SECONDARY EDUCATION: 
SOCIAL STUDIES, BS

Degree Requirements

Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2022-2023. Learn more about University Academic Regulation 3.1 (http://catalog.okstate.edu/university-academic-regulations/#matriculation).

Minimum Overall Grade Point Average: 2.50
Total Hours: 124

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**General Education Requirements**

*English Composition*

See Academic Regulation 3.5 (http://catalog.okstate.edu/university-academic-regulations/#english-composition)

- ENGL 1113 Composition I 3
- ENGL 1313 Critical Analysis and Writing I 3
- Select one of the following:
  - ENGL 1213 Composition II 3
  - ENGL 1413 Critical Analysis and Writing II 3
  - ENGL 3323 Technical Writing 3

*American History & Government*

- HIST 1483 American History to 1865 (H) 1 3
- POLS 1113 American Government 1 3
- Analytical & Quantitative Thought (A)
  - MATH or STAT course designated (A) 3

*Humanities (H)*

- HIST 1613 Western Civilization to 1500 (H) 1 3
- HIST 1623 Western Civilization after 1500 (H) 1 3

*Natural Sciences (N)*

- Courses designated (N) with one (L) 8
- Social & Behavioral Sciences (S)
  - GEOG 1113 Introduction to Cultural Geography (IS) 1 3

**Additional General Education**

- Courses designated (A), (H), (N), or (S) 8

**Hours Subtotal**

12

**Diversity (D) & International Dimension (I)**

- May be completed in any part of the degree plan
- Select at least one Diversity (D) course
- Select at least one International Dimension (I) course

**College/Departmental Requirements**

- Minimum grade of "C" or "P" in each course
- EDHS 1112 First Year Seminar 2
- CIED 4133 Introduction to K-12 English Language Learners 3
- Select 7 hours of electives (3 hours may need to be foreign language) 7

**Recommended:**

- ANTH 3353 Cultural Anthropology (IS)
- ANTH 4883 Comparative Cultures (IS)
- CIED 4194 Teaching Writing in the Secondary School

**CIED 4313** Young Adult Literature
**CIED 4473** Reading for the Secondary Teacher
**EDHS 4110** Professional Education Seminar
**EPSY 4223** Psychological Foundations of Learning and Instruction

**Hours Subtotal**

12

**Major Requirements**

Minimum GPA 2.50 with a minimum grade of "C" in each course

**Economics**

- ECON 2103 Introduction to Microeconomics (S) 3
- ECON 2203 Introduction to Macroeconomics 3

**Government**

- Select 6 hours POLS (POLS 2013, POLS 2113 suggested) 6

**Oklahoma History**

- HIST 3703 Oklahoma History (DH) 3

**Psychology**

- PSYC 1113 Introductory Psychology (S) 3

**Sociology**

- SOC 1113 Introductory Sociology (S) 3

**U.S. American History**

- HIST 1493 American History Since 1865 (DH) 3
- Select 6 upper-division hours of U.S. American HIST 6

**Suggested courses:**

- HIST 3613 American Colonial Period to 1750 (H)
- HIST 3623 Era of the American Revolution (H)
- HIST 3653 Civil War and Reconstruction, 1850-1877
- HIST 3673 United States History, 1919-45 (DH)
- HIST 3683 United States History Since 1945 (DH)

**Areas**

- Select one of the following areas: 12

  **World History and Geography Area**

  - Select 3 hours of upper-division World History

  **Suggested courses:**

  - HIST 3403 East Asia to 1800 (H)
  - HIST 3453 Colonial Latin America (H)
  - HIST 3483 Reformation Europe, 1517-1648 (H)
  - HIST 3503 Medieval Islamic History (H)

  - Select 3 hours of Non-Western History (in addition to GEOG 1713/GLST 1713, which is required if this area is selected)

  **Suggested courses:**

  - GEOG 1713 Regions & Nations in Global Context (IS)
  - GEOG 1713 or GLST 1713 Regions & Nations in Global Context (IS)

**Sociology/Psychology Area**

- Select 6 hours of Sociology (3 hours must be upper division)

**Suggested courses:**

- GEOG 3123 Urban Geography (S)
- GEOG 3163 Economic Geography (S)
- GEOG 3173 Cultural Geography (S)
- GEOG 3713 Exploring North America and Diversity (DS)
Secondary Education: Social Studies, BS

SOC 3133  Racial and Ethnic Relations (DS)
SOC 4383  Social Stratification (S)
Select 6 hours of Psychology (3 hours must be upper-division)

Suggested courses:
PSYC 3013  Psychology of Motivation
PSYC 3113  Comparative Psychology (N)

Hours Subtotal

Professional Core Requirements
Minimum GPA 2.50 with a minimum grade of “C” or “P” in each course

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Total Hours 124

Minimum GPA 2.50 required in combination with Major Requirements. Certification requirements that meet General Education requirements.

Full admission to Professional Education required.

Additional State/OSU Requirements

- At least: 60 hours at a four-year institution; 30 hours completed at OSU; 15 of the final 30 or 50% of the upper-division hours in the major field completed at OSU.
- Limit of: one-half of major course requirements as transfer work; one-fourth of hours earned by correspondence; 8 transfer correspondence hours.
- Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation and any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation.
- Degrees that follow this plan must be completed by the end of Summer 2028.

Other Requirements

- 40 hours of upper-division coursework.
- Required for graduation and recommendation for Standard Certification:
  a. 2.50 Overall GPA;
  b. 2.50 GPA in Major Requirements; and
  c. 2.50 GPA in Professional Core Requirements.
- The student must earn minimum grades of “C” or “P” in each course in the Major Requirements and Professional Core Requirements and specified courses in General Education; and must earn grades of “P” in all sections of observation courses and student teaching for recommendation for Certification.
- Students must demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language at the novice high level from among those languages identified by the Office of Educational Quality and Accountability.
- For teacher certification, students must successfully complete OSAT (017), “U.S. History/OK History/Government/Economics”.
- Students may also take OSAT (018), World History/Geography” and/or OSAT (032) “Psychology/Sociology” to add additional certification areas.