

**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   | _____ |
| <b>Technological Solutions &amp; Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)<sup>1</sup></b> |   |     |       |
| UNIV 101  | Foundational Skills                         | 1   | _____ |
| MATH _____  | MATH Elective                               | 3   | _____ |
| _____   | Technology Competency <sup>2</sup>          | 0-3 | _____ |
| <b>Critical Thinking (8 hours)</b>  |   |     |       |
| ENGL 201  | American Literature I                       | 3   | _____ |
| RLGN 105  | Intr Bwww/Contemp Moral Issues <sup>3</sup> | 2   | _____ |
| RSCH 201  | Research 201                                | 3   | _____ |
| <b>Civic &amp; Global Engagement (5 hours)</b>                                      |   |     |       |
| CSTU 101  | Western Culture                             | 3   | _____ |
| EVAN 101  | Evangelism & Christian Life <sup>3</sup>    | 2   | _____ |
| <b>Social &amp; Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>                        |   |     |       |
| PSYC 210  | Developmental Psychology                    | 3   | _____ |
| _____   | Natural Science Elective                    | 3   | _____ |
| <b>Christianity &amp; Contexts (8 hours)</b>  |   |     |       |
| 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   | _____ |
| <b>Major Foundational Courses (0-9 hours)</b>                                       |   |     |       |
| 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   | _____ |

| Course                              | Hrs  | Sem | Grade |
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| <b>MAJOR</b> <u>Core (75 hours)</u> |  |     |       |
| <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   | _____ |
| SPAN 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>            |  |     |       |
| SPAN 202                            | Intermediate Spanish II                        | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 301                            | Adv Spanish Grammar & Composition              | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 302                            | Adv Spanish Composition & Conversation         | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 304                            | Civilization & Culture of Latin America        | 3   | _____ |
| or SPAN 305                         | Civilization & Culture of Spain                | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 310                            | Intro to Translation: Spanish-English          | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 321                            | Modern Spanish Literature                      | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 322                            | Peninsular Literature                          | 3   | _____ |
| or SPAN 323                         | Latin America Literature                       | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 330                            | Introduction to Hispanic Linguistics           | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 403                            | Second Language Acquisition                    | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 450                            | SR Seminar: Comp Spanish/Latin Am Lit          | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 499                            | Internship                                     | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN 499                            | Internship                                     | 3   | _____ |
| SPAN _____                          | _____  | 3   | _____ |
| <i>Student Teaching</i>             |  |     |       |
| EDST 475                            | The Reflective Educator: Resource Sem.         | 3   | _____ |
| _____                               | _____  | 5,6 | 9     |

#### FREE ELECTIVES (0-1 hours)

|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
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| 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  |

| Notes  |
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| 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 <a href="http://www.liberty.edu/gened">www.liberty.edu/gened</a> before enrolling in foundational skills requirements  |
| <sup>2</sup> All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course refer to <a href="http://www.liberty.edu/computerassessment">www.liberty.edu/computerassessment</a> 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 <a href="http://www.liberty.edu/gened">www.liberty.edu/gened</a>                                |
| <sup>5</sup> Liberty University School of Education Background check is required for all practicums and student teaching   |
| <sup>6</sup> Choose one of the following Student Teaching options: EDST 462, 463, 464, 465, 468, or 469  |
| <i>Suggested Course Sequence on second page</i>  |

## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

### FRESHMAN YEAR

| First Semester                     |          | Second Semester                                |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|--|----------|
| COMS 101                           | 3        | BIBL 105                                       | 2        |
| ENGL 101                           | 3        | Info Literacy Elective [ENGL 102] <sup>2</sup> | 3        |
| INQR 101                           | 1        | MATH Elective [MATH 121] <sup>2</sup>          | 3        |
| Technology Competency <sup>1</sup> | 0-3      | RLGN 105                                       | 2        |
| UNIV 101                           | 1        | THEO 201                                       | 2        |
| EDGT 177                           | 0        | EDGT 277                                       | 0        |
| EDUC 201                           | 3        | EDUC 221                                       | 3        |
| SPAN 202                           | 3        | SPAN 301                                       | 3        |
| CSER                               | <u>0</u> | CSER   | <u>0</u> |
| Total                              | 14-17    | Total  | 18       |

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

|          |          |                       |          |
|----------|----------|-----------------------|----------|
| BIBL 110 | 2        | CSTU 101              | 3        |
| EVAN 101 | 2        | ENGL 201              | 3        |
| RSCH 201 | 3        | PSYC 210              | 3        |
| THEO 202 | 2        | EDUC 189 <sup>3</sup> | 0        |
| EDUC 350 | 3        | EDUC 235              | 3        |
| SPAN 302 | 3        | SPAN 304 or 305       | 3        |
| CSER     | <u>0</u> | SPAN 330              | 3        |
| Total    | 15       | CSER                  | <u>0</u> |
|          |          | Total                 | 18       |

### JUNIOR YEAR

|  |          |               |          |
|--|----------|---------------|----------|
| HIUS 221   | 3        | EDUC 360      | 3        |
| Natural Science Elective [PHYS 101] <sup>2</sup> | 3        | EDUC 425      | 3        |
| EDUC 289 <sup>3</sup>                            | 0        | SPAN 321      | 3        |
| SPAN 322 or 323                                  | 3        | SPAN 450      | 3        |
| SPAN 403   | 3        | SPAN 499      | 3        |
| SPAN 419   | 3        | SPAN Elective | <u>3</u> |
| CSER   | <u>0</u> | CSER          | <u>0</u> |
| Total  | 15       | Total         | 18       |

### SENIOR YEAR

|                       |          |  |          |
|-----------------------|----------|--|----------|
| EDGT 377              | 0        | EDST 475                               | 3        |
| EDUC 389 <sup>3</sup> | 0        | Student Teaching Option <sup>3,4</sup> | 9        |
| EDUC 435              | 3        | CSER                                   | <u>0</u> |
| SPAN 310              | 3        | Total                                  | 12       |
| SPAN 499              | 3        |  |          |
| CSER                  | <u>0</u> |  |          |
| Total                 | 15       |  |          |

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