

Education Teacher Education History Bachelor of Arts Traditional

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Teacher Education - HISTORY

The B.A. in History with Tennessee teaching licensure (Grades 6-12) is available with modifications to the History major and the King Core Curriculum as well as successful completion of the Secondary Education minor. Additional endorsements in either Government or Geography may be added to the History license; pursuing these endorsements is recommended. Tennessee requires teachers to be licensed in each social studies subject (history, government, geography, and economics). Licensed teachers in secondary education are in great demand in all fifty states.

Declaration of the Education minor as well as early and frequent advisement is essential to timely completion of both history and licensure requirements. Students seeking teacher licensure will be assigned a secondary education advisor in the Department of Teacher Education, in addition to their major discipline advisor. See the "Admission to the Teacher Education Program" section of this catalog or contact the Certification Advisor in the School of Education for eligibility criteria, admissions procedures, and timelines.

Student Learning Outcomes for Teacher Education

In addition to the discipline specific student learning outcomes for History, teacher candidates will demonstrate mastery of the following Student Learning Outcomes, which are aligned with the both Tennessee Teacher Licensure Standards: Professional Education and InTASC Standards: Interstate Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium.

- 1. The teacher understands the central concepts, tools of inquiry, and structures of the discipline(s) he or she teaches and creates learning experiences that make the discipline(s) accessible and meaningful for learners to assure mastery of the content.
- 2. The teacher uses understanding of individual differences and diverse cultures and communities to ensure inclusive learning environments that enable each learner to meet high standards.
- 3. The teacher understands and uses a variety of instructional strategies to encourage learners to develop deep understanding of content areas and their connections and to build skills to apply knowledge in meaningful ways.

Core Curriculum Requirement

History majors seeking teaching licensure should fulfill the Citizenship category of the King Core Curriculum by taking the course indicated below. See the "The Core Curriculum" section of the catalog for additional details on fulfillment of other categories.

BA in History Major Requirements for 6-12 Teaching Licensure ECON 2000
Introduction to Economic Principles
GEOG 2010
Physical Geography
Twentieth Century Global History
An American Nation: Beginnings to 18774 s.h. HIST 2162
An American Nation: 1877 to the Present
United States Government
World Politics
Choose from the following courses
HIST 3300 Intellectual & Cultural History of the United States (4 s.h.) HIST 3440
The European Mind since the Enlightenment (4 s.h.) PSCI 3710
Ancient Political Thought (4 s.h.) PSCI 3720
Modern Political Thought (4 s.h.)
Choose from the following courses
Middle Ages (4 s.h.) HIST 3020
Europe from Renaissance to the Enlightenment (4 s.h.) RELG 3850
History of the Christian Movement (4 s.h.)
Choose from the following courses
Age of Revolutions: Europe 1789-1914 (4 s.h.) HIST 3120
Europe and the Great Wars (4 s.h.) HIST 3440
European Mind since the Enlightenment (4 s.h.) HIST 4110
The Holocaust and Genocide in Modern History (4 s.h.)
Choose from the following courses
War and Peace in the Modern Middle East (4 s.h.) HIST 3650
Islam, Christianity and Colonialism in Africa (4 s.h.)
Choose from the following courses
The Professional Historian: Methods and Historiography (4 s.h.)

HIST 4001

History Seminar (4 s.h.)

Secondary Education Minor EDUC 2030 EDUC 2031 EDUC 2100 Survey of Exceptional Children4 s.h. **EDUC 2370 EDUC 2900 EDUC 2950** EDUC 3390* EDUC 3590* EDUC 3600* EDUC 4490* EDUC 4500* **EDUC 4940** EDUC 4950* **PSCI 2120** Cultural Diversity in America4 s.h. **PSYC 3320** EDUC 4990* Comprehensive Assessment (passing state-required Praxis II exams, successful portfolio completion, successful portfolio defense)........... 0 s.h. *Requires admittance to the Teacher Education Program Summary of Total Credits for Licensure (6-12) in History