



Pathway: Teaching & Training

Plan of Study: Teacher

Career Goal (O*Net Code): Examples: Elementary School Teacher (25-2021); Middle School Teacher (25-2022); Vocational Education Teacher (25-2023); Secondary School Teacher (25-2031); Special Education Teacher (25-2041/25-2043); Coach (27-2022); Postsecondary Teacher (25-1000); Teacher Assistant (25-9041).

Suggested High School Courses

Grade	Core Academic Courses*:		Suggested Electives:
	9 th	Freshman English, Earth Science, Foundations of Algebra or Algebra 1, Physical Education 9, Geography, Health	
10 th	Core Academic Courses*:	Sophomore English, Algebra 1 or 2, Foundations of Geometry or Formal Geometry, Physical Education, Biology, Western Civilization 1 or Humanities, Western Civilization 2,	Suggested Electives: Beginning Office Applications Foreign Language
	Career Path Courses:	Child Development/Parenting	
11 th	Core Academic Courses*:	Foundations of Geometry or Formal Geometry or Trigonometry, Physical Science or Chemistry or Physics, US History/19 th Century, US History/20 th Century, American Literature, Language Arts Credit	Suggested Electives: Business Communications Desk Top Publishing
	Career Path Courses:	Teacher Cadet I	
12 th	Core Academic Courses*:	AP English, Trigonometry or Pre Calculus, Calculus, Chemistry or Physics, Federal Government or AP Government, Economics	Suggested Electives: Art Music Psychology
	Career Path Courses:	Teacher Cadet II	

Secondary to Postsecondary Linkages & Certifications

Recognition for Advanced Learning	Postsecondary Credit Options: The Colorado Community Colleges and some four-year institutions (including University of Northern Colorado) will accept Teacher Cadet for the Introduction to Teaching (EDU 221) course and/or field experience. Dual credit or PSEO may be available for credit at four-year institutions and community colleges for academic courses.
	Industry Recognized Certificate(s) or License(s): Not Applicable

Postsecondary Programs Available in Colorado

Colorado Institutions

Entrance Exams/Requirements

Postsecondary Education Opportunities	Certificate	Associate Degree	Bachelor Degree	Graduate Degree
	Early Childhood Group Leader Early Childhood Director	Early Childhood Education	Early Childhood, Teacher Education – Elementary, Teacher Education Secondary, Special Education, Human Performance & Physical Education, Physical Education	Teacher Education, MA; Educational Equity & Cultural Diversity, MA & PhD; Educational Foundations, Policy, Practice, MS & PhD; Education Leadership, MA & PhD; Special Education, MA; Special Education, MA & Ed.D, Human Performance & Physical Education, MA
			Fort Lewis College, Adams State College, CSU, CSU- Pueblo, CU-Colorado Springs, CU-Denver, UNC, Mesa State College More options at: www.collegeincolorado.org	CU-Denver, Adams State College, CSU, CSU-Pueblo, Mesa State College, CU-Boulder, CU-Colorado Springs, UNC More options at: www.collegeincolorado.org

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COLORADO COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM

Cluster Overview: The **Education and Training Career Cluster** prepares students for careers in planning, managing and providing education and training services, and related learning support services.

Extended Learning Experiences		
Curricular Experiences: Examples: Family, Career and Community Leaders of America	Extracurricular Experiences: Examples: Language Immersion Programs School Newspaper Speech & Debate Team Student Government Summer-Camp Counselor Coach	
Work-Based Learning Experiences: Career Preparation – Paid and Unpaid, Job Shadowing, Internships	Program Accreditation and/or Professional Association(s): Examples: National Education Association PHI DELTA KAPPA International Discipline-Specific Professional Association	
Service Learning Experiences: Examples: Before/After-School Aide, Campus Service Organizations, Community Service Volunteer, Peer Tutoring / Peer Mentoring		
Career Options:		Salary Range:
Certificate	Teacher Assistant, Educational Aide I	\$
Associate Degree	Career and Technical Education Teacher, After-School Program Supervisor, Assistant Teacher, Group Worker/Assistant	\$ - \$\$
Bachelor Degree	Secondary School Teacher, Elementary School Teacher, Coach Middle School Teacher, Recreation Attendant, Adult Educator, County Extension Agent	\$\$
Graduate Degree	Postsecondary Teacher, Special Education Teacher, Adult Educator, County Extension Director, University Instructor/Professor, Secondary Teacher	\$\$ - \$\$\$

\$ = \$15-25,000; \$\$ = \$25-55,000; \$\$\$ = \$55-90,000; \$\$\$\$ = Above \$90,000

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