

# TEACHER EDUCATION



## TO BECOME A TEACHER

**Do you remember your favorite teacher?** Follow your calling and become the next generation's favorite teacher. Let's go all in together.

Starting from your first year, gain real-world experience visiting and working in local classrooms. Grow your professional network and employment opportunities through fieldwork and student teaching. Our graduates are highly sought after in their field.

Deepen your understanding of complex social challenges that impact the modern classroom. Drawing from Christian principles, learn how to meaningfully support your students' diverse needs. Learn and apply current research, implementing evidence-based best practices to create authentic and inclusive learning environments.

Become prepared to earn your New York State certification in your chosen field of study. We'll boost your confidence through 1:1 faculty advising and test preparation.

After earning your bachelor's degree, deepen your skills by easily enrolling in our Special Education or Literacy master's programs built for working professionals.



**95%**  
of graduates  
employed in  
their field



**Observation**  
Observational  
hours start in your  
freshman year



**Dual Acceptance**  
Be considered  
for our Master's in  
Special Education or  
Literacy programs



**ROBERTS**  
WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

# AVAILABLE MAJORS

**APPLY  
FOR  
FREE**



**What makes you want to become a teacher? Is it a special teacher? Your passion for your favorite subject? Do you feel called to help students?** Whatever inspires you, you'll explore it here at Roberts.

## **ENGLISH TO SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES (K-12)**

Serve multicultural and multilingual learners. Your career can take you all around the world. Study how to teach students of many languages in one classroom, meet diverse needs, and aspects of different languages.

## **PHYSICAL EDUCATION (K-12)**

Learn classroom management, the science of fitness, and coaching techniques. Earn an automatic minor in Coaching. Learn to network and present at the annual New York State Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance Conference.

## **MUSIC EDUCATION (K-12)**

Inspire young minds and kindle a love for music that will last forever. Learn to lead with confidence, sharpen your vocal and/or instrumental musical skills, and leave a lasting legacy.

## **ART EDUCATION (K-12)**

Combine your passion for art with your desire to serve others. This major will provide you with a strong foundational method of art making and theory.

### **Early Childhood & Special Education (Birth-Grade 2) Childhood & Special Education (Grades 1-6)**

**In either of these majors, you'll choose a concentration in:**

- Historical and Social Sciences
- Language Arts
- Liberal Arts and Sciences
- Math, Science & Technology (Emphasis on Math or Science)
- Social Studies

### **Adolescent Education (Grades 7-12)**

- Become certified in teaching Biology, Chemistry, English, Mathematics, Physics, or Social Studies
- You may also choose to become dual-certified in Special Education

## STORIES LEADING THE WAY

**Lily Sluk '22, '24 (Childhood and Special Education, Literacy)** began her career in this program. After graduation, her first job was at Longridge Elementary as a third-grade teacher.

She shares, "One thing I love about Robert's undergrad program is how incredibly practical the courses are. Almost every class gave me hands-on experience practicing the concepts I was learning about."

It didn't stop there for Lily. She chose to dig deeper and pursue her Master's of Literacy at Roberts.

She says, "One thing that sparked my interest was the fact that the program is fully online. I could not find any other programs that gave me a Master's in Literacy for [only] 30 credits at an affordable cost and [also helped me earn my] K-12 certification. Roberts checked all my boxes and I am loving the program so far."

