



Office of  
Field Experiences

## **ELEM 494 - Practicum III: Inquiry-Based Learning (2 credits)**

### **Description:**

ELEM 494 is an opportunity for education students to implement and assess inquiry-based instructional activities within an elementary classroom. This practicum will include individual, small group, and large group instruction. A minimum of 40 observation/engagement hours at assigned school(s) will complement the student's attendance at university-led weekly seminars.

### **CWU Student Expectations:**

- Participate in math-related learning activities and assessments using inquiry-based learning methods.
- Participate in science-related learning activities and assessments using inquiry-based learning methods.

### **Course Outcomes:**

*Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:*

- Engage in math assessment and inquiry-based instruction.
- Engage in science assessment and inquiry-based instruction.

### **Supervision:**

CWU site supervisor will conduct observations and/or visits. Elementary school personnel should complete the [Focus of Concern Form](#) or contact the Coordinator of Field Experiences ([Heather.Spalding@cwu.edu](mailto:Heather.Spalding@cwu.edu)) if concerns arise.

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