

BA in Political Science w/Secondary Education Concentration

SOCIAL STUDIES CERTIFICATION (K-12)

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While all bachelor programs require a minimum of 128 credits and a 2.00 cumulative GPA, the NJ Department of Education requires a 3.0 cumulative GPA to be certified. Students in this concentration must complete a POLS major with accompanying EDUC courses as shown. Student must have 30 credits in a social studies major area including 12 credits at the upper level and 15 HIST credits including an American and World History course. Social Studies includes American history, European history, world history, government, political science, sociology, geography, anthropology, and economics. A grade of C or better is required in all content field courses and B- or better in all Teacher Education Program coursework. Consult with the EDUC Program for application and licensure requirements. "The student is responsible for ensuring that all graduation requirements are met" (Bulletin). Consult with your preceptors (EDUC & POLS) and/or Academic Advising on a regular basis.

Student Name: _____ Z _____

Dates of Curr WS Review _____, _____, _____, _____, _____

POLS Preceptor: _____ EDUC Preceptor: _____

| #1 POLS BA Students should seek regular POLS precepting for all program courses to meet BA requirements. C or better required for all courses in major. | Credits | C or Better |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| POLS 1100 Introduction to Politics (Required) | 4 | |
| POLS 2150 Intro to Political Methodology (Required) (Q1) | 4 | |
| POLS | 4 | |
| POLS 3xxx/4xxx | 4 | |
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| POLS 4695 Senior Seminar (required- POLS 2150 prereq) | 4 | |
| ECON 1200 Macroeconomics (Q2) | 4 | |
| PSYC 1100 Intro to Psychology | 4 | |
| PSYC 2201/3322/3323 (at right), & PSYC 3391 (at right) | 8 | |
| EDUC 4605 Methods & 4990 Student Teaching (at right) | 14 | |
| Total Credits in Major & Cognates | 70 | |

| #2 Required General Education | Credits | C or Better |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| GEN | 4 | |
| GAH | 4 | |
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| GNM | 4 | |
| GNM | 4 | |
| GSS | 4 | |
| GSS | 4 | |
| GIS (World Geography recommended) | 4 | |
| Total General Studies required | 32 | |

General Studies Writing Requirement - 4 courses-
Two W1 courses may be transferred. W2 courses must be at Stockton.
___ W1 ___ W1/W2 ___ W1/W2 EDUC4600 W1/W2 3000 level

General Studies Quantitative Reasoning Requirement - 3 courses-
Two Q1 courses may be transferred. Q2 courses must be taken at Stockton
POLS2150 Q1 ECON1200 Q2 ___ Q1 or Q2

General Studies Outcome Requirement: These courses are listed as attributes
___ A (Arts) POLS2100 H (Historical Consciousness)
___ FSEM EDUC1515 V (Values/Ethics) ___ I (International/Multicultural)

| #3 Required At-Some-Distance courses: From right EDUC 2241, EDUC 1515, INTC 2610, EDUC 2000, EDUC 3100, EDUC 3101, EDUC 3200, EDUC 4120, EDUC 4120, EDUC 4600, EDUC 4991, EDUC 4992 | Credits | C or Better |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| One U.S. (ex: HIST 1152, 2152, 2153) | 4 | |
| One World (ex: HIST 2118, 2120, 2121, 1170, 2106, 2140) | 4 | |
| Any HIST | 4 | |
| Any HIST | 4 | |
| Total At-Some-Distance required | 45 | |

| #4 Professional Requirements: Grades of C or better required (equiv. transfer credits can be accepted)- 20 credits at left | Credits | Grade |
|---|---------------|-------|
| EDUC 1515 Diversity in Fam, Schl & Commun. (4 cr ASD, V) or equiv, also accepted: GAH 1360; GEN 2126; GSS 1044, 3360, 3516; SOCY 2745 | | |
| EDUC 2241 Inclusive Learning in Education (4 cr ASD) also accepted GSS 2330,2340 | | |
| INTC 2610 Instructional Tech for K12 Educators (4 cr ASD) also accepted GEN 2108 | | |
| PSYC 3323 Adolesec (4 cr cognate) also accepted PSYC 2201/3322 Dev/Life; EDUC 2231 | | |
| PSYC 3391 Ed. Psyc (4 cr cognate) also accepted EDUC 2231 | | |
| Prerequisite to Entry: Grade of B- or better required | Credits | Grade |
| EDUC 2000 Gateway of NJ Teaching Profession (1 cr ASD) | | |
| Additional requirements for EDUC entry*/placement | | Done? |
| Attend Information Session and Orientation* | | |
| 3.0 or better overall GPA* GPA _____ as of _____ | | |
| Criminal Background Check / Sub Cert | | |
| TB Test | | |
| Health Test or Nutrition Requirement | | |
| Core Praxis Scores* or SAT score of 560+ reading & 540+ math or an ACT of 23 on both the English and Math sections | Reading score | |
| | Writing score | |
| | Math score | |

| #5 Professional Education Grade of B- or better required (32 credits counted at left) Professional licensure courses may only be re-attempted once after withdrawal or failure to earn B- or better. | Credits | Grade |
|---|---------------|-------|
| Clinical Experience Semester | Credits | Grade |
| EDUC 3100 Part-Time Clinical Experience in EDUC (50 hr- 2 cr ASD) | | |
| PRAXIS II TEST(S) must be passed BEFORE the Clinical Practice 1 Semester in the subject(s) and grade level you wish to student teach. Check this website for current NJ test information for certification area www.ets.org/praxis/nj/requirements | Score: | |
| Clinical Practice 1 Semester (formerly "Introductory Semester") | Credits | Grade |
| EDUC 3101 Part-Time Clinical Practice in EDUC 1 (80 hr- 2cr ASD) | | |
| EDUC 3200 Practices & Techniques of Teaching (4 cr ASD) | | |
| Clinical Practice 2 Semester (formerly "Intermediate Semester") | Credits | Grade |
| EDUC 4120 Reading in the Content Area (2 cr ASD) | | |
| EDUC 4600 Part-Time Clinical Practice in EDUC 2 (W2)- 100 hrs (2 cr ASD) | | |
| EDUC 4605 Methods of Teaching Social Studies (4 cr cognate) | | |
| Full-time Final Clinical Practice Semester (formerly "Student Teaching") | Credits | Grade |
| EDUC 4990 Full-Time Final Clinical Practice - full-time 15-week experience (12 cr cognate) | | |
| EDUC 4991 Final Clinical Practice Seminar (2 cr ASD) | | |
| EDUC 4992 EdTPA Capstone (2 cr ASD) | | |
| In order for your certificate to be processed, you must meet the following requirements: complete your BA/BS degree; pass the Praxis test(s), take the EdTPA, and complete all liberal arts content coursework required; and attain a minimum GPA of 3.0. | | |
| Final Overall GPA _____ as of _____ | | |