

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2022 through summer 2023. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates. After completion of the required program coursework (including student teaching) and the passing of licensure tests, the graduate of this program would be eligible for a VA state teaching license.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (44-47 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (13 hours)			
COMS 101	Speech Communication	3	_____
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____
ENGL 102	Composition & Literature	3	_____
HIUS 221	Survey of American History I	3	_____
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1	_____
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)¹			
MATH 117	Elements of Mathematics	3	_____
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1	_____
_____	Technology Competency ²	0-3	_____
Critical Thinking (8 hours)			
ENGL 201	American Literature I	3	_____
RLGN 105	Intr Bwww/Contemp Moral Issues ³	2	_____
RSCH 201	Research 201	3	_____
Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)			
CSTU 101	Western Culture	3	_____
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life ³	2	_____
Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)			
PHYS 101	Elements of Physics	3	_____
PSYC 210	Developmental Psychology	3	_____
Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)			
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	_____
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	_____
THEO 201	Theology Survey I ³	2	_____
THEO 202	Theology Survey II ³	2	_____
Major Foundational Courses (26 hours)			
BIOL 101	Principles of Biology	3	_____
BIOL 103	Principles of Biology Lab	1	_____
GEOG 200	Introduction to Geography	3	_____
GOVT 200	Constitutional Govt. & Free Enterprise	3	_____
HIEU 202	History of Western Civilization II	3	_____
HIUS 390	History of Virginia	3	_____
MATH 121	College Algebra	3	_____
MATH 217	Elementary Geometry	3	_____
PHSC 210	Elements of Earth Science	3	_____
PHYS 103	Elements of Physics Lab	1	_____

Graduation Requirements

125 Total Hours

3.0 Overall grade point average

31.25 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

25% Of major taken through Liberty University

31.25 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

CSER All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
MAJOR			
Core (39 hours)			
<i>Elementary Education Courses</i>			
EDUC 201	Intro. to Education & Classroom Tech.	3	_____
EDUC 225	Instr. Design for Elem. & Mid. Classroom	3	_____
EDUC 315	Instr. Approaches to Lit for Child. & Adol	3	_____
EDUC 318	Teaching Reading to Diverse Learners	3	_____
EDUC 319	Teach. Writ & Lang Arts to Div. Learners	3	_____
EDUC 350	Behavior & Individual Differences	3	_____
EDUC 360	Foundations of Education	3	_____
EDUC 412	Middle School Curriculum & Instruction	3	_____
EDUC 415	Diagnostic Measurement & Evaluation	3	_____
<i>Practicum and Gate Courses</i>			
EDGT 177	School of Ed Gate 1 - UG Init. Lic. - Local	0	_____
EDGT 277	School of Ed Gate 2 - UG Init. Lic. - Local	0	_____
EDGT 377	School of Ed Gate 3 - UG Init. Lic. - Local	0	_____
EDUC 189	Practicum in Education I: Local ⁴	0	_____
EDUC 289	Practicum in Education II: Local ⁴	0	_____
EDUC 489	Practicum in Middle Education: Local ⁴	0	_____
<i>Professional Semester</i>			
EDST 475	The Reflective Educator: Resource Sem	3	_____
EDST 480	Student Teaching: Distance ⁴		_____
or EDST 481	Student Teaching: Local ⁴	9	_____
Cognate (16 hours)			
CHEM 105	Elements of General Chemistry		_____
or CHEM 108	Chemistry for Health Sci. Professionals	4	_____
EDUC 322	Teaching Elem & Middle School Soc. Sci.		_____
or EDUC 323	Teaching Elem. & Middle School Math.	3	_____
EDUC 324	Teaching Elem & Middle School Science	3	_____
NASC 315	Environmental Science		_____
or PHSC 311	Oceanography	3	_____
PHSC 121	Introduction to Astronomy		_____
or PHSC 310	Astronomy: An Integrated Approach	3	_____

Notes

All practicum courses should be completed before student teaching, and candidates should not plan to take these courses in summer terms.

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before

²All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course refer to www.liberty.edu/computerassessment for more information

³Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 and EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 and THEO 202 waived

⁴Liberty University School of Education Background check is required for all practicums and student teaching

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
COMS 101	3	ENGL 102	3
ENGL 101	3	HIUS 221	3
INQR 101	1	MATH 217	3
MATH 117	3	PHYS 101	3
UNIV 101	1	PHYS 103	1
Technology Competency ¹	0-3	RLGN 105	2
EDGT 177	0	EDUC 350	3
EDUC 201	3	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	18
Total 14-17			

SOPHOMORE YEAR

BIOL 101	3	GEOG 200	3
BIOL 103	1	PHSC 210	3
CSTU 101	3	RSCH 201	3
ENGL 201	3	CHEM 105 or 108	4
EVAN 101	2	EDGT 277	0
EDUC 225	3	EDUC 315	3
PSYC 210	3	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	16
Total 18			

JUNIOR YEAR

BIBL 105	2	BIBL 110	2
HIEU 202	3	GOVT 200	3
THEO 201	2	HIUS 390	3
EDUC 189 ²	0	THEO 202	2
EDUC 318	3	EDUC 289 ²	0
EDUC 319	3	EDUC 322 or 323	3
NASC 315 or PHSC 311	3	EDUC 324	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total 16		Total	16

SENIOR YEAR

MATH 121	3	EDST 475	3
EDUC 360	3	EDST 480 or 481 ²	9
EDGT 377	0	CSER	<u>0</u>
EDUC 412	3	Total	12
EDUC 415	3		
EDUC 489 ²	0		
PHSC 121 or 310	3		
CSER	<u>0</u>		
Total 15			

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