SOCIAL STUDIES EDUCATION FOR TEACHER LICENSURE

See the College of Education and Health (https://catalog.atu.edu/undergraduate/programs/education-health/) page for additional requirements.

For licensure, students must achieve the minimum score on the Praxis II Specialty Area and Principles of Learning and Teaching Tests as determined by the Arkansas Department of Education. For further requirements see Admission and Retention to Teacher Education (https://catalog.atu.edu/undergraduate/programs/educationhealth/) and also the Criteria for Internships (https://catalog.atu.edu/undergraduate/programs/education-health/) located on the College of Education home page.

Curriculum

The matrix below is a sample plan for all coursework required for this program.

Course	Title	Hours
Freshman		
Fall		
ENGL 1013	Composition I	3
HIST 1503	World History to 1500	3
SCIL 1XXX	Science with Laboratory ¹	4
MATH XXXX	Mathematics ¹	3
SEED 2002		2
TECH 1001	Orientation to the University	1
	Hours	16
Spring		
ENGL 1023	Composition II 1	3
HIST 1513	World History since 1500	3
SCIL 1XXX	Science with Laboratory ¹	4
SOC 1003	Introductory Sociology	3
Elective		1
	Hours	14
Sophomore		
Fall		
POLS 2003	American Government	3
HIST 2003	United States History to 1877	3
PSY 2003	General Psychology	3
ANTH 2003	Cultural Anthropology	3
GEOG 2013	Regional Geography of the World	3
	Hours	15
Spring		
COMM 2003	Public Speaking	3
or COMM 2173	or Business and Professional Speaking	
HIST 2013	United States History since 1877	3
ECON 2003	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
SEED 3702		2
GEOG Elective		3
HIST 2513 or POLS 2513	Sources and Methods in History ² or Research Design	3
	Hours	17
Junior		
Fall		
FAH 1XXX	Fine Arts and Humanities Courses ¹	3
HIST 4714	Social Studies Methods for Secondary Teachers	4
Select one of the follow	ving:	3

POLS 3033	American State and Local Government	
POLS 3123	American Political Behavior	
POLS 3133	United States Congress	
POLS 3143	The United States Presidency	
HIST/POLS Elective (3	000-4000 level)	6
	Hours	16
Spring		
FAH 1XXX	Fine Arts and Humanities Courses ¹	3
ECON 2013	Principles of Microeconomics	3
HIST 4153	History of Arkansas	3
HIST/POLS Elective (3	000-4000 level)	6
	Hours	15
Senior		
Fall		
HIST/POLS 4963	Senior Seminar ²	3
SEED 4054		4
SEED 4556		6
Elective		2
	Hours	15
Spring		
SEED 4503	Seminar in Secondary Education	3
SEED 4909	Residency B	9
	Hours	12
	Total Hours	120

- See appropriate alternatives or substitutions in "General Education Requirements (https://catalog.atu.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)".
- Students must complete HIST 2513 Sources and Methods in History and HIST 4963 Senior Seminar, or POLS 2513 Research Design and POLS 4963 Senior Seminar.