Secondary Education: Grades 9-12
Social Studies

- Minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale is required in all professional education courses.
- Minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale is required in content area.
- A course grade less than a “C” is not allowed. A grade of “C-” or lower does not satisfy the requirement.
- Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale required for certification.
- Students must complete all the blocks in the program sequence. Blocks should be taken in total.

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**School of Education Core Curriculum**

**Moral & Ethical Development**
- THEO 1000 Theological Foundations
- PHIL 1050 Introduction to Philosophy
- EDF 3840 Professional Ethics

**Required Assessment**
- Ethics Case Study

**Leadership & Service**
- __ANY HISt course
- __ANY POLS, SOC, PPS, or ECON course
- __EDL 3892 Leadership & Service Seminar

**Required Assessment**
- Leadership & Service Reflection

**Inquiry**
- __Any MATH course
- __Any Science course with Lab
- __EDR 3891 Qualitative & Quantitative Methods
- __EDR 4970 Action Research for Educators

**Multicultural Studies**
- __EDF 3890 School & Community

**Select two courses from the following:**
- __EDF 3620 Cultural Diversity in the Classroom
- __EDSP 4310 Education of the Exceptional Individual
- __EDSP 4480 Methods of Inclusive Classrooms

**Communication & Technology**
- __CMM 1200 Introduction to Public Speaking
- __ENGL 1900 Advanced Strategies of Rhetoric & Research
- __Any Fine Arts
- __Any Literature Course
- __EDI 3893 Technological Application for Professionals

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**Secondary Education Curriculum**

**Block 1. Foundations of Teaching & Learning (6)**
- __EDF 2040 Foundations of Secondary Schools
- __EDI 2940 Portfolio I
- __EDF 2240 Growth, Development & Learning

**Required Assessments**
- Missouri Educator Profile
- Missouri General Education Assessment

**Block 2. Reaching Diverse Learners (9)**
- __EDF 3620 Cultural Diversity in the Classroom
- __EDSP 4310 Education of the Exceptional Child
- __EDI 3001 English Language Learners

**Block 3. Teaching Methods & Strategies (9)**
- __EDI 4210 Methods of Technology Integration
- __EDI 3340 Methods in Teaching Secondary Social Studies
- __EDI 3345 Practicum in Teaching Secondary Social Studies

**Block 4. Literacy & Assessment Practices (6)**
- __EDI 4420 Assessing Classroom Performance
- __EDI 3200 Reading & Writing in the Content Fields

**Block 5. The Classroom Environment (6)**
- __EDSP 4480 Teaching Methods for Inclusive Classrooms
- __EDSP 4250 Classroom Management & Organization
- __EDI 4200 Disciplinary Literacy Assessment & Intervention
- __EDI 3940 Portfolio Development II

**Required Assessment**
- Missouri Content Assessment, Social Studies 9-12

**Block 6. Becoming a Practitioner (15)**
- __EDI 4840 Student Teaching
- __EDI 4970 Action Research for Educators
- __EDI 4870 Professional Development Seminar
- __EDI 4940 Portfolio Development III

**Required Assessment**
- Missouri Pre-Service Teacher Assessment
- Ethics Case Study

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| United States History (12)                       | _HIST 2600 American History to 1865 (3)  
_ HIST 2610 American History since 1865 (3)       |
|                                                  | Choose **two courses from HIST 3450 through HIST 3700.**                                                  |
|                                                  | _HIST ____ (3)                                                                                           |
|                                                  | _HIST ____ (3)                                                                                           |
| World History (9)                                | _HIST 1110 Origins of the Modern World to 1500 (3)  
_ HIST 1120 Origins of the Modern World since 1500 (3)   |
|                                                  | _HIST 4900 Seminar in European History OR HIST 4902 Seminar in Non-Western History (3)                    |
| Political Science (6)                            | _POLS 1100 Intro to American Government (3)  
_ Any POLS course (3)                               |
| Economics (3)                                    | _ECON 1900 Principles of Economics (3) (Prerequisite: MATH-120)                                           |
| Geography (3)                                    | **Choose one from the following:**  
_ SOC 1180 World Geography (3)                     |
|                                                  | _EAS 1170 Physical Geography (3)                                                                      |
| Behavioral Science (6)                           | _SOC 1100 Introduction to Sociology (3)  
_ PSY 1010 General Psychology (3)                  |
| **To complete the major in History…(15)**        | _HIST 2800 Historian’s Craft (3)                                                                         |
|                                                  | **Choose one course in American History from HIST 3450 through HIST 3700**                              |
|                                                  | _HIST ____ (3)                                                                                           |
|                                                  | **Choose one course in pre-1500 European History from HIST 3000 through HIST 3070**                      |
|                                                  | _HIST ____ (3)                                                                                           |
|                                                  | **Choose one course in modern European (since 1500) History from HIST 3080 through HIST 3410; HIST 3710 through HIST 3760** |
|                                                  | _HIST ____ (3)                                                                                           |
|                                                  | **Choose one course in non-western history from HIST 2700-2710; HIST 3170 through HIST 3250; HIST 3810 through HIST 3830** |
|                                                  | _HIST ____ (3)                                                                                           |