EDEC EDEL 3384  Science Principles for EC-Grade 6  Three semester hours.

This course focuses on scientific concepts for Early Childhood through Grade 6. Special emphasis is placed on scientific investigation strategies and academic content established in state curriculum guidelines and standards. Prerequisites: PSYC 2314: admitted to and in good standing in the College of Education. EDEC 2324, admission to the College of Education, and 2.7 overall grade-point average.

Justification:
Previously an early childhood course, this course is a required course in the new elementary education programs (EC-6). Thus, the EDEL Prefix (elementary) replaces the EDEC prefix. Likewise, PSYC 2314 replaces EDEC 2324 as the course in human development as PSYC 2314 covers development across the life span, whereas EDEC 2324 only dealt with development of the young child.

Response Required:  New course will be part of major ____ minor ____ as a required ___
or elective ____ course

Response Required: New course will introduce ____, reinforce ____, or apply ____ concepts

If new, provide Course Prefix, Number, Title, Measurable Student Learning Outcomes, SCH Value, Description, prerequisite, and lecture/lab hours if applicable. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red and provide a brief justification.

Program: Delete: ___ Add: ____ Change: ____ Attach new/changed Program of Study description and 4-year plan. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red.


Minor: Add: ____ Delete: ____ Change: ____ Attach new/changed minor. If in current online catalog, provide change and attach text with changes in red.

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