EFE 2023



Early Field Experience II Early Field Experience III

















S† Marcus School



EDU2401 EFE II EDU3401 EFE III

O.5 credits

A week of observation and participation in an early childhood, elementary, middle, or secondary classroom.

(Min. 40 hours)



Instructor Syllabus

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0.5 credit 2022-23, Semester E Feb 27 – March 3, 2023 March 6 – March 10, 2023

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MARCH 2023

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
26	27	EFE II and	III Week 1/Sp	ring Break	3	4
5	6	FFE II and	8 III Week 2/Sp	ring Break	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	



ATTEND MEETING (Flex Period)

- This is the first day of the course
- Read through your syllabus
- Check out the guidelines on the website
- EFE grade-level requirements chart

What does EFE look like for me in 2022-23 and beyond?

In 2020-2021 EFE experiences were canceled, implementing the "2 to make 3" policy.

In 2022-23 I am a	2020-21	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
Second-year student		EFE I (1)	EFE II (2)	Portfolio
Third-year student	CANCELLED	EFE II (1)	EFE III (2)	

EFE Grade Level Requirements Chart

https://mlc-wels.edu/field-experiences/efe/

SINGLE Majors (without License Eligible Minor (endorsement) - Choose one experience from each EFE II and EFE III

	Early Childhood (ECE) (Birth-Grade 3)			
EFE II	Preprimary			
EFE III	K-3			

	Elementary (K-6)	
EFE II	K-2 or 3-6	
EFE III	K-2 or 3-6 *	

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Find your program below
- Select either EFE II or EFE III
- * The level you choose for EFE II must be different than for EFE III
- ** At least part of the day must be in your discipline (major/minor)
- You may choose either public school or Lutheran school for either or both experience(s).
- Click the "Approval Form" button on the website under EFE for Education to submit your approval request to your principal.

	& Literature (CAL) (Secondary 5-12)	Science (Chem, Life, Phys) (Secondary 5-12)	Mathematics (Secondary 5-12)	Social Studies (Secondary 5-12)	
EFE II	9-12 in CAL	9-12 in Chem, Life or Phys	9-12 in Math	9-12 in Soc. Studies	
EFE III	5-8 **	5-8 **	5-8 **	5-8 **	



	Music - Instrumental (Secondary K-12)	Music - Vocal (Secondary K-12)	Physical Education (Secondary K-12)	Special Education (Secondary K-12)	Spanish (Secondary K-12)
EFE II	9-12 in Music - Instr.	9-12 in Music - Vocal	9-12 in PE	9-12 in SpEd	9-12 in Spanish
EFE III	K-8 **	K-8 **	K-8 **	K-8 **	K-8 **

ELEMENTARY (K-6) Majors with LICENSE ELIGIBLE MINOR (Endorsement) (5-8) - Choose one experience from each EFE II and EFE III

	Elementary + Communication Arts & Literature (CAL)	Elementary + Educational Technology (Ed Tech) (K-8)	Elemementary + Mathematics	Elementary + Science (General)	Elementary + Social Studies	Elementary + Spanish (K-8)
EFE II	K-6	K-6	K-6	K-6	K-6	K-6
EFE III	7-8 in CAL	7-8 in Ed Tech	7-8 in Math	7-8 in Science	7-8 in Social Studies	7-8 in Spanish

DOUBLE Ma	ajors - Choose one experience from	each EFE II and EFE III
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	Early Childhood (ECE) + Elementary	Early Childhood (ECE) + Special Education (SpEd)	Elementary + Secondary	Elementary + Special Education (SpEd)	Double Secondary (5-12) (CAL, Science, Math, Soc St.)	Double Secondary (K- 12) (Music - Inst/Vocal, PE, SpEd, Span)
EFE II	Infant-Preprimary or K-2	Preprimary - Grade 3	K-6	K-6	5-12 in one discipline	K-12 in one discipline
EFE III	3-6*	Special Education K-12	5-8 in discipline **	Special Education K-12	5-8 in other discipline **	5-8 in other discipline **

2a EFE GOALS

- become familiar with age characteristics of children
- acquire a growing sense of confidence
- reflect and self-assess on teaching
- acquire a greater desire to serve in the teaching ministry



2b EFE for Education (MLC Website)

- EFE Grade Level Requirements
- Steps to a Successful EFE
- EFE Guidelines
- FAQs
- Flex Period Kick-off
- Approval form button



https://mlc-wels.edu/field-experiences/efe/

3 GRADE LEVEL



License determines grade level of classroom



Licensure field means subject of major or minor



Choosing different grade levels



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CHOOSE SCHOOL

- 5 full school days
- no student teacher
- preferably not with a previous teacher or family member
- Lutheran or public school
- a place to grow and develop





SEEK APPROVAL FROM PRINCIPAL







Contact principal

Explain requirements

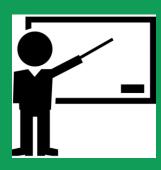
Seek permission



Contact SUPERVISING TEACHER



Contact teacher



Explain requirements



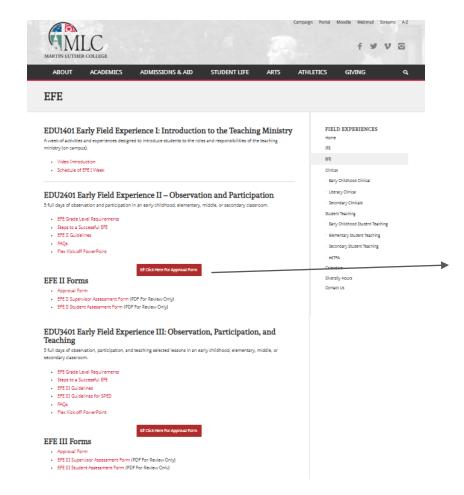
Explain
Approval form

6a APPROVAL FORM

- Red approval form link on MLC website
- Fill out online form. Click submit. This generates email link to teacher
- Supervising teacher completes the EFE approval form and returns to MLC by deadline



6b APPROVAL FORM



Click Here For Approval Form

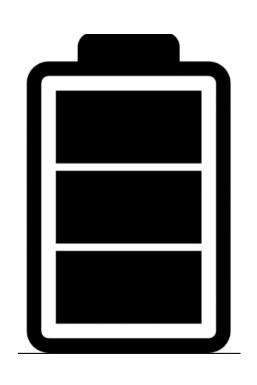
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- Find these forms: Portal → Forms → About Me
- If not there, please contact your supervising teacher

Student Assessment Form

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7 PARTICIPATE FULLY

- high priority activities
- desirable activities



■ M Gmail Four days before scheduled EFE

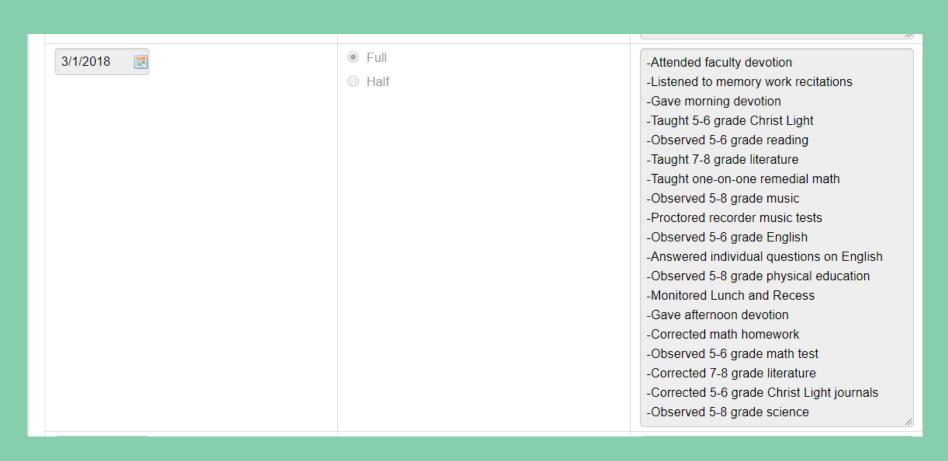
Greetings from the MLC Education Office!

You are receiving this email because you have planned an EFE that begins in four days. Below is the link to the online Assessment Form that you will use each day of the experience to log your activities. In addition, the Form has several reflection prompts to which you will write.

Use the following link to start your form on day one only: EFE III Student Assessment Form. At the end of each day click "Save."

Use this link to return to the saved form. It is VERY IMPORTANT to use the correct link or you may need to start over or end up creating a duplicate entry.

STUDENT ASSESSMENT FORM (Log & Reflection)



Context for Learning

* Describe the community setting where your school is located.

Nicollet is a rural, farming community in southern Minnesota. It has a population of just over one thousand people, with the majority of the residents being Caucasian. As of the 2010 census, ninety-eight percent of residents were white, leaving the remaining two percent a combination of Hispanic, African American, and Asian residents. Most people in Nicollet fall into the middle class regarding socioeconomic status.

* Describe your school/classroom.

classroom, the kitchen, the school library, and the gymnasium are upstairs while three other classrooms, rows of lockers, and two offices are downstairs. The facility is modern, as it was rebuilt in 2009. The surrounding property is relatively open and large, and this allows the school to have an open field, basketball court, and playground equipment available for recess. Trinity has four general education teachers and one title one teacher on its faculty. Two volunteers come every Monday through Thursday to teach science. The school is well-funded, having iPads. SmartBoards, and computers Buildings, teacher resources, self-contained classroom, departmentalized, para-professionals, etc.

* Describe the make-up of the students you are teaching.

teacher for remedial work. They also could redo homework to correct their assignments and learn from their mistakes. Three of the students could be considered gifted and talented. Their answers, both written and verbal, are almost always exemplary and above grade level. Two of these students, both fifth-graders, moved up to sixth-grade math. These students have time to read and write if they finish their homework ahead of the other students.

Documented IEPs, male/female ratio, diversity, ability groups, gifted and talented, etc.

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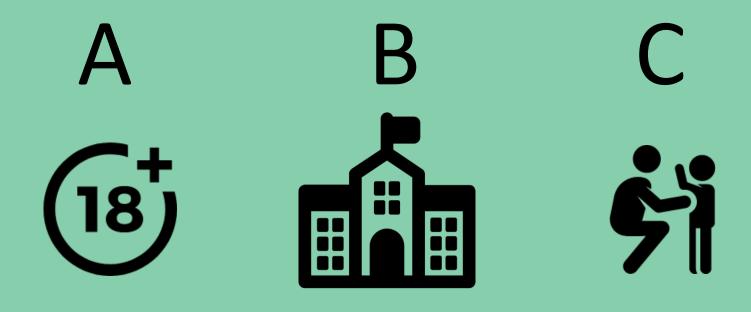
8 LAST STEP



Student Assessment Form (Journal) Printed and signed by supervising teacher

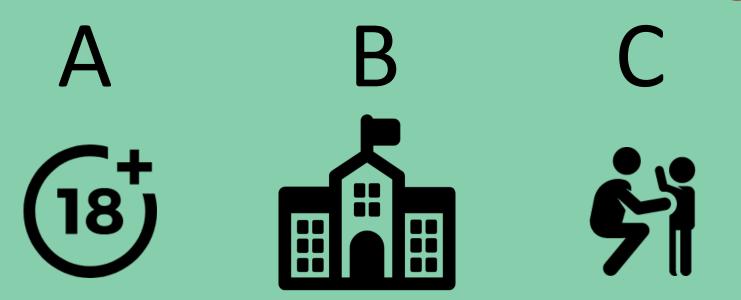
MLC Reflection
Journal

INDIVIDUAL FIELD EXPERIENCES (IFE)



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Prerequisite for Student Teaching



See MLC Website \rightarrow A to Z \rightarrow IFE for Category A, B, C ideas

- Submit hours
- Be detailed about what you did
- Be sure to add and explain about diversity and/or special needs experiences

40 DIVERSITY HOURS during FIELD EXPERIENCES



SPECIAL NEEDS



CROSS-CULTURAL

40 DIVERSITY HOURS

By Graduation



SPECIAL NEEDS



CROSS-CULTURAL

EFE 2023

What's my plan?