

**BACHELOR OF ARTS PROGRAM LEADING TO DUAL CERTIFICATION IN SOCIAL STUDIES
SECONDARY EDUCATION AND SPECIAL EDUCATION (Gr.K-12)**

2023-2024 Degree Requirements

Name: _____

ID Number: _____

TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE: 138

UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM: 42 credits

Required Fundamental Courses:

COMM 101	Oral Comm. & Pres.	3 credits
ENGL 101	College Composition	3 credits
UNIV 101	City-University Life	3 credits
Senior Capstone	EDUC 432	3 credits

Choose Thematic Core courses in the following:

Explore the World - Choice 1	HIST 201	3 credits
Explore the World - Choice 2	HIST 202	3 credits
Investigate Science		3 credits
Investigate Mathematics	MATH 150	3 credits
* Interpret Creative Works		3 credits
Understand People - Choice 1	EDUC 220	3 credits
Understand People - Choice 2	EDUC 228	3 credits
Succeed in Business	ECON 202	3 credits
Appreciate & Apply the Arts		3 credits
Discover Technology	EDUC 101	3 credits

*Interpret Creative Works class must be a literature course.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 96 cr.

MATH Math Elective (3)
ECON 201 Macroeconomics (3)
ECON 421 International Economics (3)
HIST 203 History of U.S. I (3)
HIST 204 History of U.S. II (3)
HIST 382 History of Pennsylvania (3)
POLS 102 American Natl Govt (3)
POLS 205 World Geography (3)
POLS 335 American Foreign Policy **OR**
POLS 372 International Relations (3)
POLS 402 Constitutional Law (3)
PSYC 313 Social Psychology (3)
GCS 175 Intro Global Cultural Studies (3)
GCS 225 Anthropology of Belief **OR**
GCS 310 Human Rights (3)
EDUC 150 Intro to Teaching Profession (3)
EDUC 222 Assess & Adapt (3)

EDUC 250 Work w/Eng Lang Learn (3)
EDUC 321 Lit&Learn in Midd/Sec (3)
EDUC 415 Teach in Midd/Sec (3)
EDUC 422 Data Driven Instruction (3)
EDUC 425 Student Teaching Pract (12)
SPED 180 Special Ed&Inclusive Prac (3)
SPED 220 Instr/Assist Tech (3)
SPED 280 Positive Behav Int/Supp (3)
SPED 281 High Inced Dis (3)
SPED 282 Low Inced Dis (3)
SPED 380 Diff Inst Prac Incl Clssrm (3)
SPED 381 Secondary Transitions (3)
SPED 382 Autism Spectrum Dis. (3)
SPED 481 In Read/Write/Math Sped (3)

TESTS FOR CERTIFICATION:

PECT-PAPA: Reading, Math, Writing (8001, 8002, 8003) **OR**

ETS-CORE: Reading, Writing, Math (5713, 5733, 5723)

ETS-Social Studies-Content Knowledge (5081)

PECT-Special Education 7-12 (8015, 8016)

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Upon successful completion of this program, a student will be able to:

1. Utilize a variety of instructional strategies.
2. Develop instructional plans and set goals based on the content to be taught/learned, knowledge of assigned students, and the instructional context.
3. Establish and maintain purposeful and equitable classroom environments.
4. Demonstrate integrity, ethical behavior, and professional conduct as stated in the *Pennsylvania Code of Professional Practice and Conduct for Educators*.