

Dual Degree (Bachelors & Masters), Initial Teacher Licensure Program

SEEDS M.A.T. in Secondary Education

History and Social Sciences Endorsement Course Checklist

Catalog Year 2024-2025

History Major, Catalog Year 2022 and beyond

Pedagogical Knowledge & Pedagogical Content Knowledge Requirements

Courses Required for Teacher Education Admission: Grade of "C" or higher required in each course

Requirement	Course	Course Title	Credits	Pre/Co-Requisites/Notes	Semester Offered
<input type="checkbox"/>	EDUC 200 ¹	Foundations of Education in the United States	3		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	PSYC 160 ¹	Life Span Human Development	3	C5SD	FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	WRTC 103	Rhetorical Reading and Writing	3	C1W	FA/SP/SU

Secondary Education Undergraduate Coursework: Grades of "B-" or higher required in all courses unless otherwise indicated.

Requirement	Course	Course Title	Credits	Pre/Co-Requisites/Notes	Semester Offered
<input type="checkbox"/> Orientation to the Prof.	MSSE 101 <i>or</i> MSSE 201	Orientation to the Profession <i>or</i>	1		FA/SP
		Intro. to Social Studies Education Seminar	3		SP
<input type="checkbox"/>	EDUC 200 ¹	Foundations of Education in the United States	3	Required for Teacher Education admission; grade of "C" or higher	FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	MSSE 210	Diversity in Middle/Secondary Grades	3	1,2	FA/SP
<input type="checkbox"/>	MSSE 370	General Instr. Methods for Grades 6-12	3	1,3	FA/SP
<input type="checkbox"/> Initial Field Placement	MSSE 371 <i>or</i> MSSE 430	Clinical Experience in Adolescent Education <i>or</i>	1	1,3	FA/SP
		Introduction to Mentoring Valley Scholars	3		FA
<input type="checkbox"/> Middle School Teaching Methods and Practicum	MSSE 412 MSSE 415	Social Studies Teaching Methods, Grades 6-8	3	1,3,4; C: MSSE 415, POSC 457	FA/SP
		Content Area Field Experience in Middle Schools	3	1,3,4; C: MSSE 412	FA/SP
<input type="checkbox"/>	LED 440	Disciplinary Literacy in Secondary Education	3	1,3,4	FA/SP/SU

¹Pre-professional Secondary Education minor declared & approved

²Application to the Teacher Education Program required

³Admission to the Teacher Education Program required

⁴Completion of MSSE 370

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This document is provided as an advising resource only. Official curriculum requirements are listed in the JMU Undergraduate Catalog and the JMU Graduate Catalog. In the case of discrepancies, the University Catalog is the official curriculum students must follow. This document was reviewed by the Middle, Secondary, and Mathematics Education Academic Unit Head on June 1, 2024.

Mandatory Tasks:

- Be admitted to the Teacher Education Program before you enroll in MSSE 370 and MSSE 371.
- Attend a Student Teaching Information Meeting in the Fall of your senior year and apply to Student Teaching by October 31 of your senior year.
- Apply to The Graduate School no later than November 15 of your senior year for Spring admission or no later than April 1 of your senior year for Summer admission. Earlier is better to have a transcript review prior to your final undergraduate semester.
- Attempt your Praxis Subject Assessment no later than March 1 of your senior year and pass it no later than August 15.

Secondary Education Graduate Coursework: Grades of "B-" or higher required in all courses unless otherwise indicated.

Requirement	Course	Course Title	Credits	Pre/Co-Requisites/Notes	Semester Offered
<input type="checkbox"/>	EDUC 540	Educational Technology	3	1,2	SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	EXED 512	Behavior Management in the Classroom	3	1,2	SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	MSSE 607	Curriculum Theory in a Diverse Society	3	1,2	FA/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	MSSE 625	Assessment of and for Learning	3	1,2	SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	MSSE 620	Differentiation of Instruction and Assessment to Meet the Needs of Adolescent Learners	3	1,2	FA/SP
<input type="checkbox"/> High School Teaching Methods and Practicum	MSSE 542	Social Studies Teaching Methods, Gr. 9-12	3	2,3; C: MSSE 547	FA
	MSSE 547	Field Exp. in High School Social Studies, Practicum III	3	2,3; C: MSSE 542	FA
<input type="checkbox"/>	MSSE 630	Research for Practitioners	3	2,3	FA
<input type="checkbox"/>	MSSE 650	Internship Seminar	3	2,3,4; C: MSSE 675	SP
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Teaching #1	MSSE 675	Internship in Middle and Secondary Educ.	3	2,3,4; C: MSSE 650	SP
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Teaching #2	MSSE 675	Internship in Middle and Secondary Educ.	3	2,3,4; C: MSSE 650	SP

¹Conditionally admitted to the graduate program

²Admission to the Teacher Education Program required

³Unconditionally admitted to the graduate program

⁴Passing score on Praxis Subject Assessment

B.A. Degree Requirements (6 to 17 credit hours)

For guidance on courses to satisfy your degree requirements: https://www.jmu.edu/registrar/ba_and_bs_degree_courses.shtml

Requirement	Course	Course Title	Credits	Pre/Co-Requisites/Notes	Semester Offered
<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate Foreign Language ¹	231 & 232	Intermediate [foreign language] I & II	3	231 P: 102 or 109 or 111 or FLP	FA ²
	232 or 212	Intermediate [foreign language] II or Intensive [foreign language] II	3	232 P: 231 or FLP	SP ²
<input type="checkbox"/> Philosophy			6	P: 102 or 109 or 111 or FLP	SU ²
			3	Any philosophy course except PHIL 120 or PHIL 150	FA/SP/SU

¹May need to complete elementary levels of foreign language first based on your Foreign Language Placement Exam Score.

²Varies by language

Social Studies Content Knowledge Licensure Requirements...

...as they fit with the JMU History - BA major (Catalog Year 2022 and on) with a concentration in Teacher Education, and the Social Studies minor.

Requirement	Course	Course Title	Credits	Pre/Co-Requisites/Notes	Semester Offered
History Major Core					
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST: Intro courses	HIST 101 World History to 1500 (C2HQC)	3		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	VDOE: World History	HIST 102 World History since 1500 (C2HQC)	3		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST: 200L/VDOE: US Hist.	HIST 225 U.S. History (C4AE)	4		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>		HIST 299 Putting History Skills to Work	1	Take junior or senior year	
<input type="checkbox"/>		HIST 300 Historical Thinking	3	Req. for 400L History courses	FA/SP
History Upper Level Elective Courses – 21 credits					
<p>For VDOE Licensure, you must take at least one course in certain categories. Courses are intended to overlap with courses you use to satisfy your History major upper level requirements. It is expected that you consult with your advisor regarding enrollment in courses to satisfy the categories listed below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • African American History (choose one) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HIST 307 The Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade <i>or</i> ○ HIST 322 Jim Crow South <i>or</i> ○ HIST 323 The Old South <i>or</i> ○ HIST 356 African-American History Since 1865 • Thinking with Economics (choose one) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HIST 327 Makers, Users, Skeptics and Thieves: Americans and Their Technologies <i>or</i> ○ HIST 333 Maps, Money, Manufacture and Trade (fall-only) <i>or</i> ○ HIST 469 A History of International Development in the Twentieth Century <i>or</i> ○ HIST 470 Modern Africa <i>or</i> ○ Another economic history class approved by advisor • Virginia History (choose one; be in contact with your advisor for when courses will be offered) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HIST 303 Virginia’s Place in #VastEarlyAmerica <i>or</i> ○ HIST 350 Virginia 					
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST: Connected History; 300L	HIST 307 <i>or</i> The Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade HIST 314 <i>or</i> Plagues, Saints & Empires: The World... HIST 315 <i>or</i> Global History of Sport <i>or</i> HIST 318 <i>or</i> Our Better Angels?: The World History... HIST 333 <i>or</i> Maps, Money, Manufacture and Trade <i>or</i> HIST 334 <i>or</i> A Global History of Nationalism <i>or</i> HIST 353 <i>or</i> International and Multicultural Histories... <i>or</i> HIST 365 <i>or</i> Topics in Connected History <i>or</i> HIST 368 <i>or</i> Blurred Borders: A Cultural History of... <i>or</i> HIST 373 History of the Ottoman Empire, 1453-1922	3		333: FA
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST: Applying History; 300L	HIST 302 <i>or</i> Plazas, Protests and Processions... <i>or</i> HIST 324 <i>or</i> Terror and Survival in American Lynching <i>or</i> HIST 335 <i>or</i> Topics in Applying History <i>or</i> HIST 340 <i>or</i> Internship in History <i>or</i> HIST 343 <i>or</i> History of Today <i>or</i> HIST 345 <i>or</i> Pills and Potions... <i>or</i> HIST 351 <i>or</i> War in Afghanistan: Local and Global... <i>or</i> HIST 358 <i>or</i> Modern Africa, ca. 1800-1990s HIST 360 <i>or</i> Research Apprenticeship in History <i>or</i> HIST 362 <i>or</i> American Material Religion <i>or</i> HIST 374 <i>or</i> The Southern Plantation: Race, Space... <i>or</i> HIST 396 History Beyond the Classroom: Public History	3		
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST: 300L Elective		3		
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<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST: 300L Elective		3		
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST: 400L Capstone		3		
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Social Studies Minor Courses					
<input type="checkbox"/>	HIST: 200L/VDOE: US Hist.	HIST 225 U.S. History (C4AE)	4		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	VDOE: US Gov.	POSC 225 U.S. Government (C4AE)	4		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	VDOE: Economics	ECON 200 <i>or</i> ECON 201 Introduction to Macroeconomics (C4GE) <i>or</i> Introduction to Microeconomics	3		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	VDOE: Geography	GEOG 200 <i>or</i> GEOG 280 Geography: The Global Dimension (C4GE) <i>or</i> Human Geography: The Cultural Landscape	3		FA/SP and most SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	VDOE: Global Institutions	HIST 357 <i>or</i> POSC 457 Fates of Empires <i>or</i> Fates of Empires	3	C: MSSE 412; HIST 357 will not count for History major	SP FA
<input type="checkbox"/>	VDOE: Compar. Pol.	POSC 335 Comparative Politics for Teachers	3	FA23 and then SP-only starting SP25	SP
<input type="checkbox"/>	SS/VDOE: American Gov't.		3	Recommend POSC 362, POSC 369, POSC 380, POSC 385, or POSC 386; contact advisor	
<input type="checkbox"/>	VDOE: Civic Engagement or 2nd American Government		3	Recommend POSC 351 topic Civic Engagement for Teachers	
<input type="checkbox"/>	VDOE: African American History	HIST 307 <i>or</i> HIST 322 <i>or</i> HIST 323 <i>or</i> HIST 356 The Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade <i>or</i> Jim Crow South <i>or</i> The Old South <i>or</i> African-American History Since 1865	3	This course may be used to satisfy a History major requirement	

The MSME Department recommends students meet with their History major and Social Studies minor advisors each semester to review program sequencing and determine possible substitute courses to meet program and license requirements.

General Education Requirements

Be sure to follow the General Education course suggestions listed below for maximum overlap of the General Education Program with your Pre-Professional Secondary Education minor, History major and your Social Studies minor.

Requirement	Course	Course Title	Credits	Pre/Co-Requisites/Notes	Semester Offered
MADISON FOUNDATIONS					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Critical Thinking (C1CT)		3		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	Human Communication (C1HC)		3	Choose any option from the General Education Planner.	FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/>	Writing (C1W)	WRTC 103 Rhetorical Reading and Writing	3	Must earn a C or higher.	FA/SP/SU
ARTS AND HUMANITIES					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Human Questions and Contexts (C2HQC)	HIST 101 <i>or</i> HIST 102 World History to 1500 <i>or</i> World History since 1500	3	Choose from one of these options.	FA/SP/SU

Requirement	Course	Course Title	Credits	Pre/Co-Requisites/Notes	Semester Offered
<input type="checkbox"/> Visual and Performing Arts (C2VPA)			3	Choose any option from the General Education Planner.	FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/> Literature (C2L)			3	Recommend ENG 260	FA/SP/SU
THE NATURAL WORLD					
<input type="checkbox"/> Quantitative Reasoning (C3QR)			3	Choose any option from the General Education Planner.	FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Principles (C3PP)			3		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Systems (C3NS)			3		FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/> Lab Experience (C3Lab)			1	Either ISCI 104 (1 credit hour) OR a co-requisite or included lab experience with a C3PP or C3NS course.	FA/SP/SU
AMERICAN AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES					
<input type="checkbox"/> The American Experience (C4AE)	HIST 225 <i>or</i> POSC 225	U.S. History <i>or</i> U.S. Government	4	Choose from one of these options.	FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/> The Global Experience (C4GE)	GEOG 200 <i>or</i> ECON 200	Geography: The Global Dimension <i>or</i> Macroeconomics	3	Choose from one of these options.	FA/SP/SU
SOCIOCULTURAL AND WELLNESS AREA					
<input type="checkbox"/> Wellness Domain (C5WD)			3	Choose any option from the General Education Planner.	FA/SP/SU
<input type="checkbox"/> Sociocultural Domain (C5SD)	PSYC 160	Life Span Human Development	3	Must earn a C or higher.	FA/SP/SU