All students who have declared a teacher education major should have access to this training on eLearning, under the heading "Teacher Education Trainings". The training is followed by an assessment that must be successfully completed before you will be issued a "Certificate of Completion".

Mandatory Reporter of Child and Dependent Adult Abuse Training

Monday, March 11th 3:00-6:00 PM Location TBA

You MUST be present for the entire three-hour session. You may not arrive late nor leave early. You do not need to sign up beforehand.

Teacher Education Induction Convocation Ceremony

Wednesday, March 27th 4:00-5:30 PM

Gallagher-Bluedorn Performing Arts Center (GBPAC)

You must be admitted to UNI's Teacher Education Program by 5:00 PM on Wednesday, February 13th in order to receive an invitation to this semester's ceremony.

Participation Week (Level III Field Experience)

March 4th - 8th

PRAXIS Core Testing

Praxis Core tests measure your academic skills in reading, writing and mathematics. Registration is online at www.ets.org/praxis/register. **Select** UNI (#6307) as your score recipient. The ETS website gives available testing dates and times at UNI for the next two months. If these dates and times do not fit your schedule you may take your test at another test center, where the testing dates and times may be different. The UNI test site is in the Innovative Teaching and Technology Center (ITTC), room 007.

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Spring 2020 Student Teaching Orientation

Tuesday, February 5th	4:00-6:00 PM	Schindler 220
<i>or</i> Wednesday, February 6th	3:00-5:00 PM	Schindler 220
<i>or</i> Thursday, January 31st	5:30-7:30 PM	Schindler 220

Fall 2019 Student Teaching Interviews

Friday, January 25th	8:30 AM-1:00 PM	Maucker Union Ballroom
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Fall 2019 Student Teaching Fingerprinting

TBA

Fall 2019 Student Teaching Placement Meetings

Thursday, April 11th Time and location TBA

Praxis II Tests

Register online at www.ets.org/praxis/register. **Select** UNI (#6307) as your score recipient. It is your responsibility to see that UNI receives a copy of your official score report(s). We do NOT accept a Test Taker Score Report (your copy of your scores). Plan to take both Praxis II exams at least three months before you student teach. This will give you time to retake the tests if necessary or to order an official score report for UNI if you forgot to select us as a recipient when you registered for the tests.

Accepting Teaching or Long-term Substitution Contracts

Do NOT accept a teaching or long-term substitution contract unless:

- you have completed High Risk Behaviors & Substance Abuse training
- you have taken AND passed both Praxis II tests
- you have arranged for your official Praxis II score report(s) to be sent to UNI
- the Registrar's Office has recommended you for licensure with the Iowa Board of Educational Examiners (BOEE)
- AND the Iowa BOEE **has issued** an Initial Educator license to you.