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| **Freshman Year** |
| **Fall** | **Spring** |
|  | Course Number | Course Title | Credits |  | Course Number | Course Title | Credits |
|  | UNV 1000  | Freshman Seminar  | 1 |  | PED 1xxx | Physical Education | 1 |
|  | ENG 1050 | Composition I | 3 |  | ENG 1060 | Composition II | 3 |
|  | HST 1100 (general ed and major)—designated section | Amer Indian Hist to 1865 (ICC) | 3 |  | HST 1020 (gen ed and major) | American Civ since 1877 | 3 |
|  | ART 2050, MUS 1020 or 1040, or THE 2500 | Fine Art general education  | 3 |  | ECN 1000 (gen ed and major) | Economics of Social Issues | 3 |
|  | PLS 1010 (general ed and major) | American Government | 3 |  | REL 1300 (general ed and major) | Introduction to Religion | 3 |
|  | BIO 1060, PHS 1100 or 1560, or GLY 1150 or 2460 | Natural Science general education | 3 |  | BIO 1060, PHS 1100 or 1560, or GLY 1150 or 2460 | Natural Science general education (different area) | 3 |
| **Total Credits**  | 16 |  | **Total Credits**  | 16 |

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| **Sophomore Year** |
| **Fall** | **Spring** |
|  | Course Number | Course Title | Credits |  | Course Number | Course Title | Credits |
|  | HST 1150 (major requirement) | World Civ since 1500  | 3 |  | HST 3000WD | Historical Practice and Theory  | 3 |
|  | PSY 1010 (general ed and major) | Intro to Psychology | 3 |  | EDN 2100†\* | Intro to Education | 3 |
|  | GGY 1020 or 2000 (gen ed and major) | World Regional or Cultural Geography | 3 |  | PSY 2050† | Childhood and Adolescence | 3 |
|  | HST 1010, 1030, 1110, or 1140  | Introductory History for Major | 3 |  | MAT 1055\* (general education)  | Quantitative Reasoning | 3 |
|  | ENG 2xxx | Literature general education | 3 |  | PLS 2010 (major requirement) | American State & Local Government | 3 |
|  | PED 1xxx | Physical Education | 1 |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Credits** | 16 |  | **Total Credits** | 15 |

**\*Students are encouraged to take the Praxis Core exam immediately following completion of EDN 2100 and MAT 1055, to increase likelihood of passing on first try.**

Preferred Introductory History courses for Social Studies Education students: HST 1100 (designated section for History majors in Freshman Fall); HST 1020 in Freshman Spring; HST 1150 and one additional 1000-level course in Sophomore Fall. Students planning to teach Middle Grades should take 1140 as that additional course.

Required or Preferred Social Science courses for Social Studies Education students: PLS 1010 **and** 2010; GGY 1020 **or** 2000; ECN 1000; FIN 2050; PSY 1010 **and** 2050. These can be taken in any order but should be complete by end of Junior year. Other options may be accepted from transfer institutions, but the courses listed here provide the best preparation for the Praxis content exam and the most common early-career teaching assignments.

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| **Junior Year** |
| **Fall** | **Spring** |
|  | Course Number | Course Title | Credits |  | Course Number | Course Title | Credits |
|  | SSE 4100†***Fall Only*** | Introduction to Teaching Social Studies  | 3 |  | SSE 4350†***Spring Only*** | Social Studies Curr Dev and Purposes | 3 |
|  | HST 3170 | History of North Carolina (ICC) | 3 |  | SED 3310† | Introduction to Exceptional Children |  |
|  | HST XXXX | Advanced North or South American History | 3 |  | HST XXXX  | Advanced North or South American History | 3 |
|  | HST XXXX | Advanced African, Asian or European History | 3 |  | HST XXXX | Advanced Asian or European History | 3 |
|  | FIN 2050 | Personal Finance | 3 |  | HST 3640WE | Civil Rights Movement | 3 |
| **Total Credits** | 15 | **Total Credits** | 15 |

**Students should plan to take Praxis Content Exam in the Summer between Junior & Senior years or early in Senior Fall. Passing scores on BOTH Praxis exams are required before the student will be assigned to an internship placement.**

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| **Senior Year** |
| **Fall** | **Spring** |
|  | Course Number | Course Title | Credits |  | Course Number | Course Title | Credits |
|  | EDN 3130\*\* | Content Area Literacy | 3 |  | SSE 4480\*\*  | Internship in Social Studies  | 9 |
|  | SSE 4500WD\*\* ***Fall Only*** | Methods of Teaching Social Sciences  | 3 |  | SSE 4490\*\* | SSE Internship Seminar | 3 |
|  | HST XXXX | Advanced Asian, Middle Eastern, or European History  | 3 |  |  |  |  |
|  | University-Wide Elective |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |
|  | University-Wide Elective |  | 3 |  |  |  |  |
| **Total Credits** | 15 | **Total Credits** | 12 |

**†The following courses are required for admission to the Teacher Education program and must be completed by end of Junior Year: EDN 2100, PSY 2050 (can be substituted with EDN 3140 or 3150), SED 3310, SSE 4100, and SSE 4350.**

**\*\*Students must be admitted to Teacher Education program before taking EDN 3130, SSE 4500, and the internship courses.**

**Students will be required to complete a significant number of observation hours in Fall of Senior Year. Clustering your courses on two days of the week and taking online options when possible is recommended, to leave sufficient time for observations. During Senior Spring students spend all day, Monday-Friday, in their internship classroom. Due to observation and internship requirements, students will have limited hours available for part-time jobs and other outside activities, and should plan their budgets accordingly.**