## Level of Program and Content Areas Offered for Initial Teacher License

The Linfield College Teacher Education Program is an undergraduate program for candidates seeking an Oregon Preliminary Teacher License in the following endorsements:

- Advanced Mathematics
- Art
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Elementary - Multiple Subjects
- English for Speakers of Other Languages
- English Language Arts
- Foundational English Language Arts
- Foundational Mathematics
- Foundational Science
- Foundational Social Studies
- Health
- Music
- Physical Education
- Physics
- Social Studies
- World Language: French
- World Language: German
- World Language: Spanish

## Program Options

Indicate any of the following that are available for candidates in your initial licensure program/s:

- [X] Full time program during the day
- _ Evening or weekend program
- _ Online or hybrid program

## Student Supports and Scholarships

Students in the Linfield College Teacher Education Program are provided an engaging, high-quality education with support from our Education Department faculty that also serve as students’ advisors. Students have access to tutoring and test preparation support through Learning Support Services. The Office for Career Development provides career and graduate school support throughout students’ four years at Linfield. Linfield College offers a wide range of scholarships and financial aid.
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**Educator Preparation Program Admission Requirements**
- EDUC 150 Foundations of Education, including field experience requirement
- EDUC 230 Educational Psychology
- EDUC 270 Becoming an Early Childhood Teacher or EDUC 290 Content Literacy and Development in Adolescence
- Minimum GPA in cumulative, major, and licensure coursework
- No grade lower than a C in major and licensure coursework
- OSP/FBI criminal history clearance
- Adherence to the Linfield College Education Department Professional Characteristics
- Teacher Education Program application

**Percent of 2016-17 Program Completers Hired in 2017-18 in Oregon Public Schools**
- 46% are teaching in Oregon public schools
- 14% are teaching in Washington schools
- 4% are teaching in Hawaiian public schools
- 9% are teaching in Alaska schools
- 4% are in graduate school
- 14% are teaching in schools abroad
- 9% are substitute teaching in Oregon schools

**School Partnerships for Clinical Placements**
Linfield partners with a variety of school districts for field experience and student teaching placements, including: Amity, Beaverton, Dayton, McMinnville, Salem-Keizer, Sheridan, Yamhill-Carlton

**Unique Attributes and Points of Pride**
Linfield’s Teacher Education Program prepares students within the context of a strong liberal arts tradition that promotes a culture of engagement and excellence; integrated teaching and learning; global and multicultural understanding; and experiential learning. Some of the unique attributes of our program include:
- Full year of student teaching
- Weekly observations by a college supervisor during student teaching
- Field experiences throughout the program
- NAEYC accredited PreKindergarten Lab School in our Education building
- Opportunities to conduct student-faculty collaborative research
- January term Education course in Puerto Rico with field experience component
- Faculty advise students every semester