

Grades 4 Through 8 Certification (BS) (IDSM) Middle School – Social Studies

Entrance Requirements

Science: 4 semesters of HS science other than physical science, ≥ 27 on ACT science subscore.

Deficiency: 3 hours in field other than HS

Foreign Language: 4 semesters, one language, in HS.

Deficiency: 6 hours in one language.

Other Notes

Entering students with fewer than 64 hours and all students planning to take their first college math course must have appropriate SAT/ ACT/ COMPASS scores for placement. Consult the current university catalog for information on the schedule of future course offerings and prerequisites for course enrollment.

See catalog for dual major and dual degree requirements

Exceptions must be approved on the appropriate exception or substitution form.

Electives

General electives (may include deficiency in foreign language); may **not** include Academic Advance courses; arrange to ensure ≥ 33 advance hours.

University Core	Interdisciplinary Major
Bible	Social Studies Teaching Field
BIBL 101 Life and Teachings of Jesus 3	ECON 260 Principles of Macroeconomics 3
BIBL 102 Acts-Revelation 3	EDUC 331 Teaching Social Studies in Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 8 3
BIBL 211 Message of the Old Testament 3	GEOG 235 World Geography 3
BIBL 212 Christianity in Culture 3	GEOG 354 Historical and Cultural Geography 3
Advanced Bible (Recommended BIBL 390, 430, 434, 438) 3	HIST 117 Civilization I 3
English	HIST 118 Civilization II 3
ENGL 111 Composition and Rhetoric 3	HIST 480 Texas History 3
Literature- choose one: ENGL 221, 222, 231, 232, 262, 263 3	HIST 496 History for Teachers 3
Speech	POLS 225 National Government 3
COMS 286 Speech Activities in Elementary School 3	Other Requirements
History	CHEM 203 General Science for Elementary Teachers 3
HIST 221 American History I 3	ENGL 350 Literature for Children or
Science	ENGL 351 Literature for Young Adults 3
Courses in two fields: biology, chemistry, geology, physics, AENV/ITEC 130, NUTR 120 6	MATH 147 Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I 3
Mathematics	READ 322 Reading Secondary Content Areas 3
MATH 148 Mathematics for Elementary Teachers II 3	SPED 471 Teaching Students with Special Needs 3
EXSC 100 +3 activities 4	TECH 210 Technology in Education 3
UNIV 100 University Seminar 1	Professional Education Requirements
Total University Core 41	EDUC 211 Educational Foundations and Multicultural Perspectives 3
BS Degree Core	EDUC 321 Educational Psychology 3
English	EDUC 335 Teaching in the Middle School 3
ENGL 112 Composition and Literature 3	EDUC 412 Secondary Curriculum and Media 3
Social Sciences/ Humanities	EDUC 432 Secondary Management and Methods 3
HIST 222 American History II 3	EDUC 470 Teaching Mathematics in Elementary Grades 3
POLS 226 States and Federal System 3	EDUC 499 Student Teaching: Secondary 6
SOC 111 Introduction to Sociology 3	<small>Must make application and be approved to take EDUC 499; minimum grade of "B" for EDUC 412 and 432 to student teach. GPA of 2.70 required to remain in Teacher Education Program</small>
Fine Arts	Total 66
Choose one: ART 101, MUSM 230, THEA 220 or THEA 250 3	
Total BS (IDSM-Middle School) Core 15	

Electives- Minimum 6	Other Graduation Requirements
	Minimum GPA for graduation 2.70
	Minimum advanced hours 33
	Minimum total hours 128
	<small>ACAD hours do not count in minimum hours required for degree</small>

