



PATHWAY TO DEGREE/CERTIFICATION

Early Childhood Education * Elementary Education * Special Education * Middle Level Education *
Secondary Education

(Music Ed Majors must contact program coordinator)

<https://www.usca.edu/education/>

<i>Year</i>	<i>To do</i>	<i>Resources</i>
Freshman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take Praxis CORE or ACT or SAT Attend ICE Activities Collect Writing Proficiency Portfolio papers Maintain <u>minimum</u> 2.75 GPA 	Praxis CORE info and registration: http://www.ets.org/praxis/about/core/ Praxis CORE resources: https://www.usca.edu/education/current-students/praxis/ ICE: https://www.usca.edu/academic-affairs/general-education/ICE/
Sophomore	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apply to the Professional Program (in semester attaining 60 credit hours) (online, turn in to advisor) Collect Writing Proficiency Portfolio papers Attend ICE Activities Maintain <u>minimum</u> 2.75 GPA 	Professional Program application: https://www.usca.edu/education/current-students/professional-program/apply.dot
Junior	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apply for Student Teaching/Internship (online; one year prior) Attend ICE Activities Maintain <u>minimum</u> 2.75 GPA (3.0 required for student teaching/internship) Submit Writing Proficiency Portfolio = turn in to Writing Room 	Application for Internship: https://www.usca.edu/education/current-students/internships/application.dot Writing proficiency portfolio: https://www.usca.edu/english/academics/____wpp/
Senior	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete Application for graduation (online through SSC) Attend ICE Activities Obtain <u>minimum</u> 3.0 GPA to intern 	
Prior to Certification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pass appropriate Praxis II subject area test(s) Pass PLT exam 	Praxis II tests: http://www.ets.org/praxis/about/subject?WT.a.c=31040_praxis_about_praxisii PLT exam: http://www.ets.org/praxis/about/subject/