Teacher education at UW Oshkosh is a transformative experience that prepares future teachers to be effective in the classroom. No matter which academic program you choose, you earn more than a degree – you gain knowledge and experience that will launch you into the career of your dreams.

**AVERAGE ANNUAL STARTING SALARY**

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**STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS**

- **Aspiring Educators** – the student branch of WEAC, Wisconsin’s teacher organization and union.
- **Kappa Delta Pi** – the national honor society for educators.
- **Oshkosh Physical Education Club (OPEC)** – equips members with the latest information and tools in physical education, adapted physical education, health education and coaching.
- **ARTSCORE** – provides opportunities for students exploring careers in all grade levels and subject areas who are interested in integrating the arts into their future classrooms.

**FEATURED EMPLOYERS**

Oshkosh Area School District, Appleton Area School District, MyPath

**EDUCATION FOCUS**

- Literacy Learning
- Foundations of American Education
- Clinical Experience
- Student Teaching

**CHARACTERISTICS**

- Love working with children
- Self-motivated
- Collaborative nature

**COMMON JOB TITLES**

- Special Education Teacher
- Elementary/Middle/High School Teacher
- Instructional Coach

**JOB POSTINGS**

- WECAN
- Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
- Americorps

**EDUCATION FACTS**

- There were 550 graduates in the class of 2021
- 78 percent are working
- 47.8 percent of those working secured their job prior to graduation
- Education Fair by Career & Professional Development occurs every spring semester.

* Salary data from UWO 2021-2022 First Destination Outcomes report
** Salary data from NACE Class of 2021 Report