

EDUCATION

Do you remember that one special teacher who made a difference in your education? Perhaps it was your first grade teacher who encouraged you to keep practicing your printing as you struggled to keep your letters even on the baseline? Or a special educator who saw your potential for success and helped you overcome learning difficulties? Or your high school English teacher that recognized your creative potential and encouraged you to develop your writing? Whatever your experience, we recognize the role that good teachers play in impacting young people's lives, and we can teach you how to make a difference in students' lives too.

Individualized Attention

At King's College, we recognize that we need to model good teaching so that you will become the best educator you can be. This begins with having the faculty and resources available to prepare you to teach at whatever age level you choose – from early learning centers through high school.

"Faculty at King's are student-centered, a trait that is passed on to our own majors," explains Dr. Denise Reboli, chairperson of the Education Department. Our programs meet the rigors of the Pennsylvania Department of Education. Each student is assigned an education advisor and, together, they create a plan for future success.

Program Areas

King's College's Education Department is approved by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to offer the following certification programs:



- Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 4 (also a major at King's)
- Special Education (Grades PK-12) (also a major at King's)
- Dual Certification in PK-4 and Special Education (double major at King's)
- Five year B.A./M.Ed. Program leading to certification in PK-4, Special Education, and Reading Specialist
- Math Education Grades 4-8 (also a major at King's)
- Science Education Grades 4-8 (also a major at King's)
- Secondary Education Grades 7-12:
 - English
 - Citizenship/Social Studies (History/Political Science)
 - Math
 - Physics
 - Biology
 - Chemistry
 - General Science
- Foreign Language Grades K-12: French or Spanish

The department additionally offers a major in Educational Studies for those who wish to teach in a private academic setting or work in an Early Learning Center and minor in Education.

Real World Ready

Our teacher candidates begin preparation to teach very early in their years at King's. Each of our field experiences is embedded within a class so that teacher candidates have the opportunity to practice what they are learning in the classroom. Field experiences typically begin either during the second semester of your first year or first semester second year and continue throughout the rest of the program. All students complete their program by student teaching in a local school, usually during their last semester at King's.

Placement Highlights

Graduates can be found teaching in most U.S. states along the Eastern Seaboard. Others are working in related fields including educational law or tutoring sites.

- All Luzerne County School Districts
- Osceola Magnet School, Vera Beach, FL
- San Antonio School District, TX
- Prince Georges County School District, MD
- Germany
- Africa

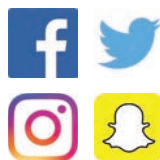
To learn more about majoring in Education at King's College, please contact the Office of Admission at 1-888-KINGS PA or admissions@kings.edu.

Education (120-143 Credit Hours)

Major Courses

Listed below are the many different courses a student may take as an Education or Educational Studies Major and their corresponding credit load.

EDST 313	Foundations of Learning: Creating Environments for Birth to Kindergarten. (3)	EDUC/SPED 314	Transition Options For At Risk Students (3)
EDST 325	Young Children with Special Needs: Early Intervention & Transition: Birth to Age 8 (3)	EDUC 318	Low Incidence Disabilities (1)
EDST 335	Health, Safety & Nutrition for Young Learners (3)	EDUC 320	Secondary Mathematics Methods (3)
EDST 345	Early Childhood Collaboration: Family (3)	EDUC 335	Special Topics in Education (1-3)
EDST 415	Child, Family & Community (3)	EDUC 350	Secondary Classroom Management (3)
EDST 417	Math, Science & Technology for Pre-School Education (3)	EDUC 355	Organization & Administration of Early Childhood Education (3)
EDST 426	Management, Leadership & Practices & Policies for ECE (3)	EDUC 357	Leadership of Early Childhood Curriculum & Instruction (3)
EDST 427	Internship (7)	EDUC 360	Literacy Foundations for Primary Grades 2-4 (3)
EDUC 202	Educational Philosophy, Ethics, Issues & Trends (3)	EDUC 366	Methods for Teaching Diverse Learners (3) Designed to Assist
EDUC/SPED 215	Development, Cognition & Learning I (3)	EDUC/SPED 370	Specifically Designed Instruction (3)
EDUC/SPED 217	Adolescent Development, Cognition & Learning (3)	EDUC/SPED 390	Differentiated Reading for the Developing Child (3)
EDUC 220	The Education of Young Children: Theories, Practices & Policies (3)	EDUC 410	Social Studies Methods 4-8 (3)
EDUC 230	PK-4 Multicultural, Linguistic & Instruction Methods (3)	EDUC 411	Mathematics Methods 4-8 (3)
EDUC 231	Technology Module I (1)	EDUC 412	Science Methods 4-8 (3)
EDUC 232	Technology Module II (1)	EDUC 413	Language Arts Methods 4-8 (3)
EDUC/SPED 235	Secondary Development, Cognition & Learning (3)	EDUC 417	Observation & Student Teaching 4-8 (10)
EDUC 240	Secondary Multicultural, Linguistic & Instruction Methods (3)	EDUC 418	Student Teaching Seminar 4-8 (1-2)
EDUC 252	Curricular Integration (3)	EDUC 420	Social Studies Methods PK-4 (3)
EDUC/SPED 260	Early Literacy Foundations (PK-1) (3)	EDUC 421	Mathematics Methods PK-4 (3)
EDUC/SPED 270	Introduction to Special Education (3)	EDUC 422	Science Methods PK-4 (3)
EDUC 299	PDE Basic Skills Tests (0)	EDUC/SPED 423	Literacy Across the Curriculum:The Reading-Writing Connection (3)
EDUC 302	Secondary Science Methods (3)	EDUC 424	Family Involvement & Connections (3)
EDUC 303	Secondary Social Studies Methods (3)	EDUC 435	Independent Study (3-10)
EDUC 304	Foreign Language Methods (3)	EDUC 437	Observation & Student Teaching (PK-4) (5 or 10)
EDUC/SPED 305	Assessment I (3)	EDUC 438	Student Teaching Seminar (PK-4) (1-2)
EDUC/SPED 306	Assessment for the Diverse Learner (3)	EDUC/SPED 440	Inclusive Education (3)
EDUC/SPED 311	Assistive Technology (3)	EDUC/SPED 447	Special Education Culminating Field Experience (4)
EDUC/SPED 312	Literacy Learning for the 7-12 Special Needs Student (3)	EDUC/SPED 457	Observation & Student Teaching (SPED) (5)
EDUC/SPED 313	Learning Environments for High & Low Incidence Disabilities (3)	EDUC 467	Observation & Student Teaching (Secondary Education) (5 or 10)
		EDUC 468	Student Teaching Seminar (Secondary Education) (1-2)



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