

This degree plan packet is meant to be a resource for current students at Texas A&M University.

If you are a prospective freshman or transfer student and would like to see if the courses listed in this packet coincide with courses you have taken or are looking to take outside of Texas A&M, please utilize one of the following resources:

Texas A&M University Transfer Course Equivalency Site

https://compass-ssb.tamu.edu/pls/PROD/bwxkwtes.P_TransEquivMain

Texas Common Course Numbering System

<https://www.tccns.org/>

TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & KINESIOLOGY
B.S. DEGREE PLAN IN KINESIOLOGY
ALL-LEVEL (PRE-K THROUGH 12TH) PHYSICAL EDUCATION CERTIFICATION

STUDENT _____ UIN# _____
 (Last) (First) (MI)

Writing Requirement KNFB 325 & KNFB 416 Foreign Language (2 yrs HS OR 2 semesters University) _____

Swim Proficiency _____ e-mail _____

International and Cultural Diversity* (6 hours) _____ & _____

COURSE #	HRS	GRD	COURSE #	HRS	GRD
ENGLISH (6)			KINESIOLOGY (30)		
ENGL 104 – Composition & Rhetoric	3		KINE 199M- Majors Resistance/Flexibility	1	
^ENGL	3		%KINE 199M – Maj. Ind./Dual Sport	1	
MATH ELECTIVES (6)			%KINE 199M – Maj. Conditioning Sport		
++MATH 140/141	3		%KINE 199M – Maj. Lifetime Activities	1	
++MATH 142 – Business Math II	3		%KINE 199M – Maj. Lifetime Activities	1	
SCIENCE (17)			%KINE 199M – Maj. Team Sport		
BIOL 107 –Zoology	4		KINE 121 – Phys & Motor Fitn Assess	2	
PHYS 201 – College Physics I	4		KINE 213 – Foundations of Kinesiology	3	
BIOL 319 – Integ Hum Anat & Phys I	4		KINE 215 – Fundamentals of Coaching	1	
BIOL 320 – Integ Hum Anat & Phys II	4		KINE 307 – Lifespan Motor Dev	3	
KINE 120–Science of Basic Hlth & Fitness	1		KINE 308 – Integr Adventure Ed	3	
			KINE 311 or #KINE 210	3	
LANGUAGE, PHIL & CULTURE ELECTIVE * (3)			KINE 318 – Athletic Injuries		
	3		KINE 429 – Adapted Physical Activity	3	
			KINE 425 – Tests and Measurements	3	
SOCIAL & BEHAVIORIAL SCIENCE (6)			PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (24)		
PSYC 107 – Intro to Psychology	3		KNFB 222 – Tch & Sch in Mod Society	3	
PSYC 307 – Developmental Psychology	3		HLTH 421 – Elem School Health	3	
CITIZENSHIP (12)			KNFB 315 – Elem Sch Phys Activities		
HIST *	3		KNFB 324 - Tech & Teaching Skills	3	
HIST *	3		+KNFB 325 – Intro to Sec School Tch	3	
POLS 206 – American National Govt	3		**+KNFB 416 – Mid & Sec Sch Phys Act	3	
POLS 207 – State and Local Govt	3		KINE-PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM (7)		
			~KINE 426 – Exercise Biomechanics	4	
^SUPPORT FIELD ELECTIVES (9) ++			~KINE 433 – Exercise Physiology	3	
			STUDENT TEACHING SEMESTER (6)		
			KNFB 450 – Supervised Stud Teaching	6	

Courses in **BOLD** indicate classes that **MUST** be taken before admittance to the Professional Phase of the program.
 Courses **SHADED** indicate classes in the **PROFESSIONAL PHASE** of the program.
 *Refer to the **Core Curriculum** at core.tamu.edu to select courses to satisfy the University Core Curriculum. Proper selection of some courses might also meet International and Cultural Diversity requirement.
 Pre-student teaching course, which **MUST be taken the fall or spring semester directly before student teaching (KNFB 450).
 ^See General rules, spreadsheet and/or Support Field Elective Sheet for list of appropriate courses.
 %Refer to General rules for list of acceptable KINE 199 M courses. Any two may count as **BOLD**.
 #This course satisfies the Creative Arts Core Curriculum Requirement. KINE 311 is no longer offered, students must take KINE 210 instead
 +KNFB 416-900 and KNFB 325-900 will both fulfill the University Core Curriculum Writing Requirement
 ++Students pursuing the Math Support Field may want to take other MATH coursework. Refer to Math Support Field Electives.
 ~ **MUST** complete BIOL 319, BIOL 320, and PHYS 201 or equivalents before taking.

STUDENT _____ DATE _____ MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED: 120
 ADVISOR _____ DATE _____ PROPOSED GRAD. DATE: _____
 CHAIR, KINE _____ DATE _____

Physical Education Certification (PRE K-12)

Catalog 141

THIS GUIDE IS INTENDED TO ASSIST IN SCHEDULING. EVERYTHING IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.				
COURSE	PRE-REQUISITE	CLASS	SUBSTITUTE	Detailed Information
ENGL 104		U1/U2	ENGL 103	Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must have a "B/C" combination in ENGL 104 & second ENGL requirement
ENGL	ENGL 104			Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must have a "B/C" combination in ENGL 104 & second ENGL requirement; Choose from ENGL 203 or 210
MATH 140/141			MATH 166, 152	Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must have at least a "C/D" combination in Math 141 & Math 142 (or equivalents)
MATH 142			MATH 131, 151	Must have at least a "C/D" combination in Math 141 & Math 142 (or equivalents)
BIOL 107			BIOL 1413; BIOL111 (1406)	Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better
PHYS 201			PHYS 1401	Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better
BIOL 319	BIOL 107		BIOL 2401	Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better
BIOL 320	BIOL 319		BIOL 2402	Must make a "C" or better; NOTE = Must take BIOL 319 at A&M to able to take BIOL 320 at TAMU
KINE 120				Must make a "C" or better
**Lang, Phil & Culture				See Core Curriculum at core.tamu.edu; Should also be used to meet International and Cultural Diversity requirement
PSYC 107			PSYC 2301	
PSYC 307	PSYC 107	U3/U4	PSYC 2314	
HIST^A				6 credit hours needed. See Core Curriculum requirements at core.tamu.edu.
POLS 206			NONE	
POLS 207			NONE	
**Support Field Electives				Students should choose a support field through the use of these electives; Refer to list in degree plan packet; Must make a "C" or better
KINE 199M Resist/Flex				Designated for Majors; Must make a "C" or Better; May NOT take pass/fail (S/U); Must take Majors Resist/Flex
KINE 199M (X2)				Needed to Apply to Professional Phase; Designated for Majors; Must make a "C" or better; May NOT take pass/fail (S/U); May NOT repeat; Must take 1 Indiv./Dual and 1 Team sport
KINE 199M (X3)				Designated for Majors; Must make a "C" or better; May NOT take pass/fail (S/U); May NOT repeat; Must take 1 Conditioning Sport and 2 Lifetime Activities
KINE 121			NONE	Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better; Only offered Fall and Spring
KINE 213				Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better
KINE 215				Must make a "C" or better
KINE 307		U3/U4		Must make a "C" or better
KINE 308		U3/U4		Must make a "C" or better; Offered Fall ONLY
KINE 311 or KINE 210				Must make a "C" or better; Meets Creative Arts Requirement; Only offered Fall and Spring - <i>Starting Fall 2018 KINE 311 is no longer offered students should take KINE 210 instead</i>
KINE 318		U3/U4		Must make a "C" or better
KINE 429		U3/U4		Must make a "C" or better; Only offered Fall and Spring
KINE 425		U3/U4		Must make a "C" or better; Only offered Fall and Spring
KNFB 222				Needed to apply to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better; Only offered Fall and Spring
KNFB 315		U3/U4		Must be accepted to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better; Only offered Fall and Spring
HLTH 421		U3/U4		Must make a "C" or better; Offered Fall ONLY
KNFB 324	KNFB 222	U3/U4		Must be accepted to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better; Only offered Fall and Spring
KNFB 325	KNFB 222	U3/U4		Must be accepted to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better; Only offered Fall and Spring
KNFB 416*		U4	NONE	Must be accepted to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better; Must take semester prior to Student Teaching; Only offered Fall and Spring
KNFB 450	KNFB 416	U4	NONE	Must be accepted to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better; Must be admitted to Student Teaching; Only offered Fall and Spring
KINE 426	PHYS 201, BIOL 319, BIOL 320	U3/U4		Must be accepted to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better. Must complete BIOL 319, BIOL 320, PHYS 201 before taking.
KINE 433	PHYS 201, BIOL 319, BIOL 320	U3/U4		Must be accepted to Professional Phase; Must make a "C" or better. Must complete BIOL 319, BIOL 320, PHYS 201 before taking.
*KNFB416-900 & KINE 325-900 sections only will fulfill University Core Curriculum Writing Requirement				
**Proper selection might also meet International and Cultural Diversity requirement --- see advisor- student must take 6 hours of International and Cultural Diversity courses.				
Swim proficiency met by one of the following: passing with "C" or better KINE 199M Aquatics or KINE 199 Intermediate Swimming; May also be met by successful completion of Swim Proficiency Test				
*Pre-Student Teaching course (KNFB 416).				

Support Field Electives PEK & SCH Catalog 141

Support field electives will help prepare students to take a second content exam *after* they graduate

LIFE SCIENCE 8-12	HRS	PHYSICAL SCIENCE 8-12	HRS
BIOL 111	4	CHEM 101/111	4
BIOL 112; BIOL 107	4	CHEM 102/112	4
BIOL 328, RLEM 302, 303, 304	3-4	PHYS 201	4
BIOL 319 and BIOL 320	4	PHYS 202, or 219 & 221	4-7
BIOL 413/423; BIOL 206, 351; VTPB 405	3-4	<i>Additional hours in either PHYS or CHEM to add to a total of 24 hours</i>	
BIOL 357/358; RENR 205/215; WFSC 403, 420/409	3-4	Mathematics 8-12	HRS
GENE 301 & 312, 302, 320	3-4	<i>Must take Math 151 & 152 as core Math's to choose this support field</i>	
NFSC 202, 222	3	MATH 304* or 323	3
SCIENCE 8-12	HRS	MATH 467	3
BIOL 111	4	MATH 220 or 302*	3
BIOL 112; BIOL 107	4	MATH 375* or 409	3
BIOL 413/423; BIOL 206, 351; VTPB 405	3-4	MATH 376, 415 or 433	3
BIOL 357/358; RENR 205/215; WFSC 403, 420/409	3-4	STAT 211, 301, 302, 303	3
GENE 301 & 312, 302 or 320	3-4	Mathematics 4-8	HRS
CHEM 101/111	4	<i>Must take MATH 141 & 142 as core Math's to choose this support field</i>	
CHEM 102/112	4	MATH 365	3
PHYS 201	4	MATH 366 (MATH 365 prerequisite)	3
PHYS 202 or 219/221	4-7	MATH 367 (MATH 366 prerequisite)	3
GEOL 308 (GEOL 101 prerequisite)	4	MATH 368 (MATH 366 prerequisite)	3
<i>Additional hours may be necessary to meet 18 upper level science hours</i>		MATH 403	3
		STAT 301, 302, 303	3
HISTORY 8-12	HRS	English Language Arts and Reading 8-12	HRS
HIST 101, 103	3	ENGL 221, 222	3
HIST 102, 104	3	ENGL 227, 228	3
HIST 105	3	ENGL 231, 232	3
HIST 106	3	ENGL 310	3
HIST 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374	3		
HIST 341, 342, 344, 345, 346, 348, 351, 352, 355, 356, 440, 449	3	ENGL 336, 338, 339, 361, 362, 374	3
HIST 324, 331, 332, 333, 335, 336, 338, 406, 420, 421	3	ENGL 461	3
HIST 361, 362, 363, 364	3	RDNG 372, 465	3
SOCIAL STUDIES 8-12	HRS	COMM 203/205; ENGL 210, 241	3
HIST 105	3	LING 209	3
HIST 106	3	DANCE	HRS
HIST 324, 331, 332, 333, 335, 336, 338, 341, 342, 344, 345, 346, 348, 351, 352, 406, 420, 421, 440, 449	3	<i>Must Audition, be accepted, and complete the dance minor to choose this support field</i>	
HIST 361, 362, 363, 364	3	DCED 202	3
ECON 202	3	DCED 203	3
ECON 203	3	DCED 306	2
POLS 206	3	KINE 175	1
POLS 207	3	KINE 199 Dance Improvisation	1
POLS 322 or 324	3	DCED 160, 161, 162	2
GEOG 202	3	KINE 260, 361, 462	2
GEOG 203/213	3-4	DCED 171, 172, 173	2
GEOG 301 or 305	3	KINE 271, 372, 473	2
		Optional Courses: DCED 301, 302, 303, 400, 401	2-3

- **Bolded** courses indicate courses that *cannot* be taken if you took them for other degree requirements. (You can't take HIST 105 to count as one of your History requirements AND have it count as one of your support field electives. It can only count for one or the other)
- You can only choose one course from a row to count towards your support field electives
- Students choose one content area to satisfy their support field electives. All electives must be from the same subject area
- Not all courses listed are offered every semester and some have prerequisites not listed – Check these in Howdy
- Any additional support field electives must be approved by the program coordinator

GENERAL RULES

PHYSICAL EDUCATION CERTIFICATION PRE K-12th

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Requirements for Admission Professional Phase - The Professional Phase indicates upper level/field based coursework

1. Completion of a minimum of **45 CREDIT HOURS** of degree plan course work, 30 of which must be University Core Curriculum Requirements with a minimum of 15 hours completed at TAMU
2. Complete ENGL 104 & second ENGL requirement with a minimum “B/C” grade combination
3. Complete the following courses with a grade of “C” or better:

BIOL 107	PHYS 201	MATH 141	KNFB 222
KINE 199M (2)	KINE 121	KINE 213	BIOL 319
4. Minimum GPR Requirements:
 - a. The state requires a minimum GPA of 2.75 for admission to upper-level teacher certification. The GPA of 2.75 will be configured from all coursework taken at ANY institution of Higher Education.
 - i. NOTICE: Students will need to ensure that all coursework taken from other institutions has been provided to Texas A&M University and/or their academic advisor. If not, this can affect their admission into professional phase.
 - ii. Once admitted into upper-level coursework students must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.5 or higher to graduate with a degree in PEK.
5. Swim Proficiency – Given 4th Wednesday evening of Fall & Spring semesters.
 - a. All PEK majors must demonstrate swimming proficiency prior to acceptance into Professional Phase. This can be accomplished in one of three ways:
 - i. Grade of “C” or better in the KINE 199 Majors Aquatics class (Counts on degree)
 - ii. Grade of “C” or better in the KINE 199 Intermediate Swimming class (Does not count on degree)
 - iii. Successful completion of the Swimming Proficiency Test*
 - b. Swim Proficiency Exam Requirements: Skills + 25 True/False Questions - MUST Score 80% or higher

Skills	Written
50 yds front crawl stroke (freestyle) with an open turn	Safe swimming areas/Basic water skills
50 yds back crawl stroke with an open turn	PFD’s
25 yds each: breast stroke, side stroke, elementary backstroke	Open water hazards/Water emergencies
Standing dive from the deck	Cold water, ice, boating, and diving safety
Foot first surface dive + swim underwater for 10 yds	Deciding to act in an emergency
Tread water for 2 minutes using scissors and breast stroke kicks	Out-of-water assists/Spinal Injury

**students are encouraged to test at least two semesters prior to applying for professional phase*

6. Submit application form on the CEHD Portal. The Professional Phase Application is available online at <https://myrecord.cehd.tamu.edu/hlknapps/teedadmission/>. The online form consists of the following items:
 - i. Professional Phase Admission Acknowledgement
 - ii. General Information (Name & Swim Proficiency Documentation)
 - iii. Intent to Student Teach
 - iv. Expectations for Professional Behavior
 - v. Grade Review – Input all grades received up to this point
 - a. Submission of applications will occur the semester you are enrolled in your last bolded course
 - b. Professional Phase Applications will be accepted once a semester in Fall, Spring, and Summer. Due dates are determined each semester and sent out by email from your advisor

Note: Late applications will NOT be accepted and registration will NOT be permitted for Professional Phase courses until you receive official acceptance.

Professional Phase Acceptance reviews

1. A faculty committee will review all applications immediately after each deadline date. Applicants will be notified by e-mail sent to individual’s TAMU email address approximately three weeks after review.
2. Criteria for acceptance includes pre-requisite courses GPR, overall GPR, pre-portfolio, and swimming proficiency.
3. In the event of ties, KINE 213 grade and number of Q drops recorded will serve as tiebreakers.
4. **Entrance to professional phase is a COMPETITIVE process only** 40 students will be admitted per year—10 for Summer, 15 for Fall, and 15 for Spring.

Requirements for Admission to Student Teaching – All coursework **MUST** be completed before you can student teach

1. Submit an **Intent to Graduate** form to your academic advisor *one year prior* to student teaching. Deadlines will be sent out in an email during the Spring and Fall semesters
2. Complete all coursework with the appropriate grades required by the degree plan packet
3. Submit evidence of current First Aid and CPR proficiency. Must be valid through student teaching semester
4. Successful completion of *Final Portfolio Review/Defense* in KNFB 416. Your portfolio review must be scheduled with the program coordinator, Dr. Ping Xiang, no later than the Q-Drop date or student teaching will NOT occur
5. Minimum GPR requirements on all Texas A&M course work:
A 2.50 Overall & on Degree Plan Coursework including Professional Development and Major coursework areas
6. Student Teaching Placement is coordinated during KNFB 416. HLKN will place students in Austin, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Central and East Texas. Local Placements will only be considered for extenuating circumstances. A Lease/Rent contract is NOT considered an extenuating circumstance.

Requirements for Graduation

1. Successfully complete all degree plan courses with the minimum required grade in each
2. Apply for Graduation the semester you are graduating
3. Pay Diploma Fee/Order Cap and Gown to TAMU the semester you are graduating
4. Transfer all applicable courses to A&M's Records Office
5. More information on graduation can be found at <http://graduation.tamu.edu/>

Progress Towards Degree

Students must show progress towards their degree by completing a combined total of 24 credit hours on their degree plan during the fall and spring semesters. At the end of the spring semester, students who did not complete 24 credit hours on their degree plan will be placed on probation. They must complete at least 12 hours on their degree plan plus make up any additional hours not completed the year before during the next fall semester. Failure to do so will result in dismissal from the department.

Undergraduate Degree Planner Requirement

All students entering Texas A&M University in Fall 2013 or later are required by TEC§51.9685 (formerly House Bill 3025) to complete an online undergraduate degree plan. Students are required to complete the Undergraduate Degree Planner before the start date of their second year. The Undergraduate Degree Planner is in Howdy on the My Record tab in the Undergraduate Degree Planner channel. Guides for using the Undergraduate Degree Planner are also available in Howdy. This is not a substitute for advising and approval of your Undergraduate Degree Planner does NOT ensure you are meeting all of the requirements for graduation.

Differential Tuition

Differential tuition is an additional semester charge that pays for educational enhancements to the undergraduate students in teacher preparation degree plans within the college. **Students will incur a differential tuition charge of \$300 every semester after they are admitted to professional phase.** Differential tuition helps support field based placements, supervision, scholarships and international/urban experiences in culturally diverse settings.

Preliminary Criminal History Evaluation for Educator Certification Candidates

Texas Education Agency offers a *Preliminary Criminal History Evaluation Educator Certification Candidates* for a **non-refundable fee of \$50.00**. This *optional* service will allow those individuals who are contemplating obtaining a Texas Teacher Certificate in the future, the opportunity to have a review of an existing criminal history performed by agency staff. The review will be based solely on information provided by the candidate and will result in a non-binding opinion issued by the agency as to whether or not the candidate would be eligible for Texas Teacher Certification at the time of the evaluation. This process does not preclude a candidate from being required to submit to a national criminal history review as required by statute at the time of application for educator credentials. For detailed information, including all necessary forms and instructions, visit the following link for Frequently Asked Questions on the TEA website: <http://www.tea.state.tx.us/index2.aspx?id=2147486679>

KINE 199 Requirements for PEK

All students must take KINE 199 Majors Resist/Flex. In addition, students must take 5 different KINE 199 Majors courses from the following categories:

1. Choose (1) Individual/Dual Sport: Any Racquet Sport, Golf, Aquatics, Archery
2. Choose (1) Conditioning Sport: Aerobic Movement, Fitness, Boot Camp, Sports Conditioning, Aerobic Walk or Run, Spinning
3. Choose (2) Lifetime Activities: Biking, Yoga, Social Dance, Pilates, Self-Defense, Judo, Tone and Flex, Golf, Aquatics
4. Choose (1) Team Sport: Ultimate Frisbee, Basketball, Volleyball, Soccer, Flag Football

NOTE: Course offerings will vary from semester to semester. Aquatics will fulfill swim proficiency requirement.

Non-Majors or 'Regular' KINE 199 courses will not count towards your degree requirements. You are however, allowed to take regular KINE 199 courses for fun.

Ex:

KINE 199 <u>Majors</u> Golf counts
KINE 199 Golf does not count

Professional Organizations & Certifications

Students are encouraged to join organizations that provide leadership opportunities. Below are various State, National, and TAMU student organizations. All students must submit evidence of valid CPR and First Aid certifications that will remain active throughout their student teaching semester during their portfolio review.

Membership/Leadership

Student Organizations	State and National Organizations	
Aggie Alliance	State	
ACKT (Aggie Coaches and Kinesiology Teachers)	TAHPERD	
TAM Emergency Care	Texas High School Coaches Assn.	
Aggie Applied Exercise Physiology	SWATA	
Phi Epsilon Kappa	TSTA	
Dance Arts	TACSM	
Aggie Athletes Involved	ATPE	TCTA*
TAMU Club Sports	National	
Texas State Teachers Association – student program	Shape America	
Student Council for Exceptional Children	NATA	ACSM

*Will become a member of the semester you go out to student teach

Endorsements/Certifications

Advanced Cardiac Life Support	Rated Sports Official
Aerobic/Fitness Instructor Certification	Safety Training for Coaches
Archery Instructor	Scuba Leadership Certification
Aquatic Exercise or Swimming Instructor	Strength and Conditioning Certification
Canoeing Instructor	Paramedic
Emergency Care Assistant (ECA)	Water Safety Instructor
Emergency Medical Technician	*CPR Certification
First Aid Instructor	*First Aid Certification
Life Guard	Other related Professional Certification / License
Life Guard Instructor	

*Required for admission to student teaching

B.S. Degree Plan in Kinesiology – All-Level (Pre-K to 12th Grade)
Physical Education Certification (PEK)
Texas A&M University
Department of Health and Kinesiology

This degree plan has been laid out showing students the number of hours they must take each semester in order to complete the degree in four years. This is a suggested plan and does not have to be followed as laid out below. Students should use this document in conjunction with the curriculum spreadsheet and degree plan when scheduling courses each semester to ensure that they are meeting all prerequisites and taking courses for admission to the Professional Phase in a timely manner while meeting all grade requirements

1st Semester Freshman		2nd Semester Freshman	
*BIOL 107	4	ENGL 203 or 210	3
ENGL 104	3	^HIST	3
^HIST	3	KINE 199 Majors	1
KINE 199 Majors	1	KINE 199 Majors	1
^Lang, Phil & Culture Elec.	3	KINE 121	2
MATH 141	3	MATH 142	3
	17	PSYC 107	3
			16
1st Semester Sophomore		2nd Semester Sophomore	
KINE 199 Majors	1	KINE 311	3
KINE 199 Majors	1	KINE 120	1
KINE 213	3	KNFB 222	3
KINE 215	1	POLS 207	3
PHYS 201	4	BIOL 319	4
POLS 206	3	*+Support Field Elective	3
*+Support Field Elective	3		17
	16		17
1st Semester Junior		2nd Semester Junior	
BIOL 320	4	KINE 199 Majors R/F	1
KNFB 315	3	KINE 318	3
HLTH 421 (Fall Only)	3	KNFB 324	3
KINE 308 (Fall Only)	3	KINE 425	3
*+Support Field Elective	3	KINE 433	3
	16	KINE 307	3
			16
1st Semester Senior		2nd Semester Senior	
PSYC 307	3	KNFB 450	6
KNFB 325	3		
KINE 426	4		
KINE 429	3		
KNFB 416	3		
	16		

Total 120

+Students are encouraged to take additional coursework in their support field to better prepare them for the certification test in their support field.

^ See Core Curriculum at core.tamu.edu

Physical Education Certification Portfolio Requirement Guidelines

- **Each student will complete a total of 100 hours of independent field based experiences**
- These experiences may NOT come from required coursework hours or experiences
- Students must maintain a separate log of all their independent experiences that lists the date, number of hours, area of experience (school, coaching, or community), level (secondary or elementary), location, contact person (name, phone, & email), and the signature of the person. Examples of this log can be found under forms on the MyCEHD website

All independent field based experiences must include a MINIMUM of 25 hours from each of the three (3) areas below. The remaining 25 hours may be counted towards any area.

COACHING:

25 hours minimum: at least 5 hours in elementary* and 5 hours in secondary**

- School-based classroom (PE) observation
- Community-based programs (Kids Klub, Boys and Girls club)
- Coaching (school or community based)

COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAMS (Not Coaching)

25 hours minimum: at least 5 hours in elementary* and 5 hours in secondary**

- Boys and Girls Club
- Camp Counselor
- Scouts
- Big Brother/Sister
- Juvenile Courts
- Community Education Literacy or Math programs (HOSTS)
- Community Centers
- Other Community-based programs with approval of KNFB 222 instructor

SCHOOL- BASED PROGRAMS (Not Coaching)

25 hours minimum: at least 5 hours in elementary* and 5 hours in secondary**

- These hours must come from observing/volunteering in a classroom either in a public or private school

*Elementary = Pre-K – 6

**Secondary = 7th -12th

PORTFOLIO and ADMISSION to PROFESSIONAL PHASE:

- Successful (C or better) completion of KNFB 222
- Student will continue to build their portfolio throughout the rest of their coursework after the completion of KNFB 222
- Detailed requirements for the portfolio and the instruction of portfolio submission can be found under forms on the MyCEHD website

FINAL PORTFOLIO REVIEW/DEFENSE:

- **Total Hours:** Must be completed in its entirety (100 hours).
- **Portfolio includes:**
 - Introduction, professional photo, and email address.
 - Philosophy of Education
 - Experiences: descriptions of the three experiences student had with coaching, community and school based programs.
 - Standards: Artifacts supporting each program standard.
 - Self-assessment (What have you learned in the process, and what you still need to learn)
 - Resume (To be used in job application)
- **DEADLINE:** Must set up the review/defense date prior to Q-drop of the semester enrolled in KNFB 416.
- **Student teaching placement** dependent upon completion of the final portfolio review/defense.
- Portfolio final defense must be arranged with the portfolio chairperson:
Dr. Ping Xiang **Phone:** 845-1668 **Office:** 300-B Blocker