



WHAT IS ELEMENTARY TEACHER EDUCATION?

The Elementary Teacher Education program is designed to prepare students to become K-5th grade teachers. The program provides students with the necessary preparation for teaching subjects such as reading, writing, grammar, math, geography, and history. The Elementary Teacher Education degree provides students with the education on how to blend classroom theory into teaching methods to develop a creative method of teaching.

INTERESTS

(THINGS YOU LIKE TO DO)

- Teaching and training others
• Developing others
• Thinking creatively
• Leading
• Working closely with others
• Create lesson plans
• Creative activities



SKILLS

(THINGS YOU WILL LEARN & USE)

- Critical thinking
• Time management
• Detail orientated
• Problem solving
• Math and reasoning skills
• Teamwork
• Reading comprehension
• Instructing
• Learning strategies
• Judgment and decision making

LAVC DEGREES & CERTIFICATES OFFERED

This degree is designed to provide a broad introduction to the humanities, social and natural sciences, and arts for students interested in a liberal arts education or becoming elementary school teachers. Students will examine the human condition from a variety of academic perspectives and use this interdisciplinary approach to understand historical and contemporary issues. Critical thinking, speaking, and writing skills are emphasized. LAVC offers the following degree:

- Associate of Arts for Transfer (AA-T) in Elementary Teacher Education

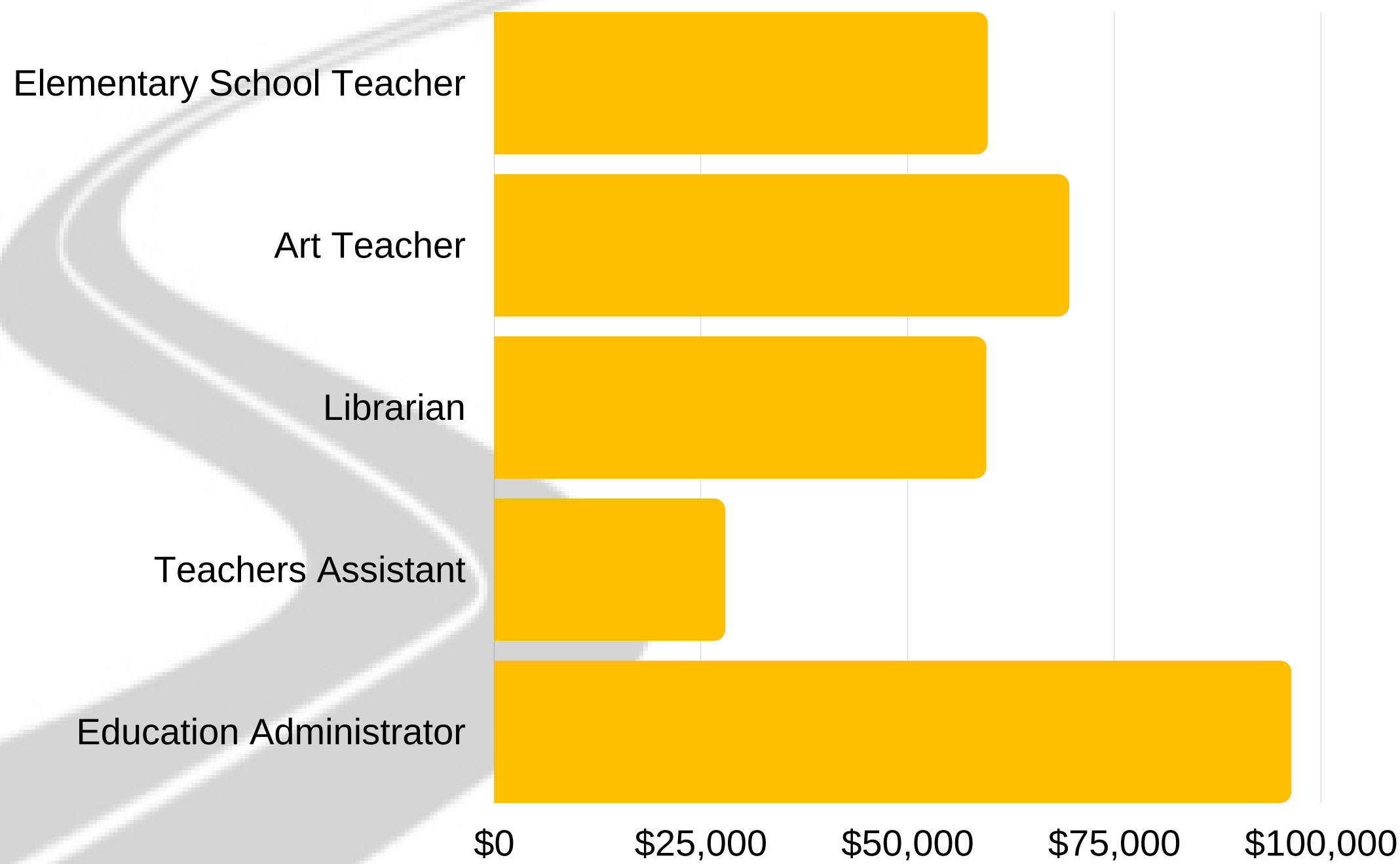
TRANSFER RELATED MAJORS

- CSU San Marcos: Liberal Studies, Teaching - Elementary Subject Matter Preparation Option (ESM)
• San Jose State University: Social Science, Preparation for Teaching (Multiple Subject)
• CSU Los Angeles: Urban Learning
• CSU Bakersfield: Liberal Studies, Traditional Credential
• CSU Stanislaus: Liberal Studies, Teaching English to Speakers of other Languages
• San Diego State University: Liberal Studies, Education
• UC Irvine: English, Optional Specialization: English for Future Teachers



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MAJOR GUIDE SHEET

EARNINGS*



**Earnings can vary by occupation and experience. The following are median wages as of 2018 in California based on CaliforniaCareerZone.org*

FOR MORE INFORMATION

- www.lavc.edu/transfer
- [https://www.lavc.edu/counseling/General-Degrees-Certificates/Elementary-Teacher-Education-\(AA-T\).aspx](https://www.lavc.edu/counseling/General-Degrees-Certificates/Elementary-Teacher-Education-(AA-T).aspx)
- www.lavc.edu/transfer/majors/default.html
- www.assist.org
- www.eureka.org
- www.cacareerzone.org
- www.onetonline.org
- <http://degrees.calstate.edu/>
- https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/files/undergraduate_majors_list.pdf

RELATED OCCUPATIONS

- Elementary school teacher
- Preschool teacher
- Teachers assistant
- Education administrator
- Librarian
- Art teacher
- Classroom teacher



POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS

- Public elementary & secondary schools
- Recreation centers
- Early childhood education centers
- Tutoring centers
- Afterschool programs
- Private school

This general information is provided by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center. For specific information about majors and careers please make an appointment to see a counselor either online, in person at the Counseling Department (Student Services Annex) or by phone at (818) 947-2474.