

The Early College Supporting Diverse Learners Pathway facilitates an understanding of K–12 schools as organizational systems, the development of foundational skills related to working in a K–12 school environment, and an awareness of the multiple dimensions of diversity represented in young student populations. Emphasis will be placed upon the formation and practical application of professional skills and dispositions expected of individuals working in a school environment.

**This pathway may lead to programs in a variety of majors at UMaine Machias, including:**

- B.S. in Education with concentrations in:
  - Elementary Education
  - Secondary Education
  - Special Education
  - Inclusive Early Childhood Education
- Minors in:
  - Coaching
  - Secondary Education

**Completion of these programs allows students to pursue careers in the following fields:**

- Activity/recreation director
- Case/care manager
- Educator in primary and secondary schools
- Family resource coordinator
- Family support professional/advocate
- Government official
- Negotiator/mediator
- Non-profit organization director
- Preschool teacher
- Sports administrator
- Youth counselor

**Delivery: On-campus, hybrid, or 100% online**  
**Credits: 13**

**Pathway Requirements:**

- EDU 112: Foundations of Education
- SED 201: Dimensions of Exceptionality in the Classroom
- SED 202: Communication and Collaboration in Special Education
- EDU 217: Working with Culturally Diverse Students
- EDU 359: Field Placement Lab

*Courses are listed in suggested sequence.*



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