

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. 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 state 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](http://www.liberty.edu/education).

**GENERAL EDUCATION/**

**FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (39-42 hours)**

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
<b>Communication &amp; Information Literacy (12 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
ENGL 101	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
<b>Technological Solutions &amp; Quantitative Reasoning (3-6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
UNIV 104	0-3	_____	_____
MATH _____	3	_____	_____
<b>Critical Thinking (7 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
RLGN 104	4	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
<b>Civic &amp; Global Engagement (3 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
_____	3	_____	_____
<b>Social &amp; Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
_____	3	_____	_____
_____	3	_____	_____
<b>Christianity &amp; Contexts (8 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
BIBL 104	4	_____	_____
THEO 104	4	_____	_____

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
<b>Major Foundational Courses (9-27 hours)</b>			
BIOL 101	3	_____	_____
or BIOL 102	3	_____	_____
COMS 101	3	_____	_____
ENGL 102	3	_____	_____
HIEU 201	3	_____	_____
HIUS 221	3	_____	_____
MATH 117	3	_____	_____
MATH 217	3	_____	_____
PHSC 210	3	_____	_____
or PHYS 101	3	_____	_____
PSYC 101	3	_____	_____
or PSYC 210	3	_____	_____

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Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
<b>Core (48 hours)</b>			
<i>Area of Study I: Education</i>			
EDUC 200	3	_____	_____
EDUC 205	3	_____	_____
EDUC 301	3	_____	_____
EDUC 302	3	_____	_____
EDUC 304	3	_____	_____
EDUC 305	3	_____	_____
EDUC 307	3	_____	_____
EDUC _____	3	_____	_____
<i>Area of Study II: Content Core</i>			
EDSP 360	3	_____	_____
EDSP 367	3	_____	_____
EDSP 370	3	_____	_____
EDSP 377	3	_____	_____
EDSP 323	3	_____	_____
or EDSP 429	3	_____	_____
EDSP 410	3	_____	_____
PSYC 345	3	_____	_____

**FREE ELECTIVES (3-24 hours)**

**Notes**  
All applicable prerequisites must be met

<sup>1</sup>Refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened) before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

<sup>2</sup>Students 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

<sup>3</sup>Literature Elective recommended

<sup>4</sup>Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened)

<sup>5</sup>Choose from EDUC 380<sup>9</sup>, 390<sup>10,11</sup>, or 398<sup>10,12</sup>

<sup>6</sup>Choose any Cultural Studies course from the General Education list

<sup>7</sup>Completion of this course allows graduates to apply for a provisional license in Special Education in VA at completion of degree program

<sup>8</sup>This is a non-licensure course and does not lead to eligibility for a provisional license in Special Education in VA

<sup>9</sup>Capstone course that requires no field experience and does not lead to ACSI licensure

<sup>10</sup>Background check clearance required

<sup>11</sup>Capstone course where students must complete a minimum of 300 hours and leads to ACSI licensure

<sup>12</sup>EDUC 398 requires 45 hours of field experience

*Suggested Course Sequence on second page*

<b>Graduation Requirements</b>	
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

## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

### FRESHMAN YEAR

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

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

PSYC 101 OR 210	3	HIEU 201 OR HIUS 221	3
RLGN 104	4	EDSP 367	3
Information Literacy Elective [HIEU 201 OR HIUS 221] <sup>1</sup>	3	EDSP 323 <sup>2</sup> OR 429 <sup>3</sup>	3
EDUC 304	3	EDUC 305	3
PSYC 345	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total 16		Total	15

### JUNIOR YEAR

Social Science Elective [PSYC 101 OR 210] <sup>1</sup>	3	BIOL 101 OR 102 OR PHSC 210 OR PHYS 101 <sup>1</sup>	3
EDSP 360	3	Critical Thinking Elective <sup>1,4</sup>	3
EDSP 370	3	Cultural Studies Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
EDSP 410	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total 15		Total	15

### SENIOR YEAR

MATH 117 OR 217	3	Cultural Studies Elective <sup>5</sup>	3
Natural Science Elective [BIOL 101 OR 102 OR PHSC 210 OR PHYS 101] <sup>1</sup>	3	Math Elective [MATH 117 OR 217] <sup>1</sup>	3
EDSP 377	3	Education Elective <sup>6</sup>	3
EDUC 307	3	Elective	3
Elective	<u>3</u>	Elective	<u>3</u>
Total 15		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/](http://www.liberty.edu/registrar/)