Multiple Subject Teaching Credential

Teach with Confidence. Inspire for Life.

The FPU Multiple Subject Teaching Credential program equips you with the skills, experience and knowledge to become a confident and effective educator. With a seamless pathway to earning your California credential, you'll be ready to lead and inspire in classrooms across the state.



Inspire the Next Generation Through Teaching

Teaching is more than a career — it's a calling. Earning a multiple subject teaching credential prepares you to educate and inspire young learners across a variety of subjects in grades K-6. Whether you dream of leading an elementary classroom, shaping young minds or making a lasting impact on future generations, here are a few reasons to take the next step:

- Seeing students grow, discover new skills and build a strong educational foundation makes teaching one of the most fulfilling professions.
- Teach foundational skills across multiple subjects and spark curiosity in young learners, inspiring a love for learning.
- Beyond academics, elementary teachers serve as role models, fostering confidence and resilience in students.
- Engaging & Dynamic Work Environment Every day in the classroom is different, allowing you to bring creativity and innovation to your teaching.
- Teaching helps you develop leadership, communication and problem-solving skills that are valuable in any career.
- Professional Growth As a credentialed teacher, you'll have access to ongoing development, career progression and the chance to take on leadership roles.
- Elementary teachers shape students' academic, social and emotional growth, setting them up for future success and making a lasting impact.



FPU Program Highlights

Unit Count of Program: 37 units

- Aligned with California Standards Our program meets California's credentialing requirements, ensuring you're fully prepared to teach in the state.
- Gain real-world experience through student teaching placements in local schools, preparing you for the classroom.
- FPU's credential programs are accredited by the California Commission on Teaching Credentialing (www.ctc.ca.gov).
- Experience a curriculum that equips you to teach students from various backgrounds and learning needs.

- Learn from experienced educators who provide mentorship, guidance and insights to help you succeed.
- After completing your credential, students have the option to obtain an M.A. in Teaching at FPU with an additional 12 units.
- A dual program for the California Bilingual Added Authorization is also available.
- Offered onsite at the main Fresno campus and the Visalia Campus.

Curriculum Built for Tomorrow's Educators

Fresno Pacific University's Multiple Subject Teaching Credential program provides a strong foundation in instructional strategies, classroom management and child development. Through hands-on learning and expert guidance, you'll gain the skills needed to create engaging, effective learning experiences for students.

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Course Prefix		Units
EDUC 604	Foundations of Education	4
EDUC 605	Teaching the Exceptional Learner	3
EDUC 637	Curriculum Perspectives and Design: Multiple Subjects	3
EDUC 638	Health Education for Teachers	2
EDUC 642	Language and Literacy: Theory and Practice I	4
EDUC 643	Teaching Elementary Mathematics	2
EDUC 644	Teaching with Technology	2
EDUC 645	Curriculum Design and Implementation: Multiple Subject	3
EDUC 646	Language and Literacy: Theory and Practice II	3
EDUC 647	Teaching Elementary Science	2
Choose one of	the following tracks:	
Student Teaching Track		
EDUC 610 or	Directed Initial Student Teaching: Multiple Subject	2
EDUC 633 and	Extended Initial Directed Student Teaching I: Multiple Subjects	1
EDUC 633B	Extended Initial Directed Student Teaching II: Multiple Subjects	1
EDUC 630	Directed Final Student Teaching: Multiple Subject	6
Independent Teaching Track		
EDUC 662	Independent Teaching Practicum	3
EDUC 664A	Independent Teaching I	3
EDUC 664B	Independent Teaching II	3
EDUC 640C	Independent Teaching III: Multiple Subject	6

The courses listed above provide a sample overview of our program. Please meet with your academic advisor or visit **fpu.edu/catalog** to finalize your course registration and sequence.

Application and Admission Information
To be considered for admission to FPU's Multiple Subject Credential program, please submit the following items:
Completed Application for Admission and \$45 non-refundable application fee. fpu.edu/applygrad
Official college/university transcript(s) verifying receipt of a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution and any post-baccalaureate work.
 If you are currently finishing up your degree, please submit current transcript.
 A final transcript will need to be submitted before you may enroll in classes.
 Transcripts can be sent electronically by your institution to trans.evaluator@fresno.edu or via mail in an envelope sealed by your institution to:
Fresno Pacific University Office of the Registrar 1717 S. Chestnut Ave.
Fresno, CA 93702
If your cumulative GPA for your bachelor's degree is below a 3.0 (4.0 scale), a letter of explanation is required.
Reference Forms – Two references are required for the multiple subject credential program.
 Form can be found at fpu.edu/teacher-education-reference
Certificate of Clearance
Verification of current negative TB test (within 12 months)

View our State Professional Licensing and Certificate Disclosure at **fpu.edu/about/disclosure-documents**.



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