

SOCIAL STUDIES BSE

Four Year Degree Pathway Example

First Year			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Recommended Course Selections	Credits	Recommended Course Selections	Credits
GE (Cornerstone): FYEX 100	3	HIST 101/102/206/280: Europe & World I, 2, World Cultures, or Pre-Colonial Africa	3
GE (Cornerstone): Intro to College Writing	3	ECON 100: Intro Economics	3
HIST 105: History Matters	3	GEOG 120: Human Geography	3
HIST 106: Contours of US History	3	GOVT 111: American Government	3
PSYC 100: General Psychology	3	GE (Cornerstone): COMM 100 Fundamentals of Speech	3
Total Credits for Semester	15	Total Credits for Semester	15

Second Year			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Recommended Course Selections	Credits	Recommended Course Selections	Credits
HIST 101/102/206/280: Europe & World I, 2, World Cultures, or Pre-Colonial Africa	3	HIST 205: Art and Craft of History	3
ECON 203: World Regional Economy	3	GOVT 251: Intro to Global Politics	3
GOVT 221: Intro Comparative Political Systems	3	PDE Requirement: Second Math	3
GEOG 281: Maps and GIS	3	EDFN 211: Foundations of Modern Education	3
GE (Gateway): Quantitative Literacy	3	EDFN: Psychological Foundations of Teaching	3
Total Credits for Semester	15	Total Credits for Semester	15

Third Year			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Recommended Course Selections	Credits	Recommended Course Selections	Credits
SOCY 210: Sociology of the Family	3	GE (Gateway): Information Literacies*	3
GE (Gateway): Personal Wellness*	3	GE (Gateway): Problem Solving*	3
GE (Gateway): Ethical Action and Citizenship*	3	Geography Elective**	3
GE (Gateway): Scientific Reasoning	3	GE (Gateway): Tech Competency*	3
GE (Gateway): Creative Explorations*	3	GE (Keystone): Advanced Writing*	3
Total Credits for Semester	15	Total Credits for Semester	15

Fourth Year			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Recommended Course Selections	Credits	Recommended Course Selections	Credits
EDFN 330: Instructional Technology, Design, & Assessment	3	EDSS 461: Student Teaching****	9
EDSE 321: Issues in Secondary Education	3	EDSE 471: Student Teaching Seminar	3
EDSE 340: Content Area Literacy for Diverse Classrooms	3		
EDSE: Teaching of Secondary Social Studies	3		
SPED 346: Secondary Students w/Disabilities in Inclusive Settings***	3		
Total Credits for Semester	15	Total Credits for Semester	12

* 15 credits of GE Gateway must be from 200+ electives in GEOG, GOVT, HIST, ANTH, PSYC, or SOCY; additionally, 3 credits may meet GE (Keystone) Advanced Writing

** Choose from GEOG 141, 248, 342, 343, 344

*** SPED 346 meets GE Keystone Diverse Cultural Contexts requirement

**** EDSS 461 meets GE Capstone Big Ideas Seminar