EDUCATION

DEGREE OPTIONS
Educational Studies Dual Major
Four-Year Certification Programs in:
Dance, Early Childhood Education, Health and Physical Education,
Mathematics, Music and Theatre

Broaden your education through focused exploration and application of educational studies. Many professions that communicate information and work for social change at any scale have an inherent educational aspect, and this major will provide the tools you’ll need to be effective. The dual major emphasizes experiential learning in transdisciplinary learning communities, research with faculty, corporate and K-12 engagement, and community service. Or, if you are interested in teaching dance or theatre, math, music, preK-3, or health and physical education, a bachelor’s degree program including a one-semester student-teaching requirement will allow you to be recommended for licensure in these specialized areas.

A dual major must be paired with another major of any discipline. The dual major does not lead to a teaching certification.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS
100 years of experience — a leader in educating teachers and addressing critical educational issues for over 100 years
Seacoast Reads — a volunteer opportunity that helps regional elementary and middle school students improve their reading and writing skills
Engagement — benefit from dozens of collaborative relationships with regional schools and community agencies, as well as international partnerships.

TOPICS YOU MAY STUDY
Educational structure and change
Human development and learning
Education, poverty and development
Teaching race
Public issues, democratic schooling and active citizenship in a global context
Social change and education
Educating exceptional learners
Language and linguistic diversity in schools
Disability in inclusive schools and communities
“My mind and my heart were both shaped by the classes I attended, the people I met, and the experiences I had. I can’t express enough how much I loved my four years at UNH. I think UNH has to be the best teaching school in the State.”

— TATE ALDRICH ’08,
2017 NEW HAMPSHIRE TEACHER OF THE YEAR

AS AN EDUCATIONAL STUDIES DUAL MAJOR, AMONG YOUR POTENTIAL CAREERS ARE:
Community outreach coordinator
Curriculum materials developer
Education coordinator
Education specialist for NGO
Educational software developer
Legal advocate
Museum director/curator
Nutritionist
Physician
Psychologist
Social policy analyst

WITH A FOUR-YEAR CERTIFICATION OPTION, AMONG YOUR POTENTIAL CAREERS ARE:
Education coordinator
Health education teacher
Mathematics teacher
Music teacher
Physical education teacher
Preschool teacher
Program director

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