

## History/Social Science Middle Grades Course Equivalency Guide

| COMPETENCY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | LU ONLINE Course Options                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <p style="text-align: center;">Available Courses from:<br/>                     Straighterline<br/>                     Study.com<br/>                     Sophia Learning</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="https://www.liberty.edu/online/transfer-partnerships/">https://www.liberty.edu/online/transfer-partnerships/</a></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <p style="text-align: center;">Available College Level Exams:<br/>                     CLEP<br/>                     or<br/>                     DSST/Dantes</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*all exams are 3 credit hours each unless noted otherwise</p>                              |
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| <b>History – Social Science:</b> 21 minimum hours are required per the VDOE and Liberty’s School of Education. The 21 hours must be spread throughout the 5 sections below. One course must be taken in each section to fulfill the required competency. |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| American History                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Undergrad level:</b><br/>                     HIUS 221/Survey of American History I<br/>                     HIUS 222/Survey of American History II<br/>                     HIUS 390/History of Virginia<br/>                     HIUS 420/Civil War &amp; Reconstruction<br/>                     HIUS 445/Reagan’s America</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Grad Level:</b><br/>                     HIUS 510/Virginia Colonial History<br/>                     HIUS 512/American Revolution<br/>                     HIUS 520/Civil War &amp; Reconstruction</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Straighterline:</b><br/>                     USHIST 101/US History I<br/>                     USHIST 102/US History II</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Study.com:</b><br/>                     History 103/US History I<br/>                     History 104/US History II<br/>                     History 105/US History from Settlement to Present Day<br/>                     History 306/The American Civil War Era<br/>                     History 307/American Civil Rights Movement</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sophia Learning:</b><br/>                     HIST 1001/U.S. History I<br/>                     HIST 1002/U.S. History II</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CLEP Exams accepted:</b><br/>                     History of the US I<br/>                     History of the US II</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DSST/Dantes Exams accepted:</b><br/>                     Civil War and Reconstruction</p>      |
| World History                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Undergrad level:</b><br/>                     HIEU 201/ History of Western Civilization I<br/>                     HIEU 202/ History of Western Civilization II<br/>                     HIWD 370/Comparative Civilization<br/>                     HIEU 322/Roman Civilization<br/>                     HIEU 390/ Modern Europe</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Grad Level:</b><br/>                     HIWD 560/History of the Atlantic World<br/>                     HIWD 555/World War II<br/>                     HIEU 590/ Modern Europe</p>                 | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Straighterline:</b><br/>                     CIV 101/Western Civilization I<br/>                     CIV 102/Western Civilization II<br/>                     CIV 103/Survey of World History</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Study.com:</b><br/>                     History 100/Western Civ from Prehistory to Post WWII<br/>                     History 101/Western Civilization I<br/>                     History 102/Western Civilization II<br/>                     History 311/The Holocaust &amp; World War II</p>                                                                                                                                     | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>CLEP Exams accepted:</b><br/>                     Western Civilization I<br/>                     Western Civilization II</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>DSST/Dantes Exams accepted:</b><br/>                     History of the Soviet Union</p> |

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| <b>Government</b> | <p><b>Undergrad Level:</b><br/> GOVT 200/Constitutional Govt &amp; Free Enterprise<br/> GOVT 210/Intro to Political Science<br/> GOVT 220/American Government<br/> GOVT 302/Modern Political Economic Ideas<br/> GOVT 327/State &amp; Local Government<br/> GOVT 329/American Exceptionalism<br/> GOVT 480/Terrorism<br/> GOVT 481/Counter-Terrorism<br/> GOVT 483/Military Intelligence<br/> GOVT 484/Strategic Intelligence</p> <p><b>Grad Level:</b><br/> HIUS 542/History of American Political Parties Since 1896<br/> PSCI 501/Political Science, Public Policy &amp; Statesmanship<br/> PSCI 600/Comparative Politics<br/> PSCI 610/Contemporary Political Process &amp; Trends</p> <p>Additional Grad level courses are under the following prefixes<br/> under our <a href="#">Catalogue</a>:<br/> <b><u>PPOG, PPOL, PADM, INTL, HLSC, &amp; NSEC.</u></b><br/> (Please note, PPOG 500 is <u>not</u> approved)<br/> (Please see ** note below)</p> | <p><b>Straighterline:</b><br/> POLS 101/American Government</p> <p><b>Study.com:</b><br/> Political Science 101/Intro to Political Science<br/> Political Science 102/American Government<br/> Political Science 103/Comparative Politics</p> <p><b>Sophia Learning:</b><br/> HIST 1020/U.S. Government</p> | <p><b>CLEP Exams accepted:</b><br/> American Government</p>                                            |
| <b>Geography</b>  | <p><b>Undergrad level:</b><br/> GEOG 200/ Intro to Geography<br/> GEOG 305/Physical Geography<br/> GEOG 310/Human Geography</p> <p><b>Grad Level:</b><br/> GEOG 520/Historical Geography<br/> GEOG 620/Economic Geography<br/> GEOG 680/Military Geography</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <p><b>Study.com:</b><br/> Geography 101/Human &amp; Cultural Geography</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <p><b>DSST/Dantes Exams accepted:</b><br/> Introduction to Geography</p>                               |
| <b>Economics</b>  | <p><b>Undergrad level:</b><br/> ECON 110/Survey of Economics<br/> ECON 213/Principles of Microeconomics<br/> ECON 214/Principles of Macroeconomics<br/> ECON 350/Classical Economics</p> <p><b>Grad Level:</b><br/> ECON 613/Microeconomic Theory<br/> ECON 614/Macroeconomic Theory<br/> ECON 630/ International Economics</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <p><b>Straighterline:</b><br/> ECON 101/Macroeconomics<br/> ECON 102/Microeconomics</p> <p><b>Study.com:</b><br/> Economics 101/Prin of Microeconomics<br/> Economics 102/Prin of Macroeconomics</p> <p><b>Sophia Learning:</b><br/> ECON 1001/Macroeconomics<br/> ECON 1002/Microeconomics</p>             | <p><b>CLEP Exams accepted:</b><br/> Principles of Macroeconomics<br/> Principles of Microeconomics</p> |

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