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Associate of Arts in Education

2024-2025 Degree Completion Plan

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

This is a non-licensure degree and is not a state approved program. Completion of this degree will not lead to the eligibility of a VA state teaching license or a teaching license or certificate in any other state. If you would like to be eligible for a VA state teaching license or work through reciprocity guidelines to be eligible for a license or certificate in another state, you must complete one of our state-approved programs. Refer to www.liberty.edu/education.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (36-39 hours)

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (9 hours)¹				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____	_____
_____	Communications Elective ²	3	_____	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective ³	3	_____	_____
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (3-6 hours)¹				
UNIV 104	Instructional Tech. for Online Learning	0-3	_____	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher) ⁴	3	_____	_____
Critical Thinking (7 hours)¹				
RLGN 104	Christian Life & Biblical Worldview ⁵	4	_____	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective ⁶	3	_____	_____
Civic & Global Engagement (3 hours)¹				
_____	Cultural Studies Elective ⁷	3	_____	_____
Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)¹				
_____	Natural Science Elective ⁸	3	_____	_____
_____	Social Science Elective ⁹	3	_____	_____
Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)¹				
BIBL 104	Survey of Old & New Testament	4	_____	_____
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey ⁵	4	_____	_____

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
MAJOR				
Core (21 hours)				
EDUC 201	Intro. To Education & Classroom Tech.	3	_____	_____
EDUC 305	Educational Philosophy			
or EDUC 360	Foundations of Education ¹⁰	3	_____	_____
EDUC 350	Behavior & Individual Differences	3	_____	_____
EDUC _____		^{11,12} 3	_____	_____
EDUC _____		^{11,12} 3	_____	_____
_____		^{12,13} 3	_____	_____
_____		^{12,13} 3	_____	_____

FREE ELECTIVES (0-3 hours)

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Graduation Requirements

- 60 Total Hours
- 2.0 Overall grade point average
- Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major
- 25% Of major taken through Liberty University
- 15 Hours must be completed through Liberty University
- Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

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⁴MATH 117 is strongly recommended for students who will be pursuing a licensure B.Ed.

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¹¹Choose any EDUC course not already required in the major

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Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FIRST YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 104	4	THEO 104	4
ENGL 101	3	Math Elective ^{1,3}	3
RLGN 104	4	Natural Science Elective ^{1,4}	3
UNIV 104	0-3	EDUC 201	3
Communications Elective ^{1,2}	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total 14-17		Total 16	

SECOND YEAR

Critical Thinking Elective ^{1,5}	3	Information Literacy Elective ^{1,10}	3
Cultural Studies Elective ^{1,6}	3	Social Science Elective ^{1,11}	3
EDUC 350	3	EDUC 305 OR 360 ¹²	3
EDUC Elective ^{7,8}	3	EDUC Elective ^{7,8}	3
EDUC or EDSP Elective ^{8,9}	<u>3</u>	EDUC or EDSP Elective ^{8,9}	<u>3</u>
Total 15		Total 15	

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