LIBERTY UNIVERSITY

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2023 through summer 2024. 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)[1]				
COMS 101	Speech Communication	3		
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3		
HIUS 221	Survey of American History I	3		
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1		
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3		
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)[1]				
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1		
MATH ____	MATH Elective[2]	3		
_____	Technology Competency[3]	0-3		
Critical Thinking (8 hours)				
ENGL 201	American Literature I	3		
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues[4]	2		
RSCH 201	Research 201	3		
Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)				
CSTU 101	Western Culture	3		
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life[4]	2		
Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)[1]				
PSYC 210	Developmental Psychology	3		
_____	Natural Science Elective	3		
Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)				
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2		
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2		
THEO 201	Theology Survey I[4]	2		
THEO 202	Theology Survey II[4]	2		
Major Foundational Courses (0-9 hours)				
CSCN 110	Introduction to Computer Science[5]			
or CSIS 110	Introduction to Computer Sciences[5]	3		
MATH 121	College Algebra[5]	3		
PHYS 101	Elements of Physics[5]	3		

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
MAJOR				
	Core (81 hours)			
Education Courses				
EDUC 201	Intro. to Education & Classroom Tech.	3		
EDUC 221	Content Area Read & Diff Teach & Learn	3		
EDUC 235	Content Instructional Design	3		
EDUC 350	Behavior & Individual Differences	3		
EDUC 360	Foundations of Education	3		
EDUC 419	Content Teaching Methods	3		
EDUC 425	Content Measurement & Evaluation	3		
EDUC 435	Content Curriculum Fundamentals	3		
Practicum and Gate Courses				
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[6]	0		
EDUC 289	Practicum in Education II: Local[6]	0		
EDUC 389	Practicum in Education III: Local[6]	0		
Secondary Courses				
ACCT 211	Financial Principles	3		
ACCT 212	Managerial Principles	3		
BUSI 201	Intermediate Business Comp Applications	3		
BUSI 301	Legal & Ethical Concepts for Decision Makers	3		
BUSI 310	Principles of Management	3		
BUSI 313	Foundations of Project Management	3		
BUSI 320	Finance Principles	3		
BUSI 330	Principles of Marketing	3		
BUSI 336	Introduction to Entrepreneurship	3		
CSIS 100	Intro. to Info Systems & Info Technology	3		
CSIS 320	IS Hardware & Software	3		
CSIS 330	Business Data Communication Systems	3		
CSIS 335	Network Security	3		
ECON 213	Principles of Microeconomics	3		
ECON 214	Principles of Macroeconomics	3		
Student Teaching				
EDST 475	The Reflective Educator: Resource Sem.	3		
_____	_____[6,7]	9		

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 and all EDUC and EDSP courses
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

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

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

[1] Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

[2] MATH 201 is strongly recommended, as a prerequisite to ACCT 211.

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

[4] Students 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

[5] Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened

[6] Liberty University School of Education Background check is required for all practicums and student teaching

[7] Choose one of the following Student Teaching options: EDST 460, 461, 464, 465, 466, 467

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
ENGL 101	3	BIBL 105	2
EVAN 101	2	COMS 101	3
INQR 101	1	Info. Lit. El.² [CSCN 110 or CSIS 110]	3
Technology Competency¹	0-3	MATH Elective² [MATH 121]	3
UNIV 101	1	RLGN 105	2
CSIS 100	3	THEO 201	2
EDGT 177	0	EDGT 277	0
EDUC 201	3	EDUC 221	3
CSER	0	CSER	0
Total	13-16	Total	18

SOPHOMORE YEAR

BIBL 110	2	ENGL 201	3
PSYC 210	3	THEO 202	2
RSCH 201	3	ACCT 212	3
ACCT 211	3	BUSI 201	3
BUSI 310	3	BUSI 301	3
EDUC 189³	0	EDUC 350	3
EDUC 235	3	CSER	0
CSER	0	Total	17
Total	17		

JUNIOR YEAR

HIUS 221	3	CSTU 101	3
Natural Science Elective² [ECON 213]	3	BUSI 320	3
BUSI 313	3	BUSI 336	3
BUSI 330	3	CSIS 320	3
EDUC 289³	0	CSIS 330	3
EDUC 360	3	CSER	0
EDUC 419	3	Total	15
CSER	0		
Total	18		

SENIOR YEAR

EDGT 377	0	EDST 475	3
CSIS 335	3	Student Teaching Option³,⁴	9
ECON 213	3	CSER	0
ECON 214	3	Total	12
EDUC 389³	0		
EDUC 425	3		
EDUC 435	3		
CSER	0		
Total	15		

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[4]Choose one of the following Student Teaching options: EDST 460, 461, 464, 465, 466, or 467