

2023-2024 Degree Map-Bachelor of Arts in Social Studies Education

This map is a term-by-term sample course schedule. The milestones listed to the right of each term are designed to keep you on course to graduate in four years. The Sample Schedule serves as a general guideline to help you build a full schedule each term. See course descriptions and prerequisites at <http://www.atu.edu/catalog/>

Possible Careers Include: Area, Ethnic, and Cultural Studies Teacher, High School Teacher

#Prerequisite Courses: ENGL 0303 _____ MATH 0803 _____ MATH 1003 _____ MATH 0903 _____ MATH 1110 _____

Sample Schedule

Semester 1	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 1
ENGL 1013-Comp I (ACTS=ENGL1013)	3	#	Required for admission to Stage II	
HIST1503- World History to 1500 (ACTS=HIST1113)	3	#		
Science with Lab	4			
Mathematics	3	#	Required for admission to Stage II	
SEED 2002- Education as a Profession	2	#	Required for admission to Stage II	
TECH 1001- Orientation to University	1			
Total hours	16	GPA		

Semester 2	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 2
ENGL 1023- Comp II (ACTS= ENGL1023)	3	#	Required for admission to Stage II	
HIST1513- World History since 1500 (ACTS=HIST1123)	3	#		
Science with Lab	4			
SOC 1003- Introductory Sociology (ACTS=SOC11013)	3	#		
General Elective	1			
Total hours	14	GPA		

Semester 3	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 3
POLS 2003- American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)	3	#		
HIST 2003- United States History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)	3	#		
PSY 2003- General Psychology (ACTS=PSYC1103)	3	#		
ANTH 2003- Cultural Anthropology (ACTS= ANTH2013)	3	#		
GEOG 2013- Regional Geography of the World	3	#		
Total hours	15	GPA		

Semester 4	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 4
COMM 2003-Public Speaking OR COMM 2173- Bus/Prof Speaking	3	#	Required for admission to Stage II	
HIST 2013- United States History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123)	3	#	2.70+ GPA REQUIRED	
ECON 2003- Principles of Macroeconomics (ACTS=ECON2103)	3	#		
SEED 3702- Introduction to Educational Technology	2	#		
GEOG Elective	3	#		
HIST 2513 or POLS 2513	3	#	See Note 1	
Total hours	17	GPA	HIST and SEED Advisor Assigned	

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) is designed to assist in planning the academic progress of students. This system contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. The Arkansas Course Transfer System can be accessed by searching keyword "ACTS" at <https://adhe.edu/>

Fine Arts and Humanities	Science with Lab
ART 2123 Experiencing Art (ACTS=ARTA1003) MUS 2003 Introduction to Music (ACTS=MUSC1003) TH 2273 Introduction to Theatre (ACTS=DRAM 1003) ENGL/JOUR 2173 Introduction to Film ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature (ACTS=ENGL2113) ENGL 2013 Intro. to American Literature (ACTS=ENGL2653) PHIL 2003 Introduction to Philosophy (ACTS=PHIL1103) PHIL 2053 Introduction to Critical Thinking (ACTS=PHIL 1003) 1013 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT 1023 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT LEAD 2003 Ethics in Leadership	BIOL 1014- Intro. to Biological Science (ACTS= BIOL1004) BIOL/PHSC 1004- Principles of Environmental Science GEOL 1014- Physical Geology (ACTS= GEOL 1114)
University Honors students should consult Course Catalog for appropriate Fine Arts/Humanities, US History/Government and Social Science options for University Honors Curriculum.	

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Semester 5	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 5
Fine Arts & Humanities	3			
HIST 4714- Social Studies Methods for Secondary Teachers	4	#		
POLS 3033, POLS 3123, POLS 3133, or POLS 3143	3	#	See Note 2	
HIST/POLS Elective (3000-4000 level)	3	#		
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Total hours	16	GPA		

Semester 6	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 6
Fine Arts & Humanities	3			
ECON 2013- Principles of Microeconomics (ACTS=ECON2203)	3	#		
HIST 4153- History of Arkansas	3	#		
HIST/POLS Elective (3000-4000 level)	3	#		
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Total hours	15	GPA	APPLY FOR GRADUATION	

Semester 7	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 7
HIST 4963/POLS 4963- Senior Seminar	3	#		
SEED 4054- Developing Diverse, and Exceptional Learners	4	#	Co-Req SEED 4556	
SEED 4556-Classroom Application of Educational Psychology	6	#	Requires Stage II Admission	
General Elective	2			
Total hours	15	GPA	APPLY FOR INTERNSHIP	

Students must receive passing Praxis II scores to be admitted to Internship

Semester 8	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 8
SEED 4503- Seminar in Secondary Education	3	#	MUST BE ADMITTED TO INTERNSHIP	
SEED 4909- Teaching in the Secondary School	9	#		
Total Hours	12	GPA	Graduation Requirements: Min. 120 earned hours 2.70+ GPA	

General Electives: TECH 1001 plus 3 hours (1000-4000 level)

indicates a "C" or better is required

Note 1: Students must complete HIST 2513 Sources & Methods in History and HIST 4963 Senior Seminar or POLS 2513 Research Design, and POLS 4963 Senior Seminar.

Note 2: POLS 3033--American State and Local Government; POLS 3123-American Political Behavior; POLS 3133 United States Congress; POLS 3143-The United States Presidency