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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The **Education Professions** program is designed to prepare students for employment and/or postsecondary opportunities in the field of education. The program provides instruction in education career choices, education structure and systems, theories, history, pedagogy, developmental stages, learning styles and instructional methods. The **Education Professions** program also provides interactive experiences with students at different age levels in a variety of content areas in different educational environments. **Education Professions** is designed to articulate with the Introduction to Education courses at the community college level as well as paraprofessional preparation programs. In addition to technical skills, students completing this program will develop advanced critical thinking skills, enhanced academic skills, develop civic responsibility, and comprehend the stages of human development and their impact on learning in the classroom.

The **Education Professions** program is designed and delivered as a coherent sequence of school-based and work-based supervised learning. The Professional Skills developed by business and industry leaders across Arizona are integrated throughout the program. **Education Professions** students also develop leadership, social, civic, and career skills through their participation in the state-recognized Career and Technical Student Organization, Educators Rising.

The **Education Professions** instructional program prepares students for entry-level employment, further training, and/or post-secondary education for these and other occupations: Paraprofessional, Instructional Assistant, Elementary Teacher, Secondary Teacher, and After School Program Assistant

INDUSTRY CREDENTIALS

The following credentials have been approved for the A-F CCR and are CTED eligible for the **Education Professions** instructional program:

- Paraprofessional Praxis Certification

The following industry credentials have been approved to meet CTED eligibility for the **Education Professions** instructional program:

- Beginning to Teach Certificate
- Child Find Certification
- CPR/AED Certification
- First Aid Certification

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COHERENT SEQUENCE

13.1200.10 - Education Professions I, **and**

13.1200.20 - Education Professions II, **and program may elect to add:**

13.1200.25 - Education Professions III, **or**

13.1200.40 - Education Professions IV, **or**

13.1200.70 - Education Professions – DCE (Diversified Cooperative Education) **or**

13.1200.75 - Education Professions – Internship **or**

13.1200.80 - Education Professions – Cooperative Education

TEACHER CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

The instructor must be ADE/CTE certified in one of the following certificates: PCTET, SCTET, SSCTET, PCTF, SCTF, or SSCTEFCS

Note:

- Education Professions Diversified Cooperative Education 13.1200.70 may be a part of the sequence and the teacher must hold a Cooperative Education Endorsement (CEN).
- Education Professions – Internship 13.1200.75 is not required to have a Cooperative Education Endorsement (CEN).
- Education Professions – Cooperative Education 13.1200.80 is required to have a Cooperative Education Endorsement (CEN).

CERTIFICATE TYPES

PCTET	Provisional Career and Technical Education: Education and Training
SCTET	Secondary Career and Technical Education: Education and Training
SSCTET	Standard Specialized Career and Technical Education and Training
PCTF	Provisional Career and Technical Education Family Consumer Sciences
SCTF	Standard Career and Technical Education Family Consumer Sciences
SSCTEFCS	Standard Specialized Career and Technical Education Family and Consumer Sciences