



Secondary Education Degree Course Requirements
Social Studies

Liberal Arts & Sciences Core (41cr)

| Course Name/Number | Credits |
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| ACS 1000 Augustinian Culture Seminar | 3 |
| ACS 1001 Augustinian Culture Seminar | 3 |
| Intermediate Language I | 3 |
| Intermediate Language II | 3 |
| ENG CLAWS | 3 |
| THL 1000 Faith, Reason and Culture | 3 |
| THL 2000+ Advanced Theology | 3 |
| PHI 1000 Knowledge, Reality and Self | 3 |
| ETH 2050 The Good Life: Ethics and Contemporary Moral Problems | 3 |
| Fine Arts* | 3 |
| MAT 1201 or higher | 3 |
| Mendel Science Experience I | 4 |
| Mendel Science Experience II | 4 |

*AAH 1101 or 1002 Art History preferred

Professional Education Courses (46cr)

| Course Name/Number | Credits |
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| EDU 2202* Social Foundations of Education | 3 |
| EDU 2300* Research Seminar | 3 |
| EDU 3000 Professional Development in Education | 1 |
| EDU 3251 Psych of Teaching and Learning | 3 |
| EDU 3263* Diversity & Inclusion | 3 |
| EDU 3264** Intro to Disability Studies | 3 |
| EDU 4245 Literacy & English Language Learners | 3 |
| EDU 4285 Methods of Teaching Social Studies | 3 |
| EDU 4290 Philosophy of Education | 3 |
| EDU 4291 Student Teaching | 9 |
| EDU 4292 Seminar | 3 |
| MAT or CSC course | 3 |
| ENG Advanced Elective | 3 |
| EDU 2253 or 3258 or 3262 | 3 |

*Satisfies Social Science Requirements.

**Satisfies Diversity I Requirement.

Turn over for concentration area required courses.

Courses Required for Social Studies Certification (39cr)

| Course Name/Number | Credits |
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| ECO 1001 Intro to Microeconomics OR ECO 1002 Intro to Macroeconomics | 3 |
| GEV 1002 Geo. of a Globalizing World | 3 |
| PSC 1100 Intro. to American Government | 3 |
| PSC 1200 Intro. to International Relations | 3 |
| PSY 1000 General Psychology | 3 |
| HIS 2000 Investigating US History I | 3 |
| HIS 2001 Investigating US History II | 3 |
| One European History course before 1750 | 3 |

One of the following:

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| GIS 2000 Intro to Global Interdisciplinary Studies | 3 |
| CST 2100 Intro to Cultural Studies | 3 |

One of the following:

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| SOC 1000 Intro to Sociology | 3 |
| SOC 3600 Race & Ethnic Relations | 3 |

One of the following:

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| HIS 2296 History of American Women | 3 |
| HIS 3360 Women in the Pre-Modern West | 3 |
| HIS 3361 Women in Modern European Society | 3 |
| HIS 4090 Women in the Middle East | 3 |
| HIS 4528 Women in Modern Science & Tech. | 3 |

One of the following:

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| HIS 2291 African American History During Slavery | 3 |
| HIS 2292 African Amer. Hist. Since Emancipation | 3 |

One History class in one of the following areas:

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| Latin American History | 3 |
| Middle Eastern History | 3 |
| African History | 3 |
| Asian History | 3 |

Individuals seeking Instructional I certification in Pennsylvania must pass the state required Praxis examinations.

Required tests:

- PAPA – May not be needed if SAT/ACT scores meet required cut off scores. Must be taken before junior year.
- Social Studies 7-12 Praxis Test 5081

<https://www.ets.org/praxis/pa/requirements/>