



Secondary Endorsement All Social Sciences 5-12

Students majoring in Secondary Education must complete the prescribed pre-education requirements, the requirements for the Secondary Education major, and at least one content endorsement. This endorsement can be completed as the student's first content endorsement.

Students must earn a minimum 3.0 GPA in courses required for the major and each endorsement. The grade of B or above must be earned in designated education major pre-admission and major courses, and students must earn a grade of C or above in all other courses required for the major pre-admission courses, major, and each endorsement. Please see the university catalog for additional information.

Iowa Teaching Endorsement: #186

Requirements for the Endorsement: 2 credits of methods coursework plus 52 credits of content area coursework. Those already licensed in Social Sciences may be required to complete a practicum depending on their initial license; inquire with the Education Department Chair.

Note: Students may complete the History major by taking two more upper-division courses in American and World history respectively. See the History major checklist. Those students truly wishing to teach Psychology in high school should additionally take PSYC 325 Counseling Theories.

Methods Coursework:

Essential Competencies-Outcome Skills

****Transfer courses do not receive outcome Skills****

				IL	W	O	Q	IC	V
	EDUC 351	Secondary Social Science Teaching Methods	2						

Content Area Coursework

Take two courses from:

				IL	W	O	Q	IC	V
	HIST 103	The Ancient World	3	x				x	
	HIST 104	The Medieval World	3	x				x	
	HIST 105	The West in the Modern World	3	x				x	

Take two courses from:

				IL	W	O	Q	IC	V
	HIST 111	Colonial America	3	x				x	x
	HIST 112	The U.S.: Republic to Empire, 1789-1898	3	x				x	x
	HIST 113	The American Century Since 1898	3	x			x	x	x

Take the following:

Essential Competencies-Outcome Skills

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				IL	W	O	Q	IC	V
	HIST 280	The Historian's Craft	3		x	x	x		x
	POLS 110	National Government	3	x					

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	POLS 120	State and Local Government	3	x					
	POLS 215 or POLS 340 or POLS 361	The Presidency or American Constitutional Law and Development I or Comparative Politics	3 or 3 or 3	x x	x				
	PSYC 101	General Psychology	3		x				
	PSYC XXX	Psychology elective	3-4						
	ECON 101	Principles of Macro Economics	3						
	ECON 102	Principles of Micro Economics	3						
	GEOG 105	Human Geography	3			x		x	
	GEOG 205	World Regional Geography	3						
	SOCS 101	Introduction to Sociology	3				x	x	
	PSYC/SOCS 310 or SOCS 315 or SOCS 341	Social Psychology or Social Problems or Cultural Anthropology	3	x					

Take one course in World History from:

			IL	W	O	Q	IC	V
	HIST 303	Roman Republic and Empire	3					
	HIST 307	The Vikings	3			x	x	
	HIST 308	The Crusades	3					
	HIST 324	Modern Russia	3		x		x	
	HIST 326	Modern Britain	3		x	x	x	
	HIST 327	Modern Germany	3		x		x	x
	HIST 332	Modern Latin America	3	x	x		x	
	HIST 334	Modern Middle East	3	x			x	
	HIST 335	The British Empire	3				x	
	HIST 336	Modern Africa	3			x	x	x
	HIST 352*	World War I	3				x	
	HIST 354*	World War II	3				x	
	HIST 365*	Korean & Vietnam Wars	3			x	x	x
	HIST 381	Gaming in History	3		x	x		x
	HIST 392	Independent Study (with appropriate topic)	3					
	HIST 430	Topics in History (with appropriate topic)	3					

***COURSES MARKED WITH AN ASTERISK (*) MAY ONLY BE USED TO FULFILL REQUIREMENTS IN ONE OF THE ABOVE AREAS**

Students who are planning on teaching careers outside of Iowa should consult with their advisor and/or Education Department regarding the requirements of their state. It is possible, though discouraged in Iowa, to receive licensure using a combination of the following endorsements with at least 30 credit hours of content area coursework combined: American Government, American History, Psychology, Sociology, and World History. Students are encouraged to double-major in History, which is completed in the combination of American History and World History, though other endorsements may be necessary for the requirements of the intended state.

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