

# All-Level Teacher Certification in Kinesiology

130 Semester hours (42 upper-division)

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**English/Rhetoric/Writing (semester hours vary)**

\_\_\_\_\_ RHE 306 — Rhetoric and Composition

\_\_\_\_\_ E 316K — Masterworks of Literature

\_\_\_\_\_ E or RHE — 3 semester hours

\_\_\_\_\_ Upper-division Substantial Writing Component Course

**Human Development (6 semester hours)**

\_\_\_\_\_ HDF 313/113L — Child Development and Lab OR

\_\_\_\_\_ EDP 363M — Adolescent Development OR

\_\_\_\_\_ PSY 304 — Child Psychology OR

\_\_\_\_\_ EDP 332 — Psychological Foundations of Education

\_\_\_\_\_ ALD 327 — Sociocultural Influences on Learning

**Language Other Than English (semester hours vary)**

Although the number of hours may vary, based on where the coursework was taken and the language selected, proficiency is required at the second-semester level:

\_\_\_\_\_ Language 306, 406, or 506 (waived if SPN 508K taken at UT)

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**Kinesiology/Health Education (33-36 semester hours)**

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 119 — Adventure Activities (F) (F) Fall only  
(SP) Spring only

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 119 — Ballroom Dance (F and SP)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 119 — Tennis (F and SP)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 119 — Volleyball (F) OR Basketball (SP)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 119 — Rhythmic Activities (SP)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 119 — Gymnastics: Developmental/Sequential (F)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 119 — Swimming (F or SP) - competency or course

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 119 — Movement Competence\* - competency or course

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\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 219D — Movement Analysis: Dual Activities (Sp)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 219S — Movement Analysis: Individual Activities (F)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 219T — Movement Analysis: Team Activities (F)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 315 (or 335) — Motor Learning (SP)

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 321M — Motor Development and Performance

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 324K — Applied Human Anatomy

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 325K — Physiology of Exercise

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 326K — Kinesiology: Biomechanical Analysis of Movement

\_\_\_\_\_ HED 329 — Child and Adolescent Health

\_\_\_\_\_ KIN 360 — Programming for People With Disabilities

\* All movement competencies must be approved by the PETE Coordinator. See back.

**Social Sciences (18 semester hours)**

\_\_\_\_\_ U.S. History — 6 semester hours

\_\_\_\_\_ GOV 310L — American Government

\_\_\_\_\_ GOV 312L — Issues and Policies in American Government

\_\_\_\_\_ PSY 301 — Introduction to Psychology

\_\_\_\_\_ ANT, ECO, GRG, LIN, or SOC — Three semester hours

**Mathematics/Natural Sciences (18 semester hours)**

\_\_\_\_\_ Math 305G or Calculus — 3 semester hours

\_\_\_\_\_ BIO 301L — Molecules to Organisms; or BIO 211 — Introductory Biology: Cell Biology *and* BIO 212 — Introductory Biology: Genetics and Evolution; or BIO 311C — Introductory Biology

\_\_\_\_\_ Chemistry — 6 semester hours

\_\_\_\_\_ \* Math, science (*astronomy, biology, chemistry, geology, physical science, physics, experimental psychology, physical anthropology, physical geography, history of science, or philosophy of science*), computer applications or computer science — 6-7 semester hours (**PHY 302K/102M and a computer course recommended**)

\* Must demonstrate computing proficiency, either by exam or by taking a course (EDC 371 – Computing Tools for Educators recommended) \_\_\_\_\_ Fulfilled

**General Culture (6 semester hours)**

\_\_\_\_\_ Architecture (ARC), Art History (ARH), Art (ART), Visual Art Studies (VAS), Classic Civilization (CC), CMS 306M, Fine Arts (FA), Freshman Seminar (FS), Humanities (HMN), Music (MUS), Philosophy excluding Logic (PHL), or Theatre and Dance (TD) — 6 semester hours

**Electives (additional semester hours to achieve a total 130 semester hours for the degree, if necessary)**

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**Pre-Professional Development Course (3 semester hours)**

\_\_\_\_\_ EDC 370E — Teaching Elementary Physical Education (SP)

**Professional Development Sequence (15 semester hours)**

You must apply and be admitted to the Professional Development Sequence (PDS) before you can take these courses. Please see the reverse side for further information.

**\*\*\* PDS APPLICATION DEADLINE \*\*\* SPRING Entry — OCTOBER 1**

\_\_\_\_\_ EDC 370S — Teaching Secondary Physical Education (SP)

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\_\_\_\_\_ EDC 371 — Curriculum Issues in Physical Education (F)

\_\_\_\_\_ EDC 950W — All-level Teaching Practicum (F)

\_\_\_\_\_ Hours needed to complete degree program as of \_\_\_\_\_

Expected graduation date \_\_\_\_\_

## FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT ALL-LEVEL CERTIFICATION IN KINESIOLOGY

- 1. Applying for the Professional Development Sequence** — Students must apply for admission to the Professional Development Sequence by **October 1** to enter in the Spring semester. Admission requirements include presentation of a minimum 2.5 GPA on all coursework taken at UT Austin, as well as a 2.5 GPA on all Kinesiology coursework, application by the stated deadline, and selection by an admissions committee. In addition, the following coursework must be completed by the time of actual entry into the PDS: all of the KIN 119 courses required on the front, all three KIN 219's, KIN 315, KIN 321M, KIN 360, KIN 324K, EDC 370E, EDC 371 - Computing Tools for Educators (or demonstrated computer proficiency), and at least one of the other KIN courses (325K, 326K, or 333). The application for the Professional Development Sequence is available only online. Contact the Education Services Office (SZB 294) at (512) 471-1511 for information, or visit <http://www.edb.utexas.edu/education/certification/index.php>
- 2. Grade Point Average Requirements** — Starting Fall Semester 2005, students seeking All-level Kinesiology teacher certification must have a minimum grade of 'C' in all courses taken in the major for admission to the professional development sequence. This includes all KIN courses on the front of the sheet. Progression within the PDS also requires the maintenance of a minimum 2.5 cumulative university grade point average, a minimum 2.5 grade point average in all KIN courses taken, and a minimum grade of 'C' in each of the PDS courses. Students who do not maintain the minimum grade point average or make a 'C' in each PDS course (or major courses still being taken) are not allowed to progress within the sequence until the course is repeated and a grade of "C" or above is earned.
- 3. Oral and Written Communication Proficiency** — Your oral and written communication proficiency will be reviewed during the first semester of the Professional Development Sequence. Successful completion of an Individualized Performance Plan (IPP), which outlines steps for addressing difficulties, will be required if necessary.
- 4. Residence Rules for Apprentice Teaching and Certification** — All candidates must do their apprentice teaching in residence at UT Austin. Apprentice teaching must be completed no more than 3 years prior to being recommended to the State for certification, otherwise, additional experience or coursework may be necessary.
- 5. Computer Literacy** — All applicants must prove they are computer literate. Certification seekers may prove proficiency through an examination given by the Office of Instructional Technology (SZB 244, (512) 471-5211), or by completing a computer applications course approved by an advisor.
- 6. Laptop Initiative** — All UT Austin students engaged in teacher preparation professional certification programs are required to have a laptop computer conforming to prescribed hardware and software specifications. These computers will be required for use in most professional development courses and field experiences, will facilitate innovative instructional technology integration in public school teaching, and will equip our graduates for teaching in Texas classrooms of the future. Under this plan, each specific program defines the semester or course when this requirement will affect its students. *Students seeking all-level Kinesiology certification must have the laptop for the Pre-PDS course, EDC 370E - Teaching Elementary Physical Education.* In order to provide the best possible support for students and faculty in the initial years of this innovative project, only one operating system will be supported. For further information, please go to <http://www.edb.utexas.edu/education/life/index.php>
- 7. Testing – State Certification Examinations** — Students are strongly encouraged to take their state certification examinations as soon as possible. Undergraduates may take the state-required TExES (Texas Examinations of Educator Standards) examinations in the last semester of their coursework or after all certification courses are completed. All-Level certification seekers take the TExES Test 160: Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities EC-12, as well as the TExES Test 158: Physical Education EC-12. Currently, the cost of each test is \$82 (subject to change). Study guides are available at <http://texas.ets.org/> under "Preparation Materials".
- 8. Graduation and Residency Requirements** — To receive a degree from the College of Education, a student must have been registered in the college for at least two long-session semesters or the equivalent. A candidate for a degree must be registered in the college either in residence or in absentia the semester or summer session the degree is to be awarded, and must apply for the degree no later than the specified deadline. The student must have an official degree audit on file prior to applying for the degree (upon completing fifty semester hours of coursework). **Sixty hours counted toward the degree must be completed in residence, as well as twenty-four of the last thirty hours counted toward the degree. Coursework taken out-of-residence, including coursework through continuing and distance education or from another institution, will not be allowed in a student's final semester at The University. Students who are graduating in the summer may appeal to take courses at another institution in the first summer term only.**
- 9. Application for Certification** — Information about the application procedure should be picked up in SZB 216 after all requirements, including graduation and TExES or ExCET tests, are completed. For us to process your recommendation, you must have completed your B.S. in KIN degree program, have a minimum 2.5 UT Austin grade point average, and your application and fees must have been submitted to the State Board for Educator Certification. Submit your online application at <http://www.sbec.state.tx.us>

For further information, please contact:

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For information about careers and graduate study in the health professions, please visit an advisor in the Health Professions Office, Painter Hall 5.03, (512) 471-3172.