



**ARKANSAS STATE**  
UNIVERSITY

**Eight-Semester Degree Plan**  
**Bachelor of Science in Education**  
**Major in Social Science**  
**2020-2021**

Year 1							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed	Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed
HIST 1003	Intro. to Hist and Social Studies	3	X	ENG 1013	Composition II	3	X
ENG 1003	Composition I	3	X	HIST 1023	World Hist since 1500	3	X
MATH 1023	College Algebra	3	X	PSY 2013	Intro to Psychology	3	X
HIST 1013	World Hist to 1500	3	X	HIST 2763	U.S. History to 1876	3	X
ART 2503 or MUS 2503 or THEA 2503	Fine Arts Visual or Fine Arts Musical or Fine Arts Theatre	3	X	ENG 2003 or ENG 2013 or PHIL 1103	World Lit to 1660 or World Lit since 1660 or Intro to Philosophy	3	X
<b>Total Hours:</b>		15		<b>Total Hours:</b>		15	
Year 2							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed	Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed
BIO 1001 or BIO 2013 & BIO 2011 or BIOL 1033 & BIOL 1001 or BIOL 1043 & BIOL 1001 or BIOL 1063 & BIOL 1001 or BIOL 2103 & BIOL 1001 or BIO 2203 & BIO 2201 or BIO 2223 & BIO 2221	Biological Science and Biological Science Labor Biology of the Cell and Biology of the Cell Labor Biology of Sex and Biological Science Labor Plants and People and Biological Science Labor People and Environment and Biological Science Lab or Microbiology for Nursing and Biological Science Lab or Human A&P I and Human A&P I Labor Human A&P II and Human A&P II Lab	4	X	CHEM 1013 & CHEM 1011 or PHSC 1203 & PHSC 1201 or GEO 1003 & GEO 1001  PHYS 1103 & PHYS 1101 or PHYS 2034 or PHYS 2054 or PHCS 1014 or CHEM 1043 & CHEM 1041	Gen Chemistry I and Gen Chemistry I Lab or Physical Science and Physical Science Lab or Environmental Geology and Environmental Geology Lab or  Intro to Space Science and Intro to Space Science Lab or University Physics I or General Physics I or Energy and the Environment or Fundamental Con of Chem and Fundamental Con of Chem Lab	4	X
HIST 2773	U.S. History since 1876	3		HIST (U.S. Hist) 3000/4000	Hist Elective	3	
SCED 2513	Intro to Secondary Education	3		HIST 3083	History of Arkansas	3	
HIST 3333	Practice of History	3		HIST 3333	Intro to Sociology	3	X
POSC 2103	Intro to U.S. Government	3		POSC 3193	Arkansas Gov and Politics	3	
<b>Total Hours:</b>		16		<b>Total Hours:</b>		16	

Year 3							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed	Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed
GEOG 2103 or GEOG 2613	Intro. to Geography or World Geography	3		GEOG	Geography Elective	3	
ECON 2333	Issues and Concepts	3		POSC	3000/4000-level Elective in political science	3	
HIST (World History)	3000/4000-level Elective	3		HIST (U.S. History)	3000/4000-level Elective Must be U.S. History course	3	
ELSE 3643	Except Student in the Reg Class	3		PSY 3703	Educational Psychology	3	
HIST 3673 or 3683	African American History I or African American History II	3		SOC	Sociology Elective	3	
<b>Total Hours:</b>		15		<b>Total Hours:</b>		15	
Year 4							
Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed	Course No.	Course Name	Hrs	Gen Ed
HIST (World History)	3000/4000-level Elective Must be World History course	3		TIHI 4826	Teaching Internship	12	
SCED 4713	Ed Measurements w/ Comp App	3					
EDSS 4603	Methods/Materials Teaching	3					
HIST 4312	Comp Tech for Hist/SS Ed	2					
SCED 3515	Performance Based Instructional Design	5					
<b>Total Hours:</b>		16		<b>Total Hours:</b>		12	
<b>Total Upper-Level Hours:</b>		58		<b>Total Degree Hours:</b>		120	

\*This degree plan is meant to serve as a guide. Courses taken each semester can vary depending on credits of incoming students and compatibility of class times with student schedules, especially for years 1-3.

#### Additional Graduation Requirements:

- 32 resident hours
- 45 JR/SR hours after 30 hours
- 18 of last 24 hours on A-State Campus
- Minimum 57 hours from 4-year institutions
- 120 total hours (715+ field hours in secondary classrooms)
- 2.7 average GPA in major
- 2.7 average overall GPA
- 2.7 overall and major GPA
- ACT scores of 19 for math and reading and 7 for writing OR Praxis CORE of 162 on reading, writing and math
- Background and child maltreatment checks must be passed
- Praxis 2 Content Exam for licensure
- Successful completion of internship and all other program requirements for licensure