Program Name: Elementary Education Certificate

This program is designed to be completed in 3 years.

This program will cost $43,236. if completed within normal time. There may be additional costs for living expenses. These costs were accurate at the time of posting but may have changed.

Typical Graduate Debt Level: Fewer than 10 students completed this program within normal time. This number has been withheld to preserve the confidentiality of the students.

State Licensure Information:

This certificate program is designed for individuals who hold a bachelor’s degree and who seek to qualify for Pennsylvania teacher certification at the elementary level (PreK - 4th grade). The curriculum is designed for those changing careers as well as those who already serve as temporary, emergency, or substitute teachers and wish to earn a formal teaching credential. Students completing the certification program have the option to continue coursework to earn their MS in Teaching, Learning & Curriculum degree. All graduate credits earned in this certificate program may be applied toward the Master’s degree in Teaching, Learning and Curriculum. The coursework in this program will prepare students for a Pennsylvania Instructional I Certificate.

For students intending to teach outside of Pennsylvania, through operation of interstate reciprocity agreements, a Pennsylvania teaching certificate may be converted to the analogous teaching certificate in another state. The School of Education recommends prospective students contact their state’s Department of Education to find out these transfer procedures before proceeding.

Certification Area

Successful completion of Drexel University’s Pennsylvania Department of Education-approved programs will allow candidates to pursue Pennsylvania Instructional I certification in the area of Elementary Education (PreK-4).

Additional content area coursework (or equivalent) may be required and is determined by departmental review at the time of application.

For more information about graduation rates, loan repayment rates, and post-enrollment earnings about this institution and other postsecondary institutions please click here: https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/

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