

University of Louisville
College of Education and Human Development

Field Experience Description

COURSE INFORMATION	
Course Name and Number	EDTP 201: The Teaching Profession
Brief Course Description	Provides opportunities to survey the field of education through the study of educational theories, field experiences, and evaluation of education as a career. Some fieldwork required during class hours.
Programs that Require this Course	All undergraduate teacher certification programs.
DESCRIPTION OF FIELD COMPONENT	
Number and Distribution of Hours in the Field	18 hours total 9 hours in each of two school settings (elementary and middle or high school)
Purpose(s) of Field Experiences	1. To interest undergraduate students in a career in teaching 2. To learn the research tools of the social scientist, including observation, writing field notes, analyzing field notes, and writing a qualitative research report.
Hallmark Assessment Task (HAT) (only if Field based)	Ethnography of a Classroom
Description of field-based assignments assessed in course (other than HAT)	Final Exam - Students answer the question, "What does it take to be an effective teacher in the 21 st century", using information from field experiences as part of that answer.
Additional experiences while at field placement	None
Cooperating Teacher Role and Required Support	Complete Professionalism Rating Sheet Verify by signature # of hours observed