

Student: _____

ID#: _____

Advisor: _____

School of Education 4-8 Social Studies

2021-2022 Catalog

DATE: ____/____/____

Overall Requirements to Graduate

- 120+ semester hours
- Completion of core curriculum
- Completion of a major
- 36 upper division credit hours
- GPA above 2.0
- Major GPA above 2.0
- Minor/Program complete (optional)



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Credit Hour Breakdown	
Hours completed	
Hours in progress	
Core hours needed	
Major hours needed	
(Minor hours needed)	
(Other hours needed)	
Elective hours needed	
TOTAL HOURS (120+)	

Core Curriculum (45-47 hours)			Complete	Needed
Theology (9 credit hours) Must take in order. (Pre-req: Phil 1311 or 1315/3315)				
<input type="checkbox"/> THEO 1301/3301 Intro to Sacred Scriptures <input type="checkbox"/> THEO 2301/3311 Teachings of the Catholic Church <input type="checkbox"/> THEO 3349 Christ and the Moral Life (Phil 2314 or 2316/3316)	Students with 30-59 transfer hrs: 6-9 hours THEO 6-9 hours PHIL 3 hours Synthesis <i>(18 hours total)</i>	Students with 60+ transfer hrs: 6 hours THEO 6 hours PHIL NO synthesis <i>(12 hours total)</i>		
Philosophy (9 credit hours) Choose one sequence:				
<u>Systematic Sequence (must take in order)</u> <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 1311 Philosophy of the Human Person <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 2314 Ethics <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 3313 Metaphysics	<u>Historical Sequence (must take in order)</u> <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 1315/3315 Ancient Philosophy <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 2316/3316 Medieval Philosophy <input type="checkbox"/> PHIL 3317 – Modern Philosophy			
Synthesis Course (3 credit Hours)				
Choose one synthesis course from the Synthesis Course List.				
English (9 credit hours)* Must take in order.				
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1341 The Classical Tradition: Literature & Composition I <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1342 The Middle Ages: Literature & Composition II <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 2312 The Modern World: Literature & Composition III		*Students with transfer credit: 3 transfer credits: <i>Take 1341/1342 (left)</i> 6 transfer credits: <i>Take ENGL 3312 (below)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 3312 <i>Perspectives in World Lit.</i>		
History (6 credit hours) Choose one pair of courses:				
<u>World History</u> <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1335 World Community I <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1336 World Community II	<u>U.S. History</u> <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2333 U.S. History to 1877 <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2334 U.S. History since 1877		(Included in major)	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 credit hours) Choose one option:				
<u>Social and Behavioral Sciences Option</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Choose two courses from the Social and Behavioral Sciences Core course list.	<u>Social and Behavioral Sciences + Oral Communication Option</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Choose one course from the Social & Behavioral Sciences Core course list. <input type="checkbox"/> Choose one course from the Communication Core Course list.		(Included in major)	
Natural Sciences (8-10 credit hours) Choose one option:				
<u>Natural Sciences Option (8 credit hours)</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Choose two lecture/laboratory courses from the Natural Sciences Core course list.	<u>Natural Sciences + Modern and Classical Language Option (10 credit hours)</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Choose one lecture/laboratory course from the Natural Sciences Core course list. <input type="checkbox"/> Choose two sequential courses in a language. Courses must be completed in order			
Mathematics (3 credit hours)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose one course from the Mathematics Core Course list.				
Fine Arts (3 credit hours)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose one course from the Fine Arts Core Course list.				
Freshman Symposium (1 credit hour) Required for all incoming freshmen.				
<input type="checkbox"/> UNIV 1111 Freshman Symposium				

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Major Requirements (72 credit hours)	Completed	Needed
History (15 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1335 – World Community I <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1336 – World Community II <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2333 – United States to 1877 <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 2334 – United States since 1877 <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 3336 – Texas History		
History (15 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Choose 5 additional 3000/4000 level courses in history		
Political Science (6 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> POSC 2331 – American and Texas Government I <input type="checkbox"/> POSC 2332 – American and Texas Government II		
Geography (3 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> GEOG 2332 – World Regional Geography		
Professional Development (21 credit hours) Must be completed at UST.		
<input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3100 – Field Experience Seminar I <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3101 – Field Experience Seminar II <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3102 – Field Experience Seminar III <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3304 – Introduction to Curriculum and Instruction <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3313 – Digital Instructional Strategies <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 3339 – Multicultural Populations <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 4338 – Classroom Management <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 4370 – Student Teaching, Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> EDUC 4371 – Student Teaching, Secondary		
Multidisciplinary Studies (3 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> MS 4338 – Adolescent Learning		
Reading (3 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> RDGED 3303 – Content Area Reading		
English as a Second Language (3 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> BIED 4330 – Foundations and Methods of Second Language Acquisition		
Special Education (3 credit hours)		
<input type="checkbox"/> SPED 4320 – Exceptionality in Today’s Schools		

Electives	Completed	Needed
Electives to reach the 120 hour minimum to graduate (1-3 credit hours)		

Totals	Completed	Needed
Total undergraduate hours (120 minimum):		

MINIMUM TOTAL: 120+

****Note:** Preparation for student teaching requires 50 hours of school-based field experiences, 10 hours of church/community service, and 20 hours of professional development.**

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