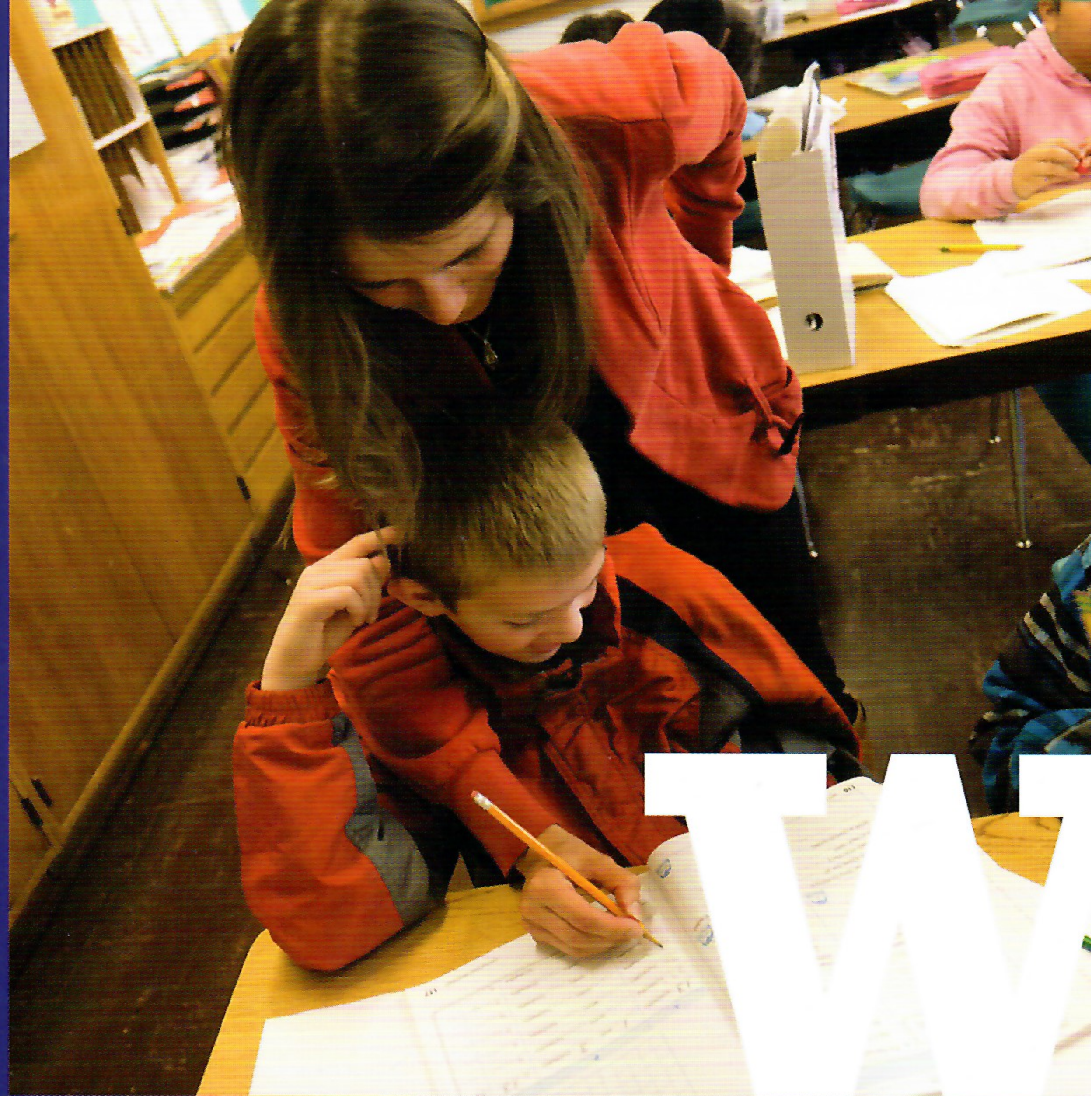


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Get more information about our teacher education programs, including details about prerequisites and application dates.

education.washington.edu/inquire/aboutyourself

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Once you've started work on your application, our staff can help you track your prerequisite requirements and the status of your endorsement coursework.

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"UW's program not only deepened my knowledge of special education, but also connected me to the special education community in Seattle. It gave me the tools to network with colleagues and continue to develop my teaching skill-set."

KELLEY CADE '13

Family Resources Coordinator, Boyer Children's Clinic

MORE RESOURCES

Student Diversity & Inclusion

education.uw.edu/osdi

Funding & Financial Aid:

education.uw.edu/financialaid

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"You are in the classroom, working with students right from the start. This 'doing' is coupled with valuable coursework involving theory, methodology, philosophy and psychology. The end result is a degree that provides you with the best in methods, theory and real world experience."

COULTER LESLIE '13, History Teacher, Seattle Public Schools

At the UW College of Education, we prepare teachers to engage and inspire students in poverty-impacted, culturally diverse schools.

Our graduates are driven by passion. They share a belief that every child deserves an outstanding education and a deep commitment to giving back to their communities. They have the knowledge and skills to partner with students, families and fellow educators to improve learning. They are ready to step into the classroom, and also know how to continue learning once they enter the profession.

You'll learn from world-class faculty and expert mentors who are developing the latest research-based methods for preparing teachers. From the very first weeks in your program you'll gain experience working with public school students in a variety of field-based learning opportunities. At the end of our program, you will graduate prepared to navigate the real-world challenges faced by teachers and improve the lives of children every day.

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NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED FOR EXCELLENCE

The UW College of Education is ranked among the nation's top 10 education schools by U.S. News & World Report. Our teacher preparation programs are ranked among the best in the country.

CHOOSE YOUR PATH

TEACHING IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS (K-8)

From start to finish, our students receive intensive mentoring and field-based instruction, including methods training in all the content elementary teachers teach: literacy, math, social studies, science, arts and more. You'll learn how to differentiate your teaching based on the strengths and needs of your students and incorporate technology into your practice. Our elementary teachers have the option of adding specialized preparation and endorsements in teaching English Language Learners, special education, reading and more.

TEACHING IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS (6-12)

Our students are subject matter experts in math, science, social studies, English language arts or a designated world language. We prepare graduates to address adolescent-specific issues, support youth from poverty-impacted communities, and help students transition into young adulthood. You'll receive expert mentorship and extensive fieldwork including a full year of school experience. Our secondary teachers have the option of adding specialized preparation and endorsements in teaching English Language Learners, special education and more.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Develop the expertise to help students with disabilities achieve their potential. We offer several options for students interested in working with children from birth through adulthood, as well as their families. Our world-renowned faculty provides leading edge knowledge in evidence-based practices, which you'll apply throughout extensive fieldwork in public schools, early childhood programs and other settings where special education students are served.

See inserts for specific information on pathways that lead to both a Washington State Residency Teacher License in Elementary Education, Secondary Education or Special Education and a master's degree.



"My school has worked with a number of teacher education programs, but teacher candidates from the UW are by far the most prepared, the most professional, and the most passionate about working with diverse students and families."

CLARE DUFFY '06

National Board Certified Teacher, Bellevue School District

WHAT SETS US APART

FIELD-BASED EXPERIENCES

Throughout our programs, students learn subject specific methods under UW faculty guidance and implement these teaching methods in actual classrooms. Our world-class faculty connect theory and practice for every student.

FOCUS ON POVERTY-IMPACTED COMMUNITIES & SCHOOLS

Today's reality of multi-ethnic, multi-cultural and high-poverty schools demands radically new educational approaches. We bring experience, empathy and inventive thinking to the task, generating groundbreaking ideas and acting on them — swiftly.

OUR SCHOOL PARTNERS ARE EXPERTS

We have developed deep partnerships with schools in the Puget Sound region, enabling you to draw on the expertise of outstanding practicing educators.

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Teaching doesn't end at the classroom door. Being a good teacher requires knowing the community and bringing this knowledge into the classroom through culturally responsive teaching. You'll engage with and learn from parents and community leaders throughout our program.

