

SPANISH TEACHER CERTIFICATION IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER IN GRADES K-6 (B.A.)

Students who wish to pursue K-6 teacher certification in Elementary Education must apply to and be admitted to the Teacher Education Program. Please visit the Teacher Education Program website (<https://www.montclair.edu/center-of-pedagogy/>) for the required professional sequence of courses and other important Program requirements, guidelines, and procedures. Students also are strongly advised to review the Teacher Education Program Handbook.

120 credits of coursework is required for the baccalaureate degree with a minimum 3.0 overall GPA. Major GPA requirements differ depending on field of study. Consult the Teacher Education Program Handbook for more information.

Program Requirements Overview

Code	Title	Credits
	General Education Requirements	21
	World Languages and Cultures Requirements	0
	Major Requirements	30-39
	Teacher Education Requirements	60
	Free Electives	9-0
Total Credits		120

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Prerequisites		
These courses will be waived for students who place above this level. 0-9		
SPAN 101	Spanish I	
SPAN 102	Spanish II	
SPAN 103	Spanish III	
Required Courses		
<i>Language Elective</i>		
Complete one course from the following:		3
SPAN 135	Basic Spanish for Heritage Learners	
SPAN 241	Fundamentals of Spanish Grammar	
SPAN 242	Spanish Composition and Stylistics	
<i>Culture Elective</i>		
Complete one course from the following:		3
LALS 201	Perspectives on Latin America	
LALS 205	Image and Identity: Representation of Latin American Women in Film and Fiction	
SPAN 145	Spanish Language Review Through Literature, Culture and Film	
SPAN 376	Cultural Studies: Latin America and the Caribbean	
Electives		

Complete 8 courses from the list below. Only 2 LALS courses may be completed (counting required courses and electives).

Total Credits **30-39**

Electives

Code	Title	Credits
LALS 201	Perspectives on Latin America	3
LALS 205	Image and Identity: Representation of Latin American Women in Film and Fiction	3
LALS 390	Special Topics in Latin American and Latino Studies	3
LALS 401	Capstone Course in Latin American and Latino Studies	3
SPAN 221	Spanish for Business	3
SPAN 332	Negotiation Skills in Spanish	3
SPAN 343	Introduction to Spanish Phonetics	3
SPAN 344	Spanish Conversation	3
SPAN 346	Special Topics in the Spanish Language	3
SPAN 347	Spanish in the United States	3
SPAN 348	Introduction to Hispanic Linguistics	3
SPAN 349	Introduction to Hispanic Literary Studies	3
SPAN 350	Theory and Practice of Translation	3
SPAN 351	Fundamentals of Specialized Translation	3
SPAN 361	Voices of the Past and Present: Spain	3
SPAN 363	Voices of the Past and Present: Latin America	3
SPAN 373	Special Topics in Spanish and Latin American Literature	3
SPAN 374	Cultural Studies: Spain	3
SPAN 375	Spanish Study Abroad	3
SPAN 376	Cultural Studies: Latin America and the Caribbean	3
SPAN 410	Advanced Spanish Grammar	3
SPAN 415	Introduction to Computer-Assisted Translation	3
SPAN 420	Audiovisual Translation	3
SPAN 421	Special Topics in Teaching Spanish K-12	3
SPAN 429	Audio Description	3
SPAN 439	Spanish Film and Fiction	3
SPAN 441	Contemporary Spanish Novel	3
SPAN 442	Spanish Poetry and Drama of the 19th Century	3
SPAN 443	Spanish Prose of the 19th Century	3
SPAN 444	Contemporary Spanish Theater	3
SPAN 446	The Latin American Essay and Crónica	3
SPAN 447	Short Stories and Cross-Cultural Processes in the Spanish-Speaking World	3
SPAN 448	Poetics of Resistance in Hispanic Poetry	3
SPAN 449	Negotiating Identity and Power in the Hispanic Novel	3
SPAN 450	Introduction to Interpreting	3
SPAN 452	Capstone Course in Translation	3
SPAN 453	Bilingual Prose Workshop: Fiction and Non-Fiction Writing	3
SPAN 454	Bilingual Poetry Workshop: Writing Poetry in the 21st Century	3
SPAN 455	Literary Translation: Crossing Borders in Poetry and Fiction	3

SPAN 460	El Quijote	3
SPAN 466	Scripts and Stages: Hispanic Theater and Performance	3
SPAN 469	The Drama of the Golden Age	3
SPAN 470	Senior Seminar	3
SPAN 471	Contemporary Trends in the Spanish-American Novel	3
SPAN 472	Puerto Rican Literature and Thought	3
SPAN 473	Sexual Subversion in Contemporary Hispanic Literature and Film	3
SPAN 480	Independent Study	3

Teacher Education Program Requirements

Teacher Education Program Requirements (Teacher Certification in Elementary School Teacher Grades K-6) (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/teacher-education-program-requirements-k6/>)

General Education Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill General Education categories. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/general-education-requirements-ba-bs/>)

Code	Title	Credits
A. New Student Seminar		
Complete a 1 credit New Student Seminar course.		1
C. Communication		
1. Writing		3
2. Literature		3
3. Communication		
CMST 101	Fundamentals of Speech: Communication Requirement (Fulfilled in the Teacher Education sequence.)	
D. Fine and Performing Arts		
Complete a 3 credit Fine and Performing Arts course.		3
F. Humanities		
1. Great Works and Their Influences		3
2. Philosophical and Religious Perspectives		
EDFD 220	Philosophical Orientation to Education (Fulfilled in the Teacher Education sequence.)	
G. Computer Science		
Complete a 3 credit Computer Science course.		3
H. Mathematics		
MTHM 201	Mathematics in Elementary Schools I (Fulfilled in the Teacher Education sequence.)	
I. Natural Science Laboratory		
Complete a 4 credit Natural Science Laboratory course that also fulfills the Teacher Education Health/Hygiene requirement.		4
J. Physical Education		
Complete a 1 credit Physical Education course.		1
K. Social Science		
1. American and European History		
EDFD 221	Historical Foundations of American Education (Fulfilled in the Teacher Education sequence.)	
2. Global Cultural Perspectives		
Fulfilled in the major.		

LALS 201	Perspectives on Latin America	
or LALS 205 Image and Identity: Representation of Latin American Women in Film and Fiction		
3. Social Science Perspectives		
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology (Fulfilled in the Teacher Education sequence.)	
L. Interdisciplinary Studies		
ECEL 200	Perspectives on Early Childhood and Elementary Education in a Democracy (Fulfilled in the Teacher Education sequence.)	
Total Credits		21

World Languages and Cultures Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill World Languages and Cultures categories. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/world-languages-and-cultures-requirements/>)

Code	Title	Credits
World Languages		
Fulfilled by the major.		0
World Cultures		
Fulfilled in the major.		
SPAN 374	Cultural Studies: Spain	
or SPAN 376 Cultural Studies: Latin America and the Caribbean		
Total Credits		0

Recommended Roadmap to Degree Completion

This four-year plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their degree requirements within four years. This plan is a recommendation and students should only use it in consultation with their academic advisor.

First Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
GENERAL EDUCATION: (A) New Student Seminar		1 GENERAL EDUCATION: (C2) Literature	3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (C1) Writing		3 GENERAL EDUCATION: (G) Computer Science	3
CMST 101		3 EDFD 221	3
LALS 201 or 205		3 FSHD 214	3
PSYC 101		3 SPAN 145, LALS 201, or LALS 205	3
SPAN 135, 241, or 242		3	
		16	15

Second Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
GENERAL EDUCATION: (F1) Humanities – Great Works and Their Influences		3 GENERAL EDUCATION: (D) Fine and Performing Arts	3

GENERAL EDUCATION: (J) Physical Education	1	GENERAL EDUCATION: (I) Natural Science Laboratory	4
ECEL 200	3	EDFD 220	3
MTHM 201	3	SPAN Elective course	3
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	16		16

Third Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
ECEL 279		3 ECEL 408	3
FSHD 314		3 ECSE 339	3
MTHM 302		3 SPAN 376	3
READ 399		3 SPAN Elective course	3
SPAN Elective course		3 SPAN Elective course	3
	15		15

Fourth Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
ECEL 410		2 ECEL 414	9
ECEL 412		1 ECEL 421	3
ECEL 427	3		
READ 408	3		
SPAN Elective course	3		
SPAN Elective course	3		
	15		12

Total Credits 120