

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES (4-8 SOCIAL STUDIES CONCENTRATION), BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

The University Core Curriculum is the same across all undergraduate bachelor's programs. Please consult the academic advisor for your designated major before selecting courses in this area.

Summary

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Core Curriculum (p. 1)	42
	Major Requirements (p. 1)	66
	Other Requirements (p. 1)	14
	Minor (p. 1)	0
	Total Hours	122

General Education Core Curriculum (Standard)¹

Code	Title	Hours
Communication		
ENGL 1301	Freshman English I	3
ENGL 1302	Freshman English II	3
Mathematics		
MATH 1314	College Algebra	3
Life and Physical Sciences		
BIOL 1308	Survey of Life Science	3
GEOL 1303	Introduction To The Earth	3
Language, Philosophy, and Culture		
ENGL 2332	World Literature I	3
Creative Arts		
MUSI 1315	Fine Arts In Daily Living	3
American History		
HIST 1301	Soc & Pol Hist US to 1877	3
HIST 1302	Soc & Pol Hist US Since 1877	3
Government/Political Science		
POLS 2305	American Government	3
POLS 2306	Texas Government	3
Social and Behavioral Sciences		
PSYC 2301	General Psychology	3
Institutional Options		
COMM 1315	Public Address	3
	or COMM 1321 Business & Professional Comm	
EDCI 210	Ins Tec	3
	Total Hours	42

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Students should be advised by a major advisor prior to registering for any credit, particularly any core curriculum credit as listed.

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(N) represents the number of course credits.

Major (4-8 Social Studies)

Code	Title	Hours
Relative to Concentration		
EDCI 346	Intro to Edu Psychology	3
HIST 246	Introduction to Women's Study	3
HIST 2381	African American History I	3
HIST 321	African Amer Hist To 1865	3
HIST 342	History of Mexico	3
HIST 344	Con Hist of US to 1877	3
HIST 371	Texas History	3
GEOG 330	Intro To Cartography	3
GEOG 331	Geography Of Texas	3
SOC 335	Ethnic Groups In Society	3
RDG 400	Con Are Rdg	3
RDG 401	Div Pop	3
Professional Development		
EDCI 310	Field Based I Perf Focus Tchng	3
EDCI 328	Field Based -II Perf Focus Tch	3
EDCI 329	Content Foc Tchng:Social Stud	3
EDCI 339	Classrm Mngt	3
EDCI 350	Desgng & Implg Inst/Assessment	3
EDCI 404	Cert Sem	3
EDCI 450	DIR STU TCH GRD 4-8	6
EDCI 451	Curriculum & Assessment for English Language	3
EDCI 458	Seminar in Teaching	3
	Total Hours	66

Other Requirement

Code	Title	Hours
SPED 309	Survey Exceptional Education I	3
EDCI 340	Ins Tec II	3
GEOG 1303	World Regional Geography	3
KIN 235	Intro to Adapted Physical Ed	3
PE 1	Any course	1
FS 102	Freshman Seminar/ first Year Experience	1
	Total Hours	14

Minor Requirement

Interdisciplinary Studies, BS

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
First Semester		
ENGL 1301	Freshman English I	3
MATH 1314	College Algebra	3
HIST 1301	Soc & Pol Hist US to 1877	3
MUSI 1315	Fine Arts In Daily Living	3
PE (Any Course)		1
FS 102	Freshman Seminar/ first Year Experience	1

COMM 1321 or COMM 1315	Business & Professional Comm or Public Address	3
Hours		17
Second Semester		
ENGL 1302	Freshman English II	3
GEOL 1303	Introduction To The Earth	3
HIST 1302	Soc & Pol Hist US Since 1877	3
BIOL 1308	Survey of Life Science	3
EDCI 210	Ins Tec	3
Hours		15
Second Year		
Third Semester		
ENGL 2332	World Literature I	3
POLS 2305	American Government	3
HIST 2381	African American History I	3
PSYC 2301	General Psychology	3
HIST 246	Introduction to Women's Study	3
KIN 235	Intro to Adapted Physical Ed	3
Hours		18
Fourth Semester		
GEOG 1303	World Regional Geography	3
HIST 321	African Amer Hist To 1865	3
POLS 2306	Texas Government	3
EDCI 340	Ins Tec II	3
SPED 309	Survey Exceptional Education I	3
Hours		15
Third Year		
Fifth Semester		
RDG 400	Con Are Rdg	3
EDCI 329	Content Foc Tchng:Social Stud ¹	3
GEOG 331	Geography Of Texas	3
HIST 371	Texas History	3
EDCI 404	Cert Sem	3
GEOG 330	Intro To Cartography	3
Hours		18
Sixth Semester		
EDCI 310	Field Based I Perf Focus Tchng	3
EDCI 339	Classrm Mngt	3
SOC 335	Ethnic Groups In Society	3
EDCI 451	Curriculum & Assessment for English Language	3
HIST 344	Con Hist of US to 1877	3
Hours		15
Fourth Year		
Seventh Semester		
EDCI 328	Field Based -II Perf Focus Tch	3
EDCI 350	Desgng & Implg Inst/Assessment	3
HIST 342	History of Mexico	3
EDCI 346	Intro to Edu Psychology	3
RDG 401	Div Pop	3
Hours		15

Eighth Semester

EDCI 450	DIR STU TCH GRD 4-8	6
EDCI 458	Seminar in Teaching	3
Hours		9
Total Hours		122

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Content Block Courses taken concurrently

Transition 0:**Before the end of Second Semester the candidate should:**

- (TSI exam completed with a 3.0 GPA)

Transition 1:**Before the end of Fourth Semester, candidate should:**

- Be admitted to the Educator Preparation Program.

Transition 2:**Before the end of Fifth Semester, candidate should:**

- Take and pass Content Representative Form.
- Enroll in Field Experience Block 1 (EDCI 310 Field Based I Perf Focus Tchng and EDCI 339 Classrm Mngt)
- Register with T-Cert.
- Login with Certify Teacher

Before the end of Sixth Semester candidate should:

- Take and pass the PPR Representative Form Test.
- Enroll in Field Experience Block 2 (EDCI 328 Field Based -II Perf Focus Tch and EDCI 350 Desgng & Implg Inst/Assessment)
- Take and pass the TExES Content Test.

Transition 3:**Before the end of the Seventh Semester, the candidate should:**

- Take and pass the TExES EC-12 PPR Test.

Transition 4:**By the end of the Eighth Semester, the candidate should:**

- Satisfy all requirements for Texas Teacher Certification
- Graduate from the Educator Preparation Program

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Candidate cannot enroll in Clinical Teaching until the Content Representative Form Test and the PPR Representative Form Test have both been passed with 80% accuracy.