Welcome
inspiring the next generation

we develop educational leaders who create tomorrow’s opportunities
what we offer

43 degrees in four departments
6 on-campus labs
2 residential colleges
**College of Education**

We provide the keys to academic excellence

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We offer hands-on learning opportunities

Student-run clubs
- CECK—Community Engaging Cultural Knowledge
- FTC—Future Teachers Club
- NAzAEYC—Northern Arizona Association for the Education of Young Children
- Kappa Delta Pi

Co-curricular organizations
- Arizona Education Association
- Future Language Teachers of Arizona
- Educators Rising
- The Lumberjack (award-winning student newspaper)

Study abroad programs
- NAU in Italy—Culture, Curriculum & Contexts of Schooling
- NAU in Germany, Austria, & Switzerland—Integrated Curriculum and Place-Based Education
who we are

a community of changemakers, filled with engaged faculty and driven, motivated peers
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Committed faculty who are:

• established researchers, scholars, and professionals
• focused on students and their success
• proud to be mentors

We develop solutions to challenges and drive innovation in a supportive, inclusive, and diverse environment.

Dr. Christine Lemley
Educational Studies
“Dr. Lemley uses class discussions to keep you engaged, and challenges students to make it applicable to a career as a teacher.”
“She is very passionate about what she is teaching and wants to get to know each of her students.”

Dr. Gerald Wood
Educational Leadership
“He cares so much about his students and making everyone feel like a someone in the classroom and teaches you ways to do that.”
“I never had such a dedicated teacher before.”
Fostering student success through:

- hands-on experiences
- access to mentors
- connection to academics
- financial support

**Kayla Reyes**
Special Education & Elementary Education
- aspires to work with special-needs students
- provided behavioral support at FUSD high schools
- worked with non-verbal students in the classroom

**Hannah Gish**
Elementary Education
- junior Honors College ambassador
- presented at annual Undergraduate Symposium
- spent a semester abroad in Spain and is working on a minor in Spanish

“NAU students are more experienced because they have so many hours in the classroom. In your first year of teaching, it helps you hit the ground running.”
Potential meets satisfaction

9% of world leaders hold an education degree.

In the US, roughly 90% of teachers report high levels of job satisfaction.

– Visual Capitalist and US News 2019

Educational leadership in practice

“Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire.” – W.B. Yeats

Educators have options

Many specialized programs expand your career options:
• school psychologist
• classroom teacher
• educational researcher
• school superintendent
• university professor

Education brings value beyond the blackboard.

1. craft everything from curriculum to corporate training
2. conduct research that contributes to the academic community
3. help shape the policies that govern educational institutions
Ready to be a Lumberjack?

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