

**Bachelor of Science in Education (BSED)****Social Studies Education**

Students completing the Bachelor of Science in Social Studies Education program at Southeast



Missouri State University receive grades 9-12 teaching certification and are trained to teach social studies content courses including history, geography, civics, and economics.

**Social Studies Education students will ...**

- Take courses from award-winning faculty in both the College of Liberal Arts and the College of Education
- Experience multiple field placements and work with students with a variety of learning styles
- Develop skills essential to successful high school teaching
- Enjoy multiple opportunities for collaboration with local teachers and with other students in the SSED major

**Career Planning**

Career preparation is part of the mission of Southeast. 100% of programs offer our students an internship, study-abroad program, clinical opportunity, student teaching or research internship.

Social Studies Education students participate in student teaching, and have opportunities to study abroad.

The Office of Career Services in Academic Hall 057 can provide students with professional career counseling and coaching, resume critiques, practice interviews, job search strategies, career events, networking opportunities, and more.

**Practicum Experiences and Employment Opportunities**

Student teaching placements for Social Studies education students are designed to provide:

- Extended periods of time in a classroom setting to study classroom organization and management
- Instructional strategies, curriculum planning, and classroom management techniques
- Experience in teaching practices and procedures under the mentorship of an accomplished cooperating teacher

**Admission Requirements**

- 42 course hours completed
- 2.75 cumulative GPA
- Missouri Educator Profile (MEP) results on file with the Office of the Associate Dean of the College of Education
- Score of 220 or higher on all sections of the Missouri General Education Assessment (MoGEA)
- The following course requirements met
  - A grade of C or above in PY222 Development of the Adolescent
  - A grade of B or above in ED280 Introduction to Education as a Profession

**Additional Information**

The state of Missouri has high expectations for future educators. Students matriculating into education programs must meet the following standards to be recommended for licensure following degree completion.

Students graduating spring 2017 or later must maintain a 3.0 GPA in both content and pedagogy courses. In addition students must pass the Missouri Content Assessment Exam and the Missouri Pre-Service Teacher Assessment for recommendation for licensure. Students must also fulfill other assessments such as the Missouri Educator Profile and be cleared through a FBI background check.

**Special Options with Secondary Education**

Southeast offers a Master of Arts in Secondary Education: Educational Studies or Educational Technology.

**Transfer and Dual Credit Students**

If you have dual credit or transfer credit, please visit our transfer course equivalencies guide at [semo.edu/transfercredit](http://semo.edu/transfercredit).

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This is a guide based on the 2018-2019 Undergraduate Bulletin and is subject to change. The time it takes to earn a degree will vary based on several factors such as dual enrollment, remediation, and summer enrollment. Students will meet with an academic advisor each semester and use Degree Works to monitor their individual progress.

### CURRICULUM CHECKLIST

"Critical Courses" are italicized and bold. Data shows that students who have completed this course in the first two years and have earned the noted grade are most likely to complete this program of study.

#### Education Courses- 47 Hours Required

A grade of 'C' or better is required in education courses, with the exception of ED280 which requires a grade of 'B' or better.

- \_\_\_ **ED280 Introduction to Teaching (3)**
- \_\_\_ EF400 Student Teaching Seminar (1)
- \_\_\_ EX390 Psychology and Education of the Exceptional Child (3)
- \_\_\_ **PY222 Development of the Adolescent (3)**
- \_\_\_ SE307 Reading/Writing in the Content Area (3)
- \_\_\_ SE318 Techniques of Teaching Secondary Social Studies (3)
- \_\_\_ SE350 Pedagogy 1: Principles of Effective Teaching (3)
- \_\_\_ SE355 Field II (3)
- \_\_\_ SE365 Pedagogy 2: Secondary School (4)
- \_\_\_ SE380 Advanced Field (3)
- \_\_\_ SE385 Pedagogy 3: Middle and Secondary Education Methods of Secondary Teaching (3)
- \_\_\_ SE390 Instructional Interventions for Middle and Secondary Students with Special Literacy Needs (3)
- \_\_\_ SE465 Student Teaching (12)

#### Social Studies Education - 51 Hour Major - No Minor Required

(A grade of 'C' or better is required in all courses within the major.)

- Required courses:
- \_\_\_ EC101 Economic Problems and Policies (3)
  - \_\_\_ PS103 U.S. Political Systems (3)
  - \_\_\_ PY102 Intro to Psychology (3)
  - \_\_\_ US105 American History I (3)
  - \_\_\_ US107 American History II (3)
  - \_\_\_ EH101 Early European Civilization (3)
  - \_\_\_ EH103 Modern European Civilization (3)
  - \_\_\_ WH305 World Civilizations (3)
- Choose 6 hours from upper division U.S. History:**
- \_\_\_ US302 Missouri History (3)
  - \_\_\_ US350 Colonial America (3)
  - \_\_\_ US356 Progressive America (3)
  - \_\_\_ US360 Women in American History (3)
  - \_\_\_ US380 Sport History (3)
  - \_\_\_ US400 Topics in American History (3)
  - \_\_\_ US420 African American Slavery (3)
  - \_\_\_ US440 U.S. in World War II (3)
  - \_\_\_ US450 U.S. as a World Power (3)
  - \_\_\_ US452 Cold War America (3)
  - \_\_\_ US460 The 1960's in America (3)
  - \_\_\_ US470 America in the 1970's (3)
  - \_\_\_ US507 Civil War & Reconstruction (3)
  - \_\_\_ US509 American West (3)
  - \_\_\_ US524 American Rural History (3)
  - \_\_\_ US525 American Urban History (3)
  - \_\_\_ US531 American Military History (3)
  - \_\_\_ UI313 The African American Experience (3)
  - \_\_\_ UI446 The Civil Rights Movement (3)
  - \_\_\_ UI457 African American Slavery (3)
  - \_\_\_ UI508 African Americans during the Era of Segregation and Jim Crow (3)

- Choose 3 hours from Political Science:**
- \_\_\_ PS310 Government and Politics in the American States (3)
  - \_\_\_ PS335 American Foreign Policy (3)
  - \_\_\_ PS360 Political Parties & Voting Behaviors (3)
  - \_\_\_ PS365 Legislative Process in the United States (3)
  - \_\_\_ PS390 American Judicial System (3)
  - \_\_\_ PS490 Constitutional Law (3)
  - \_\_\_ UI357 Early American Political Thought (3)

- Choose 3 hours from Geography:**
- \_\_\_ GG150 Peoples and Places of the World (3)
  - \_\_\_ GG180 Cultural Geography (3)
  - \_\_\_ UI308 Cult & Phy Landscapes of the World (3)

- Choose 3 hours of Behavioral Science:**
- \_\_\_ AN101 Observing Cultures (3)
  - \_\_\_ AN181 Cultural Anthropology (3)
  - \_\_\_ OS200 Survey of Social Sciences (3)
  - \_\_\_ SO102 Society, Culture, & Social Behavior (3)

- Additional requirements:**
- \_\_\_ GH315 Historiography (3)
  - \_\_\_ SS200 Introduction to Teaching Social Studies in the Secondary Schools (3)
  - \_\_\_ EH3xx Upper division European History (3)
  - \_\_\_ WH1xx Lower division non-western History (3)

**University Studies Requirements** (some requirements may be fulfilled by coursework in major program) - Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 hours); Sciences (6 hours); History/Constitution requirement (3 hours); Written Communication (6 hours); Oral Communication (3 hours); Natural Sciences (7 hours, from two disciplines, one to include a lab); Mathematics (3 hours); Humanities & Fine Arts (9 hours, from at least two disciplines); Additional requirements (5 hours, to include UI100 for native students)

### SAMPLE FOUR-YEAR PLAN

	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
	Course #	Hrs	Course #	Hrs
<b>FIRST YEAR</b>	UI100	3	PY102	3
	EN100	3	University Studies	3
	University Studies	3	University Studies	3
	University Studies	3	University Studies	3
	University Studies	3	University Studies	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
Milestone: Maintain 2.75 cumulative GPA, Complete MEP				

<b>SUMMER SEMESTER</b>	US105	3
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<b>SECOND YEAR</b>	<b>ED280</b>	3	EC101	3
	PS103	3	EH103	3
	<b>PY222</b>	3	EH103	3
	SS200	3	GH315	3
	US107	3	WH1xx elective	3
	Geography elective	3	Behavioral Science elective	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>
Milestone: Maintain 3.0 cumulative GPA, Passing score MoGEA, Complete 42 hours coursework, and apply for admission to TEP				

<b>THIRD YEAR</b>	EX390	3	SE307	3
	SE350	3	SE355	3
	WH305	3	SE365	4
	Political Science elective	3	Upper level US History	3
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	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>
Milestone: Passing score Mo Content Exam				

<b>FOURTH YEAR</b>	SE318	3	EF400	1
	SE380	3	SE465	12
	SE385	3		
	SE390	3		
	Upper level European History	3		
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>
Milestone: Passing score Mo Content Exam, MoPTA, 3.0 cumulative GPA cumulative				

A "Milestone" signifies a significant stage for a student in the completion of a degree.

**Degree requirements for all students:** a minimum of 120 credit hours, completion of University Studies program, completion of 39 senior division hours (300-599), Writing Proficiency Exam (WP003), and completion of the Measure of Academic Proficiency and Progress (MAPP) at the senior level. Refer to the Undergraduate Bulletin or Degree Works for additional graduation requirements for your program.

All professional education and social studies courses must be completed with a C or above and GPA in social studies coursework must be a 3.0 or above.