

UNIVERSITY OF PIKEVILLE

SECONDARY EDUCATION – SOCIAL STUDIES

Grades 8 – 12 (B. A. or B. S.) MAJOR

PATON COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Name _____ ID# _____

Advisor _____

Admission to the undergraduate Teacher Education Certification Program is required before a student may take any 400 level education course. Criteria for admission to the undergraduate Teacher Education Certification Program include overall GPA of 2.75; completion of all required courses in general knowledge with a GPA of at least 2.75; completion of all required courses in specialization knowledge with a GPA of at least 2.75, and no grade lower than a “C”; completion of all required education courses except 400 level courses with a GPA of at least 2.75 and no grade lower than a “C”; obtaining Kentucky required passing scores on the Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators (CORE) tests in Reading, Writing, and Mathematics; and Kentucky’s passing scores on Praxis II: Subject Assessment/Specialty Area Test(s). Admission to the Student Teaching Program is required prior to enrolling in student teaching. Criteria for admission to the Student Teaching Program include a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 and no grade lower than a “C” in any academic specialty for which the institution will recommend certification; completion of all education courses (with the exception of student teaching) with a 2.75 GPA and no grade lower than a “C”; and Kentucky’s passing scores on Praxis II: Principles of Learning and Teaching Test(s). Each candidate must demonstrate knowledge of Kentucky Teacher Standards and the University of Pikeville Teacher Standard and awareness of the professional dispositions assessed by the program before admission to any undergraduate Teacher Education Program. Before admission to the Student Teaching Program, each candidate must demonstrate understanding of Kentucky Teacher Standards and the University of Pikeville Teacher Standard and compliance with the professional dispositions assessed by the program. Before exit from any undergraduate Teacher Education Program, each candidate must demonstrate an acceptable level of application of all Kentucky Teacher Standards and the University of Pikeville Teacher Standard by completing a teacher performance assessment (TPA) with a score of 3 or higher and show commitment to the program’s professional dispositions by obtaining a score of 3 or higher on the Dispositions Behavior Checklist. Consult the undergraduate Teacher Education Handbook and the Student Teaching Handbook for a more detailed description of admission criteria.

Professional Knowledge

46 Hours

COURSE	GRADE	CREDIT	TERM TAKEN	TRANSFER COURSES DEPT/NO.	TRANSFER COURSES INSTITUTION
EDU 100		1		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	
EDU 101		2			
EDU 200		3			
EDU 203		3			
EDU 205		3			
EDU 321		3			
EDU 328		1		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	
EDU 401		3		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	
EDU 402		3		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	
EDU 403		3		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	
EDU 404		3		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	
EDU 422		3		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	
EDU 423		3		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	
EDU 444		12		MUST BE TAKEN AT UPIKE	

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Specialization Knowledge

History Requirements

12 Hours

COURSE	GRADE	CREDIT	TERM TAKEN	TRANSFER COURSES DEPT/NO.	TRANSFER COURSES INSTITUTION
HIS 221		3			
HIS 222		3			
HIS 225		3			
HIS 226		3			

History electives at 300/400 level (9 hours from Group A, 6 hours from Group B, and 3 hours from Group C).

Group A: American History Elective Requirements

9 Hours

Group A – Select 3 courses from the following: HIS 427, HIS 429, HIS 431, HIS 432, HIS 463.

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HIS		3			
HIS		3			
HIS		3			

Group C – HIS 463, PLS 448, PLS 455 (or any course from Group A or B that was not taken to fulfill the above requirement).

Group B: World History Elective Requirements

6 Hours

Group B – Select 2 courses from the following: HIS 312, HIS 314, HIS 324, HIS 335, HIS 364, HIS 365, HIS 426.

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HIS		3			
HIS		3			

Group C: History or Political Science Elective Requirements

3 Hours

Group C – Select 1 course from the following: HIS 463, PLS 448, PLS 455 (or any course from Group A or B that was not taken to fulfill the above requirement).

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HIS or PLS		3			

Political Science Requirement

3 Hours

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PLS 223		3			

Political Science Elective Requirement

3 Hours

Select 1 course from the following: PLS 323, PLS 423, *PLS 448, PLS 455, *HIS 463.

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PLS or HIS		3			

*PLS 448 and HIS 463 can only be used as a Political Science Elective, if not used to meet the History Elective.

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Economics Requirements**6 Hours**

COURSE	GRADE	CREDIT	TERM TAKEN	TRANSFER COURSES DEPT/NO.	TRANSFER COURSES INSTITUTION
ECN 201		3			
ECN 202		3			

Psychology, Sociology, and Geography Requirements**9 Hours**

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EDU 102		3			
PSY 110		3			
SOC 119		3			

Student's Signature_____
Date_____
Advisor's Signature_____
Date

“Teacher certification requirements are subject to change. Before registering for any Praxis test(s), please refer to the Education Professional Standards Board (EPSB) website at <http://www.epsb.ky.gov> for current requirements or contact Ms. Rice at (502) 564-4606 or toll free 888-598-7667.”

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