## B.A. in ELEMENTARY EDUCATION - PROGRESSION INFORMATION

Freshman Fall	Freshman Spring
-Carefully read ALL information about the Elementary Education Program in this handbook.	-Prepare for and take Praxis Core exams if SAT or ACT minimum score not met
Sophomore Fall	Sophomore Spring
-Take and pass the EEDA Assessment on Blackboard  -Additional study for Praxis Core, if not passed (see your advisor for details). Retake Praxis Core after you have completed additional preparation.	-Apply for Professional Program  -If Praxis Core not passed by end of this semester, see your advisor to discuss your options Instructions on completing the Professional Program application will be provided in EDEL 306
Junior Fall	Junior Spring
-November 1st – Deadline to present passing Praxis Core scores  -By the end of this semester students must have successfully completed and earned a grade of C or better in ENGL 101, ENGL 102, MATH 221, EDTE 201, EDFI 300, EDPY 401, EDEL 305, EDEL 306, EDRM 423, and two out of the three required science courses, and three out of the four required social studies/history courses.  -All other requirements for admission to the Professional Program must be met by the conclusion of the "junior fall" semester (semester taking EDEL 305 and EDRM 423)	-Apply for SC Teacher Certification (including fingerprinting)  Instructions on completing these two items will be provided in EDEL 441/EDRD 430  Students will not be allowed to participate in Methods Courses, EDEL 441, and EDRD 430 unless all requirements for Professional Program admission are met by deadline.
Senior Fall	Senior Spring
Internship I semester – Internship I must be completed in a fall semester. No student will be allowed to complete Internship I in a summer or spring semester.  -Take required Praxis Certification Area and PLT exams sometime during senior year  Students will not be allowed to participate in Internship I unless all requirements for Professional Program and Internship I admission are met.	Internship II semester – Internship II must be completed in a spring semester. No student will be allowed to complete Internship II in a summer or fall semester.  -Apply for graduation, if graduating in May -Must have required Praxis Certification exams passed before being recommended for teacher certification.  Students will not be allowed to participate in Internship II unless all requirements for Internship II admission are met.