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1200+ HOURS OF FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE, EQUIVALENT TO ONE YEAR OF TEACHING EXPERIENCE.

95% OF OUR GRADUATES ARE EMPLOYED WITHIN A YEAR.

MULTIPLE PROGRAMS

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ACCREDITATION

The School of Education is accredited by the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), now the Council for the Accreditation for Educator Preparation (CAEP), and the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE). These accreditations ensure that you will be better prepared for licensing and advanced board licensure than students from non-accredited programs.

The 4 cornerstones

As a student in Loyola’s BSEd programs, your studies will be built around:

• Partnering with schools and communities
• Classroom diversity
• Ongoing classroom experience
• Professional learning communities

Your first career steps

The School of Education maintains strong partnerships with the Chicago Public Schools (the third largest school district in the country) and the Chicago Archdiocese Schools. These connections provide opportunities for student teaching, field experiences, and research to help you prepare for a career in education.

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