

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE

SOCIAL STUDIES EDUCATION

Students in the College of Education and Human Development with a primary teaching area in Social Studies Education must be advised in the Department of History and Political Science before registering for courses each semester. Students with a secondary teaching area in Social Studies Education should be advised in the department of their primary teaching area.

PRIMARY TEACHING AREA

For a primary teaching area in Social Studies Education, the department requires 61 hours, as specified below:

Economics 102.....	3 hours
Geography 431.....	3 hours
Geography 432.....	3 hours
History 101 or 101H.....	3 hours
History 102 or 102H.....	3 hours
History 201 or 201H.....	3 hours
History 202 or 202H.....	3 hours
History 321.....	3 hours
History 322.....	1 hour
History 400-level American ¹	3 hours
History 400-level Asian/Russian ²	3 hours
History 400-level British/European ³	3 hours
History 400-level Latin American ⁴	3 hours
History 400-level Elective.....	3 hours
History 497.....	3 hours
Political Science 201.....	3 hours
Political Science 202.....	3 hours
Political Science 425, 426, and/or 428.....	6 hours
Sociology 401, 411, or 465.....	3 hours
Sociology 471.....	3 hours

¹History 469, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 482, 485, 487, 489, 492, 493, 495, or 496.

²History 444, 445, or 454.

³History 409, 410, 416, 418, 419, 423, 424, 429, 433, 434, 437, 438, 439, 440, or 468.

⁴History 446, 447, 448, or 449.

SECONDARY TEACHING AREA

For a secondary teaching area in Social Studies Education, the department requires 21 semester hours, as specified below:

Group I (9-10 hours)

Geography 103, 431, or 432

OR

Sociology 101, 410, 411, 465, or 471..... 3 hours

History 321..... 3 hours

History 322⁵..... 0-1 hours

Political Science 201..... 3 hours

Group II (6 hours)

European History

History 101/409/410/416/418/419/423..... 3 hours

History 102/424/429/433/434/454/468..... 3 hours

OR

British History

History 437/438/439/440⁶..... 6 hours

OR

Asian History

History 444/445..... 6 hours

OR

Latin American History

History 446/447/448/449⁷..... 6 hours

OR

Miscellaneous

Any courses from Group II..... 6 hours

Group III (6 hours)

American History

History 201/469/473/474/475/476/477/478/485/492 3 hours

History 202/479/480/482/487/489/493/495/496/497⁸ 3 hours

⁵ History 322 is not required but is available for students who need additional in-class teaching hours to meet the requirement of 180 prior to practice teaching.

⁶ Courses from this group recommended for English Education majors.

⁷ Courses from this group recommended for Spanish Education majors.

⁸ History 497 is not required but is available for students who need additional in-class teaching hours to meet the requirement of 180 prior to practice teaching.

SECONDARY TEACHING AREA FOR SOCIAL STUDIES MAJORS

Students with a primary teaching area in Social Studies Education are not required to have a secondary teaching area. However, Social Studies Education majors may elect to pursue one or more secondary teaching areas in Communication, English, Foreign Language (French, Spanish), Mathematics, or Science (as described under the appropriate departments in the catalogue section for the College of Education and Human Development).

DOUBLE MAJORS AND DOUBLE DEGREES

Social Studies Education majors may elect to earn a Double Major in Social Studies Education and History (requires an additional 27 hours¹), a Double Degree in Social Studies Education and History (requires an additional 30 hours²), or a Double Major/Degree in Social Studies Education and Political Science (requires an additional 36 hours³).

¹Three hours Arts (Art 105 or 106, Music 151, or Theatre 131); twelve hours Foreign Languages (taken sequentially); three hours of History (as approved); three hours Philosophy 301 or 302; three hours Philosophy 315 or 417; three hours Political Science 300.

²Three hours Arts (Art 105 or 106, Music 151, or Theatre 131); twelve hours Foreign Languages (taken sequentially); three hours of History (as approved); three hours Philosophy 301 or 302; three hours Philosophy 315 or 417; three hours Political Science 300; and three hours Elective.

³Three hours Arts (Art 105 or 106, Music 151, or Theatre 131); twelve hours Foreign Languages (taken sequentially); three hours Philosophy 301, 302, or 313; three hours Political Science 300; three hours of Political Science 401, 403, 407, 432, or 434; three hours Political Science 436, 460, or 462; three hours Political Science 438, 440, 442, 444, or 446; three hours Political Science 450, 451, or 452; three hours Political Science 490.

MINORS

Social Studies Education majors automatically earn a minor in History and may elect to earn additional minors in any subjects. It may be particularly beneficial for Social Studies Education majors to obtain a minor in English (requires an additional 12 hours in English), Geography (requires an additional 12 hours of Geography), Political Science (requires an additional 6 hours of Political Science), or Sociology (requires an additional 12 hours of Sociology). Note that a minor is not equivalent to a secondary teaching area.

HONORS DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL STUDIES EDUCATION

For the Honors Diploma in Social Studies Education majors must complete the following requirements:

English 121H or 123H 3 hours

English 122H or 124H 3 hours

History 101H 3 hours

History 102H 3 hours

English 291H, English 292H, Economics 201H, GBIO 151H, Math 161H,
Honors 191, Honors 311, Honors 312, Honors 313, or Honors 314¹ 3 hours

History 201H 3 hours

History 202H 3 hours

Foreign Language 101 3 hours

Education 472H 3 hours

Economics, Geography, History, Political Science, and/or
Sociology 400-level Honors Option courses 6 hours

Honors 300 (senior thesis)² 1 hour

Total 34 hours

¹ Any one of these courses can be substituted for similar curriculum requirements with the approval of the Department Head.

² The domain in which the student will complete the thesis project will be determined during the student's enrollment in History 497. Social Studies Education majors must participate in the College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences' undergraduate research program, a service learning project, an internship, or the Study Abroad program.

Social Studies Education majors following Honors Core Curriculum Path Three for the Honors Diploma in a Discipline AND the University Honors Program must complete a total of 40 hours in Honors courses, including the courses listed above and an additional 12 hours in Geography, History, Political Science, or Sociology 400-level Honors Option courses and/or Honors 311, Honors 312, Honors 313, or Honors 314. This will add 6 hours of Foreign Language to the total degree hours required.

Social Studies Education majors following Honors Core Curriculum Path Four for the Honors Diploma in Liberal Studies may obtain the Honors Diploma in Liberal Studies AND in a Discipline by completing a total of 43 hours in Honors courses and 12 hours in a single Foreign Language, including the courses listed above and an additional 15 hours of Honors courses and 6 hours of Foreign Language. This must include English 291H, English 292H, Honors 311, Honors 312, Honors 313, Honors 314, Foreign Language 201, and Foreign Language 202. This will add 12 hours of Foreign Language and 12 hours of Honors courses to the total degree hours required.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR COURSES

All 100 and 200-level History and Political Science courses require the use of department approved rental texts, on which students must be tested. All 300 and 400/500-level History, Political Science, and Philosophy courses require essay exams, term papers and/or book reviews; and books discussions and/or oral presentations by students.

CURRICULUM IN SOCIAL STUDIES EDUCATION LEADING TO THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

FIRST YEAR

FIRST SEMESTER	S.H.	SECOND SEMESTER	S.H.
Arts 105 or 106, Music 151, or Theatre 131	3	†Economics 102	3
English 101 or 121H or 123H ¹	3	†English 102 or 122H or 124H ¹	3
†History 101 or 101H	3	†History 102 or 102H	3
Mathematics 161	3	Mathematics 162, 185, or 241	3
†Psychology 101	3	Natural Science ²	3
Library Science 102	1	†Sociology 101	3
Southeastern 101	2		
	18		18

SECOND YEAR

††Education 203	2	Communication 210	3
††Education 212	1	English 230, 231 or 232	3
English 230, 231 or 232	3	†History 202 or 202H	3
†History 201 or 201H	3	†Political Science 202	3
†Political Science 201	3	Natural Science ²	3
Natural Science ²	3	†Special Education 210	2
	15		17

THIRD YEAR

†Education Psychology 311	3	†Education Psychology 315	3
†Education 407	3	†Education 472	3
†Geography 431	3	†Geography 432	3
†History 321	3	†History 322	1
†History 400-level (American) ³	3	†History 400-level (British/European) ⁴	3
†Political Science 425, 426, 428	3	†Political Science 425, 426, 428	3
	18		18

FOURTH YEAR

†Education 475	1	Education 486	9
†Education 490	6		
†History 400-level (Asian) ⁵	3		
†History 400-level (Latin American) ⁶	3		
†History 497	3		
	16		9

Southeastern 101 is not required of transfer or readmitted Southeastern students with 30 hours or more. Those students will replace Southeastern 101 with 2 hours of free electives.

† A grade of C or better is required.

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¹ Students may not receive credit for both English 121H and English 230 or for both English 122H and English 230.

² To include both Physical and Biological Sciences, at least 6 hours of which must be in a two-semester sequence.

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