

## Graduate Programs in Teacher Education



Prepare to make a significant impact in the lives of children, families, and the community. A graduate degree in teacher education from Boston College enables you to advance your teaching skills or launch a rewarding career in the classroom.

One of the world's most rewarding callings, teaching requires qualified, dedicated teachers who can build dynamic careers in any area of the nation—while making a real difference in the lives of children.

The Lynch School of Education offers graduate teacher education programs in a range of disciplines, from early childhood education and secondary education to special needs and literacy. Designed for experienced teachers as well as newcomers to the field, these programs combine scholarship, disciplined inquiry, and professional experience to prepare you for success in the classroom. Boston College's student teaching practicum actively prepares students to thrive in a variety of settings along with placement support and partnerships in urban public schools, as well as private Catholic school settings. The Lynch School provides the necessary tools to face the challenges and specific needs in any educational environment.

Faculty at Boston College conduct research in Boston-area schools, allowing for the exchange of firsthand knowledge and experience among classroom teachers, graduate students, and faculty members. Courses incorporate a focus on today's most relevant issues, including bilingual education, literacy, the importance of social context, and the particular needs of urban education.

### PROGRAMS OF STUDY

M.Ed. Early Childhood Education  
M.Ed. Elementary Education  
M.Ed. Secondary Education  
M.A.T. Secondary Education  
M.S.T. Secondary Education  
M.Ed. Moderate Special Needs  
M.Ed. Severe Special Needs  
M.Ed. Reading and Literacy  
M.A.T. Elementary Education  
M.A.T. Reading and Literacy  
C.A.E.S. Moderate Special Needs  
C.A.E.S. Reading and Literacy

### SELECTED COURSES

Bilingualism and Second Language and Literacy Development | Teaching Bilingual Students | Teaching Language Arts | Learning and Development | Human Development and Disability | Teaching Reading | Applied Child Development | Behavior Management | Instruction of Students with Special Needs and Diverse Learning | Graduate Inquiry Seminar | Teaching and Learning Strategies | Consultation and Collaboration | Social Contexts of Education

*After my experience in the field, I knew I wanted to pursue a degree in special education. Boston College was my first choice—in part because of the school's reputation in preparing future teachers, but more importantly because of its commitment to social justice and urban outreach.*

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