

EPI Schedule for Spring 2024 (2024-2)	
TRACK A Reading Endorsement Track	Elementary Education (K-6) Prekindergarten-Primary Education (Age 3 through grade 3) Middle Grades English (5-9) English (6-12) Reading (K-12) Reading (endorsement) English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) (K-12) ESE (K-12)
TRACK B Reading Competency 1-2 Track	All other FTCE Certifications not listed under Track A.
Register for FTCE General Knowledge Tests (GKT) and FTCE Professional Education Exam (PED) at www.fl.nesinc.com	
For information regarding EPI admission requirements and directions to apply for placement, please email Dr. Tony De Souza, EPI Program Coordinator (tdesouza@polk.edu)	

NOTE: The following three EPI courses (EPI0003, EPI0020, EPI0030) are **NOT** attached to the **EPI0095 Field Experience** class. These EPI courses do not need to be taken in conjunction with EPI0095 in the same semester.

You may view the course offerings here and see the Reference #s for each class. Please note the <u>specific</u> Reference #s and only self-enroll into the EPI course(s) with those Reference #s. This will prevent registration into the incorrect courses. All EPI course registration must be completed in the college's PASSPORT portal. After you've completed your registration(s) in PASSPORT, all tuition will be due.		
EPI Courses	Dates / Ref #s / Faculty	PASSPORT Registration
EPI0003 Technology Course Duration: 5 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Jan 8-Feb 11 Faculty: Professor T. Warner Ref # 111069	For TRACKS A and B This course is not attached to EPI0095 Field Studies
EPI0003 Technology	Dates: Apr 1-May 3	For TRACKS A and B

Course Duration: 5 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Faculty: Professor C. Kauffman Ref # 112796 TBD – On Hold	This course is not attached to EPI0095 Field Studies
EPI0020 Professional Foundations Course Duration: 4 weeks Two (2) Institutional Credit	Dates: Feb 12-Mar 10 Faculty: Dr. T. De Souza Ref # 111076	For TRACKS A and B This course is not attached to EPI0095 Field Studies
EPI0020 Professional Foundations Course Duration: 4 weeks Two (2) Institutional Credit	Dates: Apr 1-Apr 28 Faculty: Dr. T. De Souza Ref # 111075 TBD – On Hold	For TRACKS A and B This course is not attached to EPI0095 Field Studies
EPI0030 Diversity in the Classroom Course Duration: 4 weeks Two (2) Institutional Credit	Dates: Feb 12-Mar 10 Faculty: Dr. T. De Souza Ref # 111077	For TRACKS A and B This course is not attached to EPI0095 Field Studies
EPI0030 Diversity in the Classroom Course Duration: 4 weeks Two (2) Institutional Credit	Dates: Apr 1-Apr 28 Faculty: Professor M. Infante Ref # 111078	For TRACKS A and B This course is not attached to EPI0095 Field Studies

NOTE: The **EPI0095 Field Experience** class is integrated with five specific EPI courses: EPR-0001, EPI0002, EPI0004, EPI0010, and EPI0015. These courses are required to be taken in conjunction with EPI0095 within the same semester.

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EPI0001 Classroom Management Course Duration: 5 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Jan 8-Feb 11 Faculty: Professor B. Woolery Ref # 111065	For TRACKS A and B This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester.
EPI0001 Classroom Management Course Duration: 5 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Feb 12-Mar 17 Faculty: Professor A. Hurtt Ref # 111066 TBD – On Hold	For TRACKS A and B This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester.

EPI0010 Foundations of Research-Based Practices in Reading Course Duration: 6 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Jan 8-Feb 18 Faculty: Professor K. Coates Ref # 111072	For TRACK A ONLY This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester.
EPI0010 Foundations of Research-Based Practices in Reading Course Duration: 6 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Feb 19-Apr 7 Faculty: Professor K. Coates Ref # 111073	For TRACK B ONLY This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester.

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EPI0002 Instructional Strategies Course Duration: 6 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Jan 29-Mar 10 Faculty: Professor L. Ellis Ref # 111067	For TRACK A ONLY This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester.
EPI0002 Instructional Strategies Course Duration: 5 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Apr 8-May 5 Faculty: Professor R. Slaughter Ref # 111068	For TRACK B ONLY This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester.
EPI0004 Teaching & Learning Course Duration: 6 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Feb 12-Mar 24 Faculty: Professor L. Ellis Ref # 111070	For TRACK A ONLY This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester.
EPI0004 Teaching & Learning Course Duration: 5 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Dates: Apr 1-May 3 Faculty: Professor A. McCray Ref # 111071	For TRACK B ONLY This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester.
EPI0015 Reading Competency 5	Dates: Mar 25-May 3	For TRACK A ONLY

Course Duration: 6 weeks Three (3) Institutional Credit	Faculty: Professor K. Coates Ref # 111074	This course must be taken with EPI0095 Field Studies in the same semester. Prerequisites: Must have completed EPR0001 (if applicable) EPI0002 , EPI0004 , EPI0010 before registration will be permitted to take EPI0015.
Students will not be able to self-enroll into EPI0015 as this is a restricted course for TRACK A students only. The EPI office will complete the registration for all TRACK A students directly with the Registrar's office the middle of February. If you're a TRACK A student, you will need to send an email request to Dr. Tony De Souza (tdesouza@polk.edu) by February 1, 2024 and he will complete your enrollment into EPI0015. Tuition will be due once you receive the confirmation notice in your Passport portal.		

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EPI Courses	Dates / Ref #s / Faculty	PASSPORT Registration
EPI0095 Field Experience Course Duration: 15 weeks Five (5) Institutional Credit	Dates: Jan 15-May 3 Faculty: Professor K. Coates Ref # 111079	For TRACK A ONLY This course must be taken in conjunction (same semester) with EPI0001, EPI0002, EPI0004, EPI0010, EPI0015)
EPI0095 Field Experience Course Duration: 15 weeks Five (5) Institutional Credit	Dates: Jan 15-May 3 Faculty: Professor N. Murphy Ref # 111080	For TRACK A ONLY This course must be taken in conjunction (same semester) with EPI0001, EPI0002, EPI0004, EPI0010, EPI0015)
EPI0095 Field Experience Course Duration: 15 weeks Five (5) Institutional Credit	Dates: Jan 15-May 3 Faculty: Professor J. Pemberton Ref # 111081	For TRACK B ONLY This course must be taken in conjunction (same semester) with EPI0001, EPI0002, EPI0004, EPI0010)
EPI0095 Field Experience Course Duration: 15 weeks	Dates: Jan 15-May 3 Faculty:	

Five (5) Institutional Credit	<p>Professor S. LaGrande Professor J. Pemberton Ref # 111082</p> <p>Field Experience will be online through the Florida Virtual School (FLVS)</p>	<p>For NON-TEACHERS ONLY in TRACK A or TRACK B (This EPI0095 class is for students that are not currently working/teaching fulltime at a school)</p> <p>This course must be taken in conjunction (same semester) with EPI0001, EPI0002, EPI0004, EPI0010, EPI0015)</p>
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