

ONLINE

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2023 through summer 2024. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

This is a non-licensure degree and is not a state approved program. Completion of this degree will not lead to the eligibility of a VA teaching license or a teaching license or certificate in any other state. If you would like to be eligible for a VA state teaching license or work through reciprocity guidelines to be eligible for a license or certificate in another state, you must complete a state-approved program. Refer to www.liberty.edu/education.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (39-42 hours)

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (12 hours)¹			
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (3-6 hours)¹

UNIV 104	Instructional Tech. for Online Learning	0-3	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____

Critical Thinking (7 hours)¹

RLGN 104	Christian Life & Biblical Worldview ²	4	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective ³	3	_____

Civic & Global Engagement (3 hours)¹

_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____
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Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)¹

_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____

Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)¹

BIBL 104	Survey of Old & New Testament	4	_____
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey ²	4	_____

Graduation Requirements

120 Total Hours

2.0 Overall grade point average

30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

25% Of major taken through Liberty University

30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Major Foundational Courses (9-27 hours)			
BIOL 101	Principles of Biology ⁴	3	_____
or BIOL 102	Principles of Human Biology ⁴	3	_____
COMS 101	Speech Communication ⁴	3	_____
ENGL 102	Composition & Literature ⁴	3	_____
HIEU 201	History of Western Civilization I ⁴	3	_____
HIUS 221	Survey of American History I ⁴	3	_____
MATH 117	Elements of Mathematics ⁴	3	_____
MATH 217	Elementary Geometry ⁴	3	_____
PHSC 210	Elements of Earth Science ⁴	3	_____
or PHYS 101	Elements of Physics ⁴	3	_____
PSYC 101	General Psychology ⁴	3	_____
or PSYC 210	Developmental Psychology ⁴	3	_____

MAJOR

Core (46 hours)

Area of Study I: Education

EDUC 200	Principles of Education	3	_____
EDUC 205	Learning Theory & Portfolio Develop.	3	_____
EDUC 301	Instructional Practice for Math Teachers	3	_____
EDUC 302	Instructional Pract. for Reading Teachers	3	_____
EDUC 303	Instructional Pract. For Content Teachers	3	_____
EDUC 304	Classroom Management for Teachers	3	_____
EDUC 305	Educational Philosophy for Teachers	3	_____
EDUC 306	Scholarly Writing & APA	3	_____
EDUC 307	Instructional Pract. for Diff. Instruction	3	_____
EDUC _____	Education Elective ⁵	3	_____
_____	Cultural Studies Elective ⁶	3	_____

Area of Study II: Content Core

ENGL 216	English Literature II	3	_____
GEOG 200	Introduction to Geography	3	_____
GOVT 200	Constitutional Govt. & Free Enterprise	3	_____
or GOVT 220	American Government	3	_____
MATH 121	College Algebra	3	_____
_____	Biology OR Physical Science Elective ⁷	1	_____

FREE ELECTIVES (5-26 hours)

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

²Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirement of RLGN 104 waived;

Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirement of THEO 104 waived

³Literature Elective recommended

⁴Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened

⁵Choose from EDUC 380⁹, 390^{8,10}, or 398¹¹

⁶Choose any Cultural Studies course from the General Education list

⁷Choose from BIOL 103, PHSC 122 or 211

⁸Background check clearance required

⁹Capstone course requires no field experience and does not lead to ACSI licensure

¹⁰Capstone course requires a minimum of 300 hours and leads to ACSI licensure

¹¹EDUC 398 requires 45 hours of field experience

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
BIBL 104	4	THEO 104	4
ENGL 101	3	Communications Elective [COMS 101] ¹	3
UNIV 104	0-3	Information Literacy Elective [ENGL 102] ¹	3
EDUC 200	3	EDUC 301	3
EDUC 205	<u>3</u>	EDUC 302	3
Total 13-16		Total	16

SOPHOMORE YEAR

Cultural Studies Elective ¹	3	HIEU 201 OR HIUS 221	3
PSYC 101 OR 210	3	EDUC 303	3
RLGN 104	4	EDUC 304	3
Critical Thinking Elective ^{1,2}	3	EDUC 305	3
Information Literacy Elective [HIEU 201 OR HIUS 221] ¹	<u>3</u>	GEOG 200	<u>3</u>
Total	16	Total	15

JUNIOR YEAR

PHSC 210 OR PHYS 101	3	ENGL 216	3
Math Elective [MATH 117 OR 217] ¹	3	EDUC 306	3
Natural Science Elective [BIOL 101 OR 102] ¹	3	GOVT 200 OR 220	3
Social Science Elective [PSYC 101 OR 210] ¹	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	3
Total	15	Total	15

SENIOR YEAR

MATH 117 OR 217	3	MATH 121	3
Biology OR Physical Science Elective	1	Education Elective ⁴	3
Cultural Studies Elective ³	3	Elective	3
EDUC 307	3	Elective	3
Elective	3	Elective	<u>3</u>
Elective	<u>2</u>	Total	15
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OPTIONAL FIFTH YEAR FOR M.A.T. & LICENSURE

To pursue a licensure endorsement after completion of the undergraduate program, please refer to the M.A.T. programs posted at www.liberty.edu/registrar/