



| Fall 1                   | Credits   | Success Marker |
|--------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| ENGL 103                 | 3         |                |
| COMS 100                 | 3         |                |
| Gen Ed: Humanities (VPA) | 3         |                |
| Gen Ed: Humanities (LAS) | 3         |                |
| PSYC 102                 | 3         |                |
| <b>Total hours</b>       | <b>15</b> |                |
| <b>Notes/Comments:</b>   |           |                |

| Spring 1                | Credits   | Success Marker |
|-------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| ENGL 104                | 3         |                |
| BIOS 103                | 3         |                |
| Gen Ed: Humanities      | 3         |                |
| Gen Ed: Social Sciences | 3         |                |
| PHHE 206                | 3         |                |
| <b>Total hours</b>      | <b>15</b> |                |
| <b>Notes/Comments:</b>  |           |                |

| Fall 2                   | Credits      | Success Marker   |
|--------------------------|--------------|--|
| Gen Ed: MATH Core        | 3            | • C or better required in Gen Ed: Math Core and KNPE 200                     |
| Gen Ed: Science and Math | 3-4          |  |
| FCNS 201                 | 3            | • Students must earn a 2.75 cumulative GPA by the end of the Fall 2 semester |
| KNPE 200                 | 2            |  |
| KNPE 225                 | 2            |  |
| KNPE 226                 | 2            |  |
| KNDN 220                 | 2            |  |
| <b>Total hours</b>       | <b>17-18</b> |  |
| <b>Notes/Comments:</b>   |              |  |

| Spring 2               | Credits      | Success Marker  |
|------------------------|--------------|---|
| KNPE 340               | 3            | • An ICTS Test of Academic Proficiency passing score (or ACT waiver) is required for Application to the program                               |
| KNDN 351               | 2            |   |
| BIOS 311 or 357        | 4-5          | • Apply to the Teacher Education in Physical Education Major. The major requires a 2.75 cumulative GPA.<br>• C or better required in KNPE 340 |
| KNPE 209 and 227       | 1            |   |
| Gen Ed: Elective       | 3            |   |
| LTRE 310 or 311        | 3            |   |
| <b>Total hours</b>     | <b>16-17</b> |   |
| <b>Notes/Comments:</b> |              |   |

| Fall 3                          | Credits      | Success Marker  |
|---------------------------------|--------------|---|
| KNPE 343                        | 3            | • An NIU cumulative GPA of 2.75 and ICTS Test of Academic Proficiency passing score is required to register for Fall 3 courses. |
| KNPE 344                        | 1            |   |
| KNPE 335                        | 3            |   |
| KNPE 313 or KNPE 314            | 3-4          | • C or better required in KNPE 343, 344, 335 & 348  |
| KNPE 310                        | 3            |   |
| KNPE 348                        | 2            |   |
| TLCI 422 (for 6-12 minors only) | 3            |   |
| <b>Total hours</b>              | <b>18-19</b> |   |
| <b>Notes/Comments:</b>          |              |   |

| Spring 3               | Credits   | Success Marker  |
|------------------------|-----------|---|
| KNPE 446               | 3         | • Students must apply for KNPE 467 and 468 to be taken in Fall 4.   |
| KNPE 490               | 3         |   |
| KNPE 492               | 1         | • Content Area Test must be completed prior to student teaching.<br>• C or better required in KNPE 446, 490, 492, 367 or 368, and 364 |
| KNPE 452               | 4         |   |
| KNPE 367 or 368        | 3         |   |
| KNPE 364               | 3         |   |
| KNPE 422               | 1         |   |
| <b>Total hours</b>     | <b>18</b> |   |
| <b>Notes/Comments:</b> |           |   |

| Fall 4                 | Credits   | Success Marker   |
|------------------------|-----------|--|
| KNPE 421               | 2         | • Apply for graduation (by 2/1 for May, by 6/15 for August, or by 9/1 for December ) |
| KNPE 449               | 2         |  |
| KNPE 466               | 1         | • C or better required in KNPE 421, 449, 466, 467, 468, and 365 or 366               |
| KNPE 467               | 1         |  |
| KNPE 468               | 1         |  |
| KNPE 365 or 366        | 3         |  |
| EPS 405                | 3         |  |
| EPFE 321, 400 or 410   | 3         |  |
| <b>Total hours</b>     | <b>16</b> |  |
| <b>Notes/Comments:</b> |           |  |

| Spring 4               | Credits   | Success Marker  |
|------------------------|-----------|---|
| KNPE 483               | 6         | • Minimum of C or equivalent required in KNPE 483 and KNPE 484 or KNPE 485. |
| KNPE 484 or KNPE 485   | 6         |   |
| <b>Total hours</b>     | <b>12</b> | • APT must be passed prior to graduation                                    |
| <b>Notes/Comments:</b> |           |   |

Notes/Comments: This plan is an example of what a four year plan could look like for a typical student based on the above catalog. Placement exam scores in math as well as the completion of coursework may change the plan. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU and the Illinois State Board of Education. Retention GPA: Fall 3 through Spring 4 requires a minimum of a 2.75 cumulative GPA.