

Integrated Social Studies (7-12) Teacher Licensure Requirements

Program Requirements

- Gen Ed: Satisfactory completion of all general education requirements (generally 55 sem hrs).
Major: Satisfactory completion of 36 sem. hrs. in history plus 28 sem hrs in related social studies disciplines for a total of 64 sem hrs as described below.
Education: Satisfactory completion of a minor in education (34 sem hrs;) as described below.
Electives: Since this program, as described, is a 130 sem hr program of study, there are no electives since the graduation requirement is also 130 semester hours. There are, however, “choices” in selecting courses within Gen Ed and social studies requirements.

Note: In most instances, licensure in Integrated Social Studies can be completed within the traditional four-year program of study. This assumes students enter Wittenberg ready for the 112-level of foreign language and that 20 sem hrs of course work in social studies and education also fulfill related general education requirements in Social Institutions, Philosophical Inquiry, Western Historical Perspectives, and Non-Western Cultures.

Note: Beginning with the class of 2010, all courses in the teaching field must be passed with grades of C- or higher. See the Academic Catalog for additional requirements for admission and continuance in the program. Courses may not be offered every year. Be sure to check with the department for schedule of course offerings.

Required in History (36 sem hrs) The following coursework must cover at least 3 continents* and one course must examine the pre-modern era.

- ___ Hist 106 The Modern World (4)
- ___ Hist 202 Topics: _____ (4) All versions of Hist 202 include writing & interpreting history.
- ___ Hist 203 Topics: _____ (4) All versions of Hist 203 include a study of the craft of history.
- ___ US History I – Pre-Civil War (4 Credits). *May be fulfilled by such courses as:*
- ___ Hist 201 Topics: Amer. Revolutionary War (2)
- ___ Hist 201 Topics: Civil War (2)
- ___ Hist 221 United States History I (4)
- ___ US History II – Post-Civil War (4 Credits). *May be fulfilled by such courses as:*
- ___ Hist 201 Topics: United States History & the Cold War (4)
- ___ Hist 222 United States History II (4)
- ___ Hist 390 Reading Colloquium (4)
- ___ Hist 411 Senior Seminar (4)

plus, 8 sem hours at the 300-level or higher

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*The 3 continent requirement will be waived if both Hist 105 & 106 are taken.

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Required in Related Areas (28 sem hrs)

Economics, one course:

___ Econ 190 Principles of Economics (4)

Geography, select one of the following:

___ Geog 101 Cultural Geography (4)

___ Geog 120 Human Ecology (4)

Political Science, four courses:

___ Poli 101 American National Government (4)

___ Poli 102 Introduction to Comparative Politics (4)

___ Plus, one course, at the 200-level or above in International Relations:

___ Poli 251 International Relations (4)

___ Poli 252 International Organizations (4)

___ Poli 259 Topics in International Relations (4)

___ Poli 350 American Foreign Policy (4)

___ Poli 352 Russian Foreign Policy (4)

___ Poli 354 Chinese Foreign Policy (4)

___ Poli 355 East Asian Foreign Relations (4)

___ Poli 359 Advanced Topics in International Relations (4)

___ Plus, one course, at the 200-level or above from one of the following areas:

American Politics:

___ Poli 221 State and Local Government (4)

___ Poli 222 Urban Politics (4)

___ Poli 224 The Presidency (4)

___ Poli 229 Topics in American Politics (4)

___ Poli 232 Public Opinion (4)

___ Poli 234 Black Politics (4)

___ Poli 236 Media and Politics (4)

___ Poli 302 North American Politics (4)

___ Poli 320 Public Administration (4)

___ Poli 321 Public Policy (4)

___ Poli 323 The U.S. Congress (4)

___ Poli 329 Advanced Topics in American Politics (4)

___ Poli 332 Political Parties and Interest Groups (4)

Political Theory and Law:

___ Poli 215 American Political Thought (4)

___ Poli 227 Criminal Law and Politics (4)

___ Poli 322 American Constitutional Law (4)

Sociology, select one of the following:

___ Soc 101 Introduction to Sociology (4)

___ Soc 110 Cultural Anthropology (4)

___ Soc 290 Global Change (4)

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Required in Education (34 sem hours)

Note: All education courses must be passed with grades of C- or higher. See Academic Catalog for additional requirements for admission to and continuance in the program.

Entry-Level Courses

- ___ Educ 103 S Sociological Perspectives in Education (4)
- or, Educ 104 R Philosophical Perspectives in Education (4)
- ___ Educ 112 Human Development & Learning Theory: Middle Childhood through Young Adult (2)
- ___ Educ 120 Introduction to Students with Special Needs (2)
(Educ 112 and 120 are to be taken concurrently)

Advanced Courses

Admission to the Teacher Education Program is required. Apply no later than midterm prior to enrollment in the first course.

- ___ Educ 307 Curriculum and Instruction for the Middle Grades (4)
- ___ Educ 308 Curriculum and Instruction for High School (4)
- ___ Educ 312 Reading and Writing in Content Areas (4)

Student Teaching

Application for permission to student teach must be submitted early spring term of the junior year. Educ 342, 348 and 495 are to be taken concurrently. Educ 342 & 349 are scheduled the first five weeks of the term. Ten weeks of full-time student teaching is scheduled for the remainder of the term. Other coursework, if taken, must be scheduled for late afternoon or evenings during the term.

- ___ Educ 342 Including Students with Special Needs in Middle & Secondary Grades (2)
- ___ Educ 349 Teaching Social Studies in Secondary Schools (2)
- ___ Educ 495 Student Teaching (10)

Additional Education Requirements:

- ___ Successful completion of State Board of Education Examinations
(Complete during the senior year)

Note: Changes in this program of study must be approved by the Chairperson of the major department and the Director of Teacher Licensure, Wittenberg University.