Educational Studies, BAE

Moment by moment, day by day and person by person, educators improve lives and strengthen communities. Wherever life takes you, an education degree prepares you to master new knowledge, communicate effectively and thrive in a world --- and an economy --- in which lifelong learning is key to success and happiness.

Program Description

Learning happens everywhere and at all ages. The BAE program in educational studies prepares graduates to work with children, youth and adults in nonprofit settings, community institutions, civic organizations and businesses. The degree program provides a foundation for students to shape the role of education in society and the act of learning. It also helps graduates with effective communication, collaboration, effective leadership, advocacy and innovation. Graduates have identities as educators wherever life takes them, and graduates are ready to help others learn and change the face of learning throughout society.

The BAE in educational studies is intended for students seeking a career in education outside the classroom. This degree does not lead to teacher certification.

Veterans may be interested in this program, as credit may be offered for military service.

An educational studies minor is also available to ASU students in other degree programs.

At a Glance

- **College/School:** Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College
- **Location:** Polytechnic campus, Tempe campus, West campus or online

- **Additional Program Fee:** No
- **Second Language Requirement:** No
- **First Required Math Course:** MAT 142 - College Mathematics .
- **Math Intensity:** General


Required Courses (Major Map)

2018 - 2019 Major Map (On-campus)
2018 - 2019 Major Map (Online)
Major Map (Archives)

Accelerated Degrees

This program allows students to obtain both a bachelor's and master's degree in as little as five years. It is offered as an accelerated bachelor's and master's degree with:

Educational Policy, MA
Learning Sciences, MA

Acceptance to the graduate program requires a separate application. During their junior year, eligible students will be advised by their academic departments to apply.

Admission Requirements

General University Admission Requirements:

All students are required to meet general university admission requirements.
Freshman | Transfer | International | Readmission

Change of Major Requirements

A current ASU student has no additional requirements for changing majors. Students should refer to https://students.asu.edu/changingmajors for information about how to change a major to this program.

Attend Online

ASU offers this program in an online format with multiple enrollment sessions throughout the year. Applicants may view the program description and request more information here.

Transfer Options
ASU is committed to helping you thrive by offering tools that allow you to personalize your transfer path to ASU. Students may use the Transfer Map search to outline a list of recommended courses to take prior to transfer.

ASU has transfer partnerships in Arizona and across the country to create a simplified transfer experience for students. These pathway programs include exclusive benefits, tools, and resources and help students save time and money in their college journey. Learn more about these programs by visiting the Admissions site.

Global Opportunities

Global Experience

With over 250 programs in more than 65 countries (ranging from one week to one year), study abroad is possible for all ASU students wishing to gain global skills and knowledge in preparation for a 21st century career. Students earn ASU credit for completed courses, while staying on track for graduation, and may apply financial aid and scholarships toward program costs. https://mystudyabroad.asu.edu/.

Career Opportunities

Graduates earn a versatile degree that qualifies them for a variety of career paths working with nonprofit or government organizations, private educational or recreational settings, and as innovators, advocates and leaders with organizations that support the development of children, youth and adults. This degree also prepares undergraduate students for graduate degrees in education or education-related fields.

Students may explore career tracks for this degree at https://www.education.asu.edu/sites/default/files/Ed-studies-career-tracks.pdf.

Career examples include but are not limited to those shown in the following list. Advanced degrees or certifications may be required for academic or clinical positions.

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* Data obtained from the Occupational Information Network (O*NET) under sponsorship of the U.S. Department of Labor/Employment and Training Administration (USDOL/ETA).

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