

Education Degrees Available Through the School of Education At Lake Superior State University (LSSU)

Subject Area	Elementary Major	Elementary Minor	Secondary Major	Secondary Minor
BIOLOGY			X	X
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION: Business Education			X	
CHEMISTRY			X	X
COMPUTER SCIENCE				X
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION *	X	X		
EARTH/SPACE SCIENCE (includes Geology, Astronomy, Meteorology, Physics & Oceanography)			X	X
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION		X		
ENGLISH (Elementary English degrees will be discontinued after Language Arts program is finalized and approved)	X	X	X	X
ECONOMICS				X
FRENCH	X	X	X	X
GEOGRAPHY				X
HISTORY			X	X
INTEGRATED SCIENCE (includes Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Physics, Meteorology, Astronomy & Oceanography)	X	X	X	
LANGUAGE ARTS (still under development)	X	X		
MATHEMATICS	X	X	X	X
PHYSICAL SCIENCE (features Chemistry & Physics)			X	
POLITICAL SCIENCE (not recommended for Ontario students)			X	X
SECONDARY EDUCATION				X
SOCIOLOGY			X	X
SOCIAL STUDIES	X	X	X	
SPANISH	X	X	X	X

* With ECE major or minor, you must take two other of the approved academic minors.

Notes:

- Each LSSU Teacher Education degree involves a proscribed set of courses followed by a one-semester internship in an Ontario (or Michigan, it's your choice) classroom. Also, if you wish, you can opt to serve a second semester of internship. Upon successful completion of the internship, you will be awarded your degree and teaching certification by the Michigan Department of Education. This certification is recognized by the Ontario College of Teachers.
- All the Education (EDUC) classes taken as part of the degree require you to assist in a school classroom for a specified number of hours.
- Before being accepted into the LSSU Teacher Education program (for which you apply during your final semester at Sault College), you must successfully complete all sections of the Michigan Test for Teacher Certification (MTTC) Basic Skills Test. It examines your reading, writing and arithmetic skills.
- If you wish to earn an Elementary teaching degree through LSSU, you may do this in one of two ways:
 - You earn a Bachelor's degree in a Major subject + complete the Elementary Education Minor and the Elementary Planned Programs
 - You earn a Bachelor of Science (BS) in Elementary Education + two Minors and the Elementary Planned Programs
- To earn a Secondary teaching degree through LSSU, you must complete one each of the above-mentioned Secondary Majors and Minors + the Secondary Education Minor. (Some choose to earn two Majors).
- To earn any LSSU teaching degree, you must maintain an overall G.P.A. of *at least* 2.7 (B-). You also must have a minimum of 2.7 in your Major, Minor and education subjects.
- Every LSSU degree includes a General Education component (32-40 credits) which involves specific courses. By earning a Liberal Studies diploma through Sault College, including a particular mix of classes with grades of "C" or better, you are forgiven the LSSU General Education requirement when you transfer.
- Before beginning your internship, you must successfully complete the MTTC Elementary or Secondary Education Methods test. If in Secondary, you must also pass the MTTC Major subject area test. Taking the Elementary subject area(s) or Secondary Minor area test is optional.