M.Ed., Early Childhood Education  
Northwestern State University  
Degree Program

EDCI 5020 Curriculum Development for School Improvement  
EDCI 5030 Instructional Improvement and Assessment  
EDUC 5840 Research Based Decision-Making in Education  
ECED 5010 Advanced Child Development  
or  
ECED 5510 Appropriate Practices for Early Childhood Development and Diversity (Birth-8)

ECED 5520 Curriculum and Spaces for Infants and Toddlers  
ECED 5530 Positive Relationships with Children, Families and Communities  
ECED 5540 Trends and Issues in Contemporary Early Childhood/ Primary Programs  
ECED 5550 Early Childhood/ Primary Admin and Ethics  
ECED 5560 Early Childhood/ Primary Learning Space Design  
ECED 5570 Early Childhood/ Primary Curriculum and Standards  
ECED 5580 Early Childhood/ Primary Practicum: Performance Based Assessment and Documentation

To be taken concurrently-  
EDUC 5850 Action Research for School Improvement  
or  
EDUC 5980 Thesis