

CAREER ROADMAP:

Education

Description of Field:

Education includes teaching and training others in wide variety of settings. Including formal opportunities for teachers from preschool to college with broad populations of students. Education can also include support and administrative staffs working outside the classroom. Education can occur in many fields including community development; human services, such as counseling and social work; even in business in areas of human resources and training.

General Skills:

Education can require both knowledge of content and knowledge of teaching methods. Sample skills can include: critical thinking, interpersonal skills, presentation skills, reading comprehension and instructing.

Insider Advice:

Teaching in public schools requires a teaching certificate with many teachers holding Master's degrees in their field or in teacher education. Education, teaching & training can be utilized in many settings. Gain experience by volunteering with populations you are interested in.

Learn about Yourself & Career Options

What Can I Do With This Major:

[Education My Plan.Com: Education Related Careers](#)

Sample UF Majors:

[Art Education](#), [Business Administration](#), [Early Childhood Ed](#), [Elementary ProTeach](#), [Family, Youth & Community Science](#), [Health Education Liberal Arts & Sciences](#), [Music Education](#), [Psychology](#), [UF Teach](#)

Career Planning:

Our [Career Planning](#) staff can help you explore interesting major/career options, prepare for and start an internship/job search. Log in to view the ways we can help!

Build Experience

UF Organizations:

[Education College Council](#), [Kappa Delta Pi](#), [Florida 4-H](#)

Visit [Student Activities & Involvement](#) for Additional Opportunities

Professional Organizations:

[National Education Association](#), [Association of Teacher Educators](#), [Council for Exceptional Children](#), [International Association of Teachers of English as a Foreign Language](#), [American College Personnel Association](#)

Sample Local Opportunities:

[Gainesville Volunteer](#), [Baby Gator](#), [Child Advocacy Center](#)

Prepare for Your Next Step

Sample Job Titles:

[Program Instructor](#), [Teacher](#), [Education Counselor](#), [Educational Ambassador](#), [Education Coordinator](#), [Education Manager](#), [Physical Education Teacher](#)

Search for Internships & Jobs:

[Gator CareerLink Jobs](#), [Society for Training and Development](#), [ESL Employment](#), [Teachers-Teachers](#), [Education America](#), [Idealist](#)

Sample Employers Recruiting at UF:

[Kaplan](#), [School District of Palm Beach County](#), [SumTotal](#), [Teach for America](#)

Log into [Gator CareerLink](#) to search for employers hiring UF students and additional resources