

**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
<b>Communication &amp; Information Literacy (13 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
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)<sup>1</sup>

UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1	_____
MATH _____	MATH Elective	3	_____
_____	Technology Competency <sup>2</sup>	0-3	_____

#### Critical Thinking (8 hours)

ENGL 201	American Literature I	3	_____
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues <sup>3</sup>	2	_____
RSCH 201	Research 201	3	_____

#### Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)

CSTU 101	Western Culture	3	_____
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life <sup>3</sup>	2	_____

#### Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)<sup>1</sup>

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 <sup>3</sup>	2	_____
THEO 202	Theology Survey II <sup>3</sup>	2	_____

#### Major Foundational Courses (0-9 hours)

ENGL 102	Composition & Literature <sup>4</sup>	3	_____
MATH 121	College Algebra <sup>4</sup>	3	_____
PHYS 101	Elements of Physics <sup>4</sup>	3	_____

#### Graduation Requirements

120 Total Hours

3.0 Overall grade point average

30 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

30 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
<b>MAJOR</b>			
<b>Core (72 hours)</b>			
<i>Education Courses</i>			
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 425	Content Measurement & Evaluation	3	_____
EDUC 435	Content Curriculum Fundamentals	3	_____
TESL 419	Meth & Curriculum in Teach Modern Lang	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 <sup>5</sup>	0	_____
EDUC 289	Practicum in Education II: Local <sup>5</sup>	0	_____
EDUC 389	Practicum in Education III: Local <sup>5</sup>	0	_____
<i>Secondary Courses</i>			
ENGL 333	Modern Grammar	3	_____
ENGL 334	Eymology	3	_____
<b>or</b> ENGL 364	History of the English Language	3	_____
LING 300	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3	_____
<b>or</b> GLST 290	Cultural Anthropology	3	_____
LING 301	Introduction to Linguistics	3	_____
LING 453	World Languages	3	_____
TESL 302	Applied Linguistics	3	_____
TESL 373	Applied Grammar	3	_____
TESL 403	Second Language Acquisition	3	_____
TESL 405	Issues & Practices in TESL/FL	3	_____
<i>Language Courses</i>			
_____	Language Elective <sup>6</sup>	3	_____
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<i>Student Teaching</i>			
EDST 475	The Reflective Educator: Resource Sem.	3	_____
_____	_____	<sup>5,7</sup> 9	_____

#### FREE ELECTIVES (1-4 hours)

#### 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.

<sup>1</sup>Refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened) before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

<sup>2</sup>All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course refer to [www.liberty.edu/computerassessment](http://www.liberty.edu/computerassessment) for more information

<sup>3</sup>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

<sup>4</sup>Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened)

<sup>5</sup>Liberty University School of Education Background check is required for all practicums and student teaching

<sup>6</sup>All Language Electives should be taken in the same language

<sup>7</sup>Choose one of the following Student Teaching options: EDST 462, 463, 464, 465, 468, 469

*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

### FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 105	2	COMS 101	3
ENGL 101	3	Info Literacy Elective [ENGL 102] <sup>3</sup>	3
INQR 101	1	MATH Elective [MATH 121] <sup>3</sup>	3
Technology Competency <sup>1</sup>	0-3	PSYC 210	3
UNIV 101	3	EDGT 277	0
EDGT 177	0	EDUC 221	3
EDUC 201	3	Language Elective <sup>2</sup>	3
Language Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	18
Total 15-18			

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

ENGL 201	3	BIBL 110	2
EVAN 101	2	CSTU 101	3
Language Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	HIUS 221	3
Natural Science Elective [PHYS 101] <sup>3</sup>	3	RLGN 105	2
RSCH 201	3	THEO 202	2
EDUC 350	3	EDUC 189 <sup>4</sup>	0
CSER	<u>0</u>	EDUC 235	3
Total 17		LING 300 or GLST 290	3
		CSER	<u>0</u>
		Total	18

### JUNIOR YEAR

THEO 201	2	EDUC 360	3
EDUC 289 <sup>4</sup>	0	EDUC 425	3
ENGL 333	3	LING 453	3
ENGL 334 or 364	3	TESL 302	3
LING 301	3	TESL 373	3
TESL 419	3	TESL 403	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total 14		Total	18

### SENIOR YEAR

EDGT 377	0	EDST 475	3
EDUC 389 <sup>4</sup>	0	Student Teaching Option <sup>4,5</sup>	9
EDUC 435	3	CSER	<u>0</u>
TESL 405	3	Total	12
Elective	3		
CSER	<u>0</u>		
Total 15			

#### Notes

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