

BS DEGREE IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES IN EDUCATION

This degree program is designed for the highly motivated student with experience or current employment in education. An interdisciplinary curriculum, including such areas as the social, religious, political, and scientific, will aid the student in understanding contemporary American culture and his or her place in it. This degree program also serves the student who wishes to craft a program of studies to pursue the alternative certification pathway to teaching in the state of Oklahoma.

Each student will follow the outline curriculum plan; substitutions may be made within the area of emphasis. The program must be approved by the Dean of New College.

Student must complete a minimum of 126 hours including the major, core, and minor if required. Elective hours may be needed to reach 126 hours.

60 HOURS, 39 OF WHICH MUST BE 3000/4000 LEVEL COURSES

COURSES ARE TO BE DIVIDED AMONG THREE AREAS

Education, English, and Family Science

MINIMUM 9 HOURS OF 3000/4000 LEVEL CLASSES IN EACH AREA

A STUDENT MUST DECLARE A MAJOR IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES BEFORE REACHING 96 HOURS.

THE STUDENT MUST MEET MINIMUM HOURS OF 126 IN ORDER TO GRADUATE

Recommended coursework to qualify for alternative certification and a TEFL certificate:

24 HOURS EDUCATION

EDUC-3131	Classroom Management Strategies I
EDUC-3213	Learning, Instruction, and Assessment
ELEM-3233	Primary Reading
ELEM-3323	Movement and Fine Arts
ELEM-3332	Elementary Language Arts
EDUC-3421	Educational Technology
ELEM-3632	Social Studies for the Primary Child
EDUC-3723	Education of the Exceptional Child
ELEM-3733	Mathematics for the Primary Child
ELEM-3832	Science for the Primary Child
EDUC-4131	Applied Instructional and Assessment Strategies

15 HOURS ENGLISH

ENGL-2333	TEFL Experience
ENGL-3723	Methods of TEFL
ENGL-4863	TEFL Student Teaching
SPAN-1213	Basic Spanish II
ENGL 4633	Intercultural Communication

18 HOURS FAMILY SCIENCE

FMST 1113	Intro to Family Science
CHDV-3013	Nature and Characteristics of Early Childhood
CHDV-3023	Emergent Literacy
FMST 3513	Child Welfare
PSYC-3523	Developmental Psychology
CHDV-4023	Topics in Early Childhood
FMST 4713	Family Science Practicum

UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM:

B.S. – 55 HOURS – COURSES MAY NOT BE REPEATED WITHIN CORE

COMMUNICATION, 9 HOURS

ENGL-1113 English Composition I
ENGL-1213 English Composition II
COMM-1213 Oral Communication

MATHEMATICS, 3 HOURS

appropriate to major
REQUIRED BIBLE, 8 HOURS
BIBL-1212 Life of Christ: Matthew
BIBL-1312 Life of the Early Church: Acts
BIBL-2202 Story of the Old Testament
BIBL-2302 Story of the New Testament

BIBLE ELECTIVE, 5 HOURS

5 hours of Bible courses, except Missions Experience

CAPSTONE, 3 HOURS

BIBL-4523 Capstone: Christ and His World

POLITICAL SCIENCE, 3 HOURS

POLS-2113 Introduction to American Government

AMERICAN HISTORY, 3 HOURS

HIST-1223 Turning Points in U.S. History

GREAT WORKS, 3 HOURS

should include literature
ARTS-2013 Survey of Visual Culture
ARTS-2423 History of Photography & Motion Pictures
COMM-2023 History of Theater
ENGL-2213 Perspectives in Literature

MATH-2123 The History of Mathematics
MUSC-2013 Music Appreciation
MUSC-3213 Perspectives in World Music

SCIENCE, 6 HOURS

One course must include a lab

CHOOSE 4 OF THE FOLLOWING 5 AREAS:

BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE, 3 HOURS

PSYC-1113 General Psychology I

GREAT WORKS, ADDITIONAL, 3 HOURS

Choose 3 hours from the list on the left

WESTERN CIVILIZATION, 3 HOURS

HIST-2923 Perspectives in Western Civilization

NON-WESTERN CIVILIZATION, 3 HOURS

GEOG-2113 Elements of Human Geography
GEOG-2213 World Regional Geography
HIST-2613 The Modern Middle East
MISS-3513 World Religions
MISS-3613 Cultural Anthropology
MISS-3673 New Religious
MUSC-3213 Perspectives in World Music

LIBERAL ARTS, 3 HOURS

outside major, as approved by your department

*For more information on how to apply the study abroad trips to the core curriculum see page 25.