

EDUCATION - BS, ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS/SOCIAL STUDIES, MIDDLE GRADES CERTIFICATION

Program Requirements

First Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
ENGL 103 or ENGL 104	Introduction to Rhetoric and Composition or Composition and Rhetoric	3
GEOG 201 or GEOG 202	Introduction to Human Geography or Geography of the Global Village	3
HIST 105	History of the United States	3
TEFB 273	Introduction to Culture, Community, Society and Schools	3
Mathematics (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#mathematics)		3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Spring

HIST 106	History of the United States	3
Select one of the following:		3
ECON 202	Principles of Economics	
ECON 203	Principles of Economics	
GEOG 304	Economic Geography	
Communication (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#communication)		3
Life and physical sciences (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences)		4
Mathematics (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#mathematics)		3
Semester Credit Hours		16

Summer

POLS 206	American National Government	3
Life and physical sciences (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences)		4
Semester Credit Hours		7

Second Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
GEOG 300-499 (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/geog/)		3
INST 210	Understanding Special Populations	3
INST 222	Foundations of Education in a Multicultural Society	3

Creative arts (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#creative-arts)		3
Language, philosophy and culture (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#language-philosophy-culture)		3
Life and physical sciences (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences) ¹		1
Semester Credit Hours		16

Spring

EDCI 353	Early Childhood through Adolescent Education	3
EDCI 365	Using Technology Classrooms	3
ENGL 300-499 (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/engl/)		3
RDNG 371	Multicultural and Interdisciplinary Literature for Middle Grades	3
STAT 303 or EPSY 435	Statistical Methods or Educational Statistics	3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Summer

HIST 226	History of Texas	3
POLS 207	State and Local Government	3
Semester Credit Hours		6

Third Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
HIST 471	Survey of World History for Elementary Education Certification	3
INST 362	English as a Second Language Methods I	3
MASC 351 or MASC 450	Problem Solving in Mathematics or Integrated Mathematics	3
RDNG 372	Reading and Writing across the Middle Grades Curriculum	3
RDNG 468	Essential Foundations of Language and Literacy for All Learners	3
Semester Credit Hours		15

Spring

EDCI 354	Early Childhood and Adolescent Curriculum and Lesson Design	3
INST 363	English as a Second Language Methods II	3
MASC 320 or MASC 420	Inquiries in Physical Science or Inquiries in Life and Earth Sciences	3
TEFB 371	Dynamics and Management in Multicultural/Inclusionary Learning Environments	3
Select one of the following:		3
HIST 300-499 (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/hist/)		
POLS 300-499 (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/pols/)		
Semester Credit Hours		15

Fourth Year**Fall**

MEFB 450	Social Studies Methods in the Middle Grades	3
MEFB 452	Curriculum and Instruction for Middle Grades	3
RDNG 470	Reading/Language Arts Methods in Middle Grades Education	3
RDNG 490	Assessment in Reading Instruction in Middle Grades	3
Semester Credit Hours		12

Spring

MEFB 497 or TEED 425	Supervised Clinical Teaching or Supervised Clinical Teaching	6
Semester Credit Hours		6
Total Semester Credit Hours		123

¹ KINE 120 is recommended.

Must make a grade of C or better in each course.

A minimum of 2.75 GPA on all coursework that applies to the degree plan and a minimum of 2.5 GPA on all coursework completed at Texas A&M is required for this degree.