

*What Can I do with a major in....?*

# Education Pre K - Primary

## Typical Employers

- Dade County Public Schools
- Archdiocese of Miami Schools
- Miami Montessori School
- Sylvan Learning Centers
- Tutors

## Typical Work Activities

Design classroom presentations to meet students' needs and abilities

Plan, evaluate, and assign lessons

Prepare, administer, and grade tests

Listen to oral presentations; and maintain classroom discipline.

Observe and evaluate a student's performance and potential

## Occupational Titles

- Teacher
- Tutor
- Principal
- School Administrator
- School Librarian
- School Guidance Counselor
- Reading Specialist
- Instructional Coordinator

## Internet Sites

<http://www.stats.bls.gov/oco/ocos069.htm>

<http://www.recruitingteachers.org>

<http://www.teachers.net/>

<http://www.ncate.org/>

<http://www.gradebook.org/primaryteacher.html>

## Professional Associations

[AFT - American Federation of Teachers](#)

[NEA - National Education Association](#)

## Skills and Abilities

In addition to being knowledgeable in their subject, teachers must have the ability to communicate, inspire trust and confidence, and motivate students, as well as understand the students' educational and emotional needs. Teachers must be able to recognize and respond to individual and cultural differences in students and employ different teaching methods that will result in higher student achievement. They should be organized, dependable, patient, and creative. Teachers also must be able to work cooperatively and communicate effectively with other teachers, support staff, parents, and members of the community.



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