Montana Grow Your Own Educator Program

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HB 403 Grow Your Own Educator Specifics

- Montana needs to align prepared teachers with rural Montana schools
- Montana Post-Secondary Institutions partnered with K-12 schools on the Quality Critical Educator Shortage list
- Three grantees for biennium who will serve some of Montana’s most rural schools
Stone Child College

- Project Title: Grow Your Own Aspiring Educators
- Courses Offered Spring 2022:
  - Intro to Education
  - College Algebra
  - College Writing II
- Number of Credits Offered Spring 2022: 9
- January 2022 Start Date
- Number of Students Anticipated/Enrolled: 6 students
- Work Based Learning: Students enrolled in Intro to Ed will complete field placement hours as an Elementary Aide or Early Childhood Aide or after school tutor – students will utilize Cree language while completing work-based learning experience
Montana State University Northern

• Project Title: Teachers of Promise Pathway (TOPP)
• Courses Offered Spring 2022:
  • EDU 201 Intro to Education with Field Experience @ Havre High School)
  • EDU 225 Introduction to Education Psychology @MSU Northern
  • HTH 110 Personal Health & Wellness @ MSU Northern
  • M130 Math for Elementary Teachers @MSU Northern
  • PSYX 230 Developmental Psychology @MSU Northern
• Number of Credits Offered Spring 2022: 18 credit hours – plus dual credit
• January 2022 Start Date
• Number of Students Anticipated/Enrolled: 12 juniors and seniors
• Work Based Learning: K-5 field experiences
Great Falls College Montana State University

• Project Title: Teachers of Promise Pathway (TOPP) with Montana State University-Montana

• Courses Offered Spring 2022:
  • Concurrent in High Schools:
    • Intro to General Chemistry w/Lab (CHMY 121) @ Central Catholic
    • Intro to Literature (LIT 110) @ CMR
    • College Writing I (WRIT 101) @ CMR
    • Intro to American Government (PSCI 210) @ CMR and GFHS
  • Online or on-campus: All General Education core classes available for dual credit

• Additional Courses Concurrent Fall 2022:
  • Intro to Education (EDU 200) at CMR and GFHS
Blackfeet Community College

- Project Title: Native Early Experiences in Teaching
- Courses Offered Spring 2022: 4
  - PKNI 129 Piikunni History
  - M 121 College Algebra
  - BIO 201/202
  - COMX 110 Speech
- Number of Credits Offered Spring 2022: 12
- January 2022 Start Date: January 7
- Number of Students Anticipated/Enrolled: 43
- Work Based Learning: Three weeks at semesters end for credit.
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