

BA EDST Suggested Pathway

Target: Instructional Design and Adult Learning

Below is a summary of a suggested pathway through the BA Educational Studies. Additional Pathways are provided for specific destinations after the BA.

Courses may be offered Fall, Winter and Spring/Summer. Please refer to [MyOntarioTech](https://myontariotech.ca) for more details about course offerings.

Year	Course	Recommended Prior or Concurrent Learning:
1	EDST 1000U - Foundations of Learning	
	EDST 1100U - Problem and Inquiry-Based Learning	EDST 1000U
	EDST 1130U - Writing & Information Literacy in the Digital Age	
	EDST 1230U - Design Thinking and Visual Design for Educational Contexts	
	Open Elective ¹	
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2	EDST 2150U - Teaching to Facilitate Learning	EDST 1000U
	EDST 2110U - Assessment and Evaluation	EDST 1000U
	EDST 2140U - Creating Digital Tools	EDST 1000U; EDST 1230
	EDST 2500U - Foundations of Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion	
	Educational Studies Elective ²	
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	Open Elective ¹	
	Open Elective ¹	
	Breadth Elective ³	
	Breadth Elective ³	

Year	Course	Recommended Prior or Concurrent Learning:
3	EDST 3000U - Instructional Design	EDST 2110; EDST 2140; EDST 2150
	Educational Studies Elective ² at the 3000 or 4000-level	
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	Breadth Elective ³	
	General Elective ⁴	
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4	Educational Studies Elective ² at the 4000-level	
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	General Elective ⁴	
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Electives

- **¹ Open Elective**
 - A course from any faculty at any level
- **² Educational Studies Elective**
 - Any EDST course that is not a core course
 - See below for recommended electives for Instructional Design and Adult Learning
- **³ Breadth Elective**
 - 9 credit hours outside the Faculty of Education above the 1000-level courses.
- **⁴ General Elective**
 - A course from any faculty at the 2000 level or above

Students must ensure that all prerequisites are met for elective courses.

Depth Requirements

- In total, at least 12 courses are required at the 3000- and 4000-level.

- No more than 14 courses may be at the 1000 level.

Recommended Electives for Instructional Design and Adult Learning

Adult Learning with Technology Specialization

EDST 2410U – Foundations of Adult Learning

EDST 3120U – Workplace Learning

EDST 3440U – Managing and Developing eLearning Projects

EDST 3460U – Working with Clients and Partners

EDST 4470U – Trends and Issues in Educational Technology

Other Recommended Electives

EDST 2120U – Culture and Digital Technologies

EDST 2160U – Online Learning: Theory and Research

EDST 3110U – Critical Digital Literacies

EDST 3140U – Digital Communication Technologies

EDST 4120U – Gaming and Simulations

EDST 4470U – Trends and Issues in Educational Technology

EDST 2170U – Designing Inclusive Learning Environments

EDST 3500U – Unlearning and the Inclusive Curriculum

EDST 4510U – Enabling Learning through Technology

EDST 4530U – Social Justice Issues in Education

EDST 3999U – Special Topics Courses (varies from year to year)

EDST 4300U – Engaged Educator Project I

EDST 4301U – Engaged Educator Project II

EDST 4900U – Research Literacy for Education

EDST 4901U – Research Project

EDST 4980U – Work Integrated Learning I

EDST 4981U – Work Integrated Learning II

EDST 4999U – Directed Studies (design your own course with a professor)