**Early Childhood Education Faculty
9-Month Tenure Track Position**

The Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP) accredited Department of Education at Louisiana State University in Shreveport seeks applications for an Assistant/Associate Professor of Early Childhood Education (tenure track). Applicants must be strongly committed to excellence in teaching and advising, and to working in an environment that fosters diversity. They must also have an ability to use technology effectively in teaching and learning, the ability to work collaboratively, evidence of scholarly activity, and a commitment to public higher education. This position would involve teaching undergraduate courses in early childhood (PK-3rd grade) as well as elementary mathematics courses with a 4/4 faculty load.

**Qualifications:**

* Earned doctorate degree in education at the time of appointment.
* Early Childhood and/or Elementary Education certification
* Minimum of five years of teaching experience in PK-3
* Qualified to teach undergraduate methods and materials courses in early childhood education
* Evidence of collaboration with local school systems, community agencies and other professionals
* Evidence of the application of technology
* Experience with data-driven instructional decision making and co-teaching
* Evidence of scholarly activities (i.e., journal articles, research projects, grant writing, etc.)
* Evidence of meeting the needs of diverse students

**Preferred:**

* PhD in Curriculum and Instruction with an emphasis on Early Childhood Education
* Experience teaching elementary mathematics
* Dyslexia training
* University teaching experience
* Knowledge of standard requirements: Interstate Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium (InTASC), Louisiana Teacher Preparation Competencies, and Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP) Standards.

To apply for this position, a CV, cover letter, and a list of contact information for at least three references should be sent electronically to:

Rosie Cooper, Chair Search Committee
LSU Shreveport, Department of Education
One University Place, BE 366
Shreveport, LA 71115
rosie.cooper@lsus.edu

Questions may also be submitted to Rosie Cooper. Review of complete applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. LSUS is an Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity employer.

**About LSUS:**

In addition to a collegial faculty, our university boasts a high percentage of faculty with terminal degrees. The LSUS Department of Education enrolls approximately 175 undergraduate students pursuing majors in elementary and secondary education. Our graduate program serves more than 750 students in our accelerated online Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction (MEDCI) and Master of Education in Educational Leadership (MEDL) programs.

**About Shreveport:**

The Shreveport/Bossier City area offers an attractive quality of life, combining the conveniences of a big city with the warmth and hospitality of a smaller town. With a metropolitan area of more than 358,000, the Shreveport-Bossier City area offers a low cost of living, affordable housing, and many diverse dining and entertainment options. Exceptional outdoor recreational opportunities abound. Frequently called "A Sportsman's Paradise" the area's mild climate, various lakes and rivers, and beautiful parks create the perfect setting for jogging, cycling, water and jet-skiing, hunting, and fishing. Entertainment venues include the Brookshire Grocery Arena which hosts numerous musical events, comedians, rodeos, and children's events, among others. Shreveport also hosts dozens of festivals with regional food and music, and offers regular theatrical productions, ballet performances, as well as performances by the Shreveport Symphony. Shreveport is also home to the American Rose Center.