SCIENCE EDUCATION (SCIE)

SCIE 551 TEACHING SCIENCE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD (2)
Course is designed to familiarize the student with appropriate methods and materials in science for the young child. Emphasis will be on interdisciplinary approach. Prerequisite: ECED 341 (may be taken concurrently).

SCIE 570 SEQUENTIAL SCIENCE MODULES FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER I (1-3)
Three different modules of science instruction will be offered each semester for teachers of primary and intermediate grades. The course will emphasize instructional strategies in both the process and content of the science. A student may elect to take one, two or all three modules for 1, 2 or 3 credits respectively. All students must attend the first class meeting for course orientation. Thereafter, each module will meet once a week for four weeks. Each meeting will consist of approximately four hours laboratory work. Prerequisite: Teaching experience in the elementary school.

SCIE 572 SEQUENTIAL SCIENCE MODULES FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER III (1-3)
Three different modules of science instruction will be offered each semester for teachers of primary and intermediate grades. The course will emphasize instructional strategies in both the process and content of the science. A student may elect to take one, two or all three modules for 1, 2 or 3 credits respectively. All students must attend the first class meeting for course orientation. Thereafter, each module will meet once a week for four weeks. Each meeting will consist of approximately four hours laboratory work. Prerequisite: Teaching experience in the elementary school.

SCIE 573 SEQUENTIAL SCIENCE MODULES FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER IV (1-3)
Three different modules of science instruction will be offered each semester for teachers of primary and intermediate grades. The course will emphasize instructional strategies in both the process and content of the science. A student may elect to take one, two or all three modules for 1, 2 or 3 credits respectively. All students must attend the first class meeting for course orientation. Thereafter, each module will meet once a week for four weeks. Each meeting will consist of approximately four hours laboratory work. Prerequisite: Teaching experience in the elementary school.

SCIE 574 SEQUENTIAL SCIENCE MODULES FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER V (1-3)
Three different modules of science instruction will be offered each semester for teachers of primary and intermediate grades. The course will emphasize instructional strategies in both the process and content of the science. A student may elect to take one, two or all three modules for 1, 2 or 3 credits respectively. All students must attend the first class meeting for course orientation. Thereafter, each module will meet once a week for four weeks. Each meeting will consist of approximately four hours laboratory work. Prerequisite: Teaching experience in the elementary school.

SCIE 575 SEQUENTIAL SCIENCE MODULES FOR THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER VI (1-3)
Three different modules of science instruction will be offered each semester for teachers of primary and intermediate grades. The course will emphasize instructional strategies in both the process and content of the science. A student may elect to take one, two or all three modules for 1, 2 or 3 credits respectively. All students must attend the first class meeting for course orientation. Thereafter, each module will meet once a week for four weeks. Each meeting will consist of approximately four hours laboratory work. Prerequisite: Teaching experience in the elementary school.

SCIE 576 ENGINEERING IN INTEGRATED STEM EDUCATION (3)
Students investigate the engineering design process, engineering habits of mind, and engineering fields, and consider how teachers teach and students learn about engineering and to engineer in the context of integrated STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) education in grades PreK-12.

SCIE 577 EARTH-SPACE & PHYSICAL SCIENCE IN INTEGRATED STEM EDUCATION (3)
Students explore physical and Earth-space science concepts, scientific practices, and ways in which teachers teach and students learn about these concepts and practices in the context of integrated STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) education in grades PreK-12.

SCIE 650 SPECIAL TOPICS IN SCIENCE EDUCATION (1-4)
Selected topic in science education. Prerequisite: Varies with topic.

SCIE 651 SPECIAL TOPICS IN SCIENCE EDUCATION (1-4)
Selected topic in science education. Prerequisite: Varies with topic.

SCIE 652 SPECIAL TOPICS IN SCIENCE EDUCATION (1-4)
Selected topic in science education. Prerequisite: Varies with topic.

SCIE 653 SPECIAL TOPICS IN SCIENCE EDUCATION (1-4)
Selected topic in science education. Prerequisite: Varies with topic.

SCIE 685 PRACTICUM IN INTEGRATED STEM EDUCATION (3)
Practices and trends in organizing, teaching, and improving programs in PreK-12 integrated STEM education.