FOUNDATION EDUCATION COURSES

1) Your first set of Education courses are called “foundation education” courses.
   • Usually potential Education majors and minors first take EDUC 185 during their first January-term at Luther College. If it is not possible to take EDUC 185, take EDUC 215 sophomore J-term.

2) Foundation courses include the following:
   • EDUC 220: “Educational Psychology”
   • EDUC 221: “The Diverse and Exceptional Learner”
   • Introductory Education Methods course for your anticipated primary licensure area:
     o EDUC 222: for anyone anticipating the Elementary Education major
     o EDUC 232: Music Education minors
     o EDUC 252: Secondary Education minors & Health Education minors
   • ART 222: Art Education minors

3) Keep the following in mind as you anticipate application to the TEP:
   • Your overall GPA must be 2.75.
   • You need to be alert to the mandatory meetings that will held.
   • The semester you take your first 200-level foundation course, you will purchase a Chalk & Wire account that you will use for your portfolios throughout the TEP. **$125**
   • You need to pass the “reading,” “writing,” and “math” subtests of either the **Praxis Core** or the **MN NES**.

Read more on the Requirements and Current Students pages of the Education website.