

PROGRAM OF STUDY*



- **Human Growth and Development Through Adolescence**
This course focuses on physical, cognitive, social and emotional development from birth through adolescence. Students will become familiar with these topics through misc. partner work and teaching of material to fellow students.
- **Teaching as a Profession**
This course focuses on the profession of teaching -- its history, purposes, issues, ethics, laws and regulations, roles, and qualifications. Students should be given many opportunities to create and teach their peers. Educators should provide as many opportunities as possible for students to observe various teachers and “teach” their peers within their class using the information learned.
- **Foundations of Curriculum and Instruction**
This course explores curriculum delivery models and teaching methods used to satisfy the developmental needs of all children. This class should be based around refining students’ skills in creating and delivering lessons in preparation for the internship experience.
- **Teacher Academy of Maryland Internship**
This culminating course provides the students with actual classroom experience during which students will work with a mentor teacher. Students will be expected to be very active in the planning and teaching of material in their internship classroom. Students are required to teach a minimum of 10 lessons during their internship.

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