

## Quotes from Cadets

"Cadet teaching is the best part of my day! I get to spend 2 hours a day with adorable kindergartners and I get to leave the high school after 5th hour.

Before I started cadet teaching, I honestly wasn't sure if education was for me; but now after this experience, I cannot wait to be an elementary teacher." — Jessica, Senior '09

"Cadet teaching is the best class I have ever taken!" — Katy, Senior '09

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## Pre-Professional Education Cadet



## Cadet Teaching:

The mission of this class is to teach the important skills, knowledge, and values necessary to be a successful teacher in the future. Cadet Teaching provides the means for exploring the opportunities in education before entering a teaching program at the university level.

Receive two weighted credits at the high school level.



Cadets are assigned to an elementary or middle school within their high school attendance boundary.

Cadet teachers may enroll in EDFL 2100 Foundations of Education and FLDX 2150 Field Experience through the University of Central Missouri for 3 hours of college credit.

### What are my responsibilities as a Cadet Teacher?

The cadet teacher works under the direct supervision of a certified teacher as they gain knowledge and experience related to the field of teaching. Cadets



will spend a minimum of two-thirds of their time in teaching activities and one-third in non-teaching activities. You must furnish your own transportation. Cadets spend four days per week with their supervising teacher and one

day per week at UCM Summit Center.

### What are teaching activities?

Working with individual or small groups of students on drill and practice activities, reading aloud to the class.

Helping with the lesson(s)

Presenting a lesson

Attending field trip(s)

### What are non-teaching activities?

Organizing materials for the class, making copies

Creating bulletin boards and room displays

Grading papers

Researching topics for the teacher

### Fun Assignments

Reading children's books

Creating bulletin boards

Developing lesson plans

Attending a full day at the assigned school

Going on field trips

