



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist

Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences

BSE in Social Studies (History)



National Park College¹

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Possible Prerequisites			Semester	Hours	Grade
LAD	9014	Foundations of College Math I		N/C	
LAD	9024	Foundations of College Math II		N/C	
LAD	9053	Accelerated Learning Plan Writing		N/C	
LAD	9113	Integrated Reading and Writing		N/C	

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)³

English/Communication (9 credit hours)			UCA ⁴	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENG	1113	English Composition I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENG	1123	English Composition II	WRTG 1320		3	
SPCH	1103	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	COMM 1300		3	

Mathematics (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1123	College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1114	General Biology	BIOL 1440		4	
ESCI	1104	Earth Science	GEOG 1400		4	

Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ART	1593	Choose one: Art Appreciation Music Appreciation Introduction to Theatre <i>(or other ASLAS Fine Arts)</i>	ART 2300		3	
MUS	1213		MUS 2300			
TART	1153		THEA 2300			
ENG	2273	Choose one: World Literature I World Literature II <i>(or other ASLAS Humanities)</i>	ENGL 2305		3	
ENG	2283		ENGL 2306			

Social Sciences (9 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
POLS	1113	American National Government	PSCI 1330		3	
PSYC	1103	General Psychology	PSYC 1300		3	
SOC	1103	Introduction to Sociology	SOC 1300		3	

Social Studies Education Core (25 credit hours)⁵

EDUC	2243	Foundations of Education	EDUC 1300		3	
EDUC	2263	Introduction to K-12 Technology	EDUC 1240		3	
HIST	1143	Arkansas History	HIST 4355		3	
HIST	2253	World Civilization to 1500	HIST 1310		3	
HIST	2263	World Civilization since 1500	HIST 1320		3	
HIST	2223	United States History to 1865	HIST 2301		3	
HIST	2233	United States History since 1865	HIST 2302		3	
PSYC	2023	Child Growth and Development	MSIT 3310		3	
		ASLAS Approved Elective			1	

Total Hours: 60⁶



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University of Central Arkansas Bachelor of Science in Education in Social Studies (History) UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁷

Major Requirements (33 credit hours) ⁸			Semester	Hours	Grade
ECON	2320	Principles of Macroeconomics		3	
GEOG	1320	Human Geography		3	
PSCI	3300	Choose one: State Government & Politics		3	
PSCI	3336	Local Government & Politics			
HIST	2320	Introduction to Historical Research		3	
HIST	4300	Seminar (UD UCA Core: Z)		3	
HIST	4310	Teaching Social Studies		3	
HIST	4351	Internship I		3	
HIST	4680	Social Studies Internship II		6	
HIST	4681	Social Studies Internship II		6	

Major Electives (12 credit hours) ⁹			Semester	Hours	Grade
		Upper-Division American History Elective		3	
		Upper-Division American History Elective		3	
		Upper-Division World History Elective		3	
		Upper-Division World History Elective		3	

Education Minor (14 credit hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
EDUC	3322	Diverse Learners in Inclusive Settings		3	
EDUC	4210	Integration of Technology into Teaching & Learning		2	
MSIT	4305	Classroom Management		3	
MSIT	4321	Classroom Assessment (UD UCA Core: I)		3	
MSIT	4325	Disciplinary Literacy (UD UCA Core: C)		3	

General Elective (1 credit hour)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		General Elective		1	

Total Hours: 120¹⁰

¹ Please see your NPC advisor for degree and graduation information.

² Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at NPC, not to precede the academic year during which the agreement first took effect. A period of non-enrollment of 12 months or more requires that the student adhere to the agreement revision corresponding with the academic year of re-enrollment.

³ PLEASE NOTE: In order to be eligible for admission to the UCA Social Studies (History) Teacher Education program, NPC students must earn a "C" or higher in all of the courses within the "English/Communication", "Mathematics", and "Social Studies Education Core" categories. A passing score on all three sections of the Praxis Core exam (or satisfactory scores on the corresponding sections of the ACT or SAT as per Arkansas Department of Education guidelines), is also required. Please see your advisor and/or contact the UCA History department if you have questions about these requirements.

⁴ UCA course is either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or by UCA Department Chair approval (if blank, elective credit will be awarded).

⁵ NPC PSYC 2023 has been approved as equivalent to MSIT 3310, fulfilling UD UCA Core: D, R requirements.

⁶ Students completing the AS in Liberal Arts and Sciences degree, as shown above, with a minimum 2.7 cumulative GPA, will have satisfied the UCA Lower Division Core. Upon successful completion of the admission process as outlined - uca.edu/ocs/admission-requirements - students will be eligible for admission to the UCA College of Education.

⁷ In order to receive important communications about transferring to UCA, students are encouraged to create a UCA student account at gopurple.uca.edu. For more information about the 2+2 program, students may also send email inquiries to ucatransfer@uca.edu.

⁸ HIST 2320 must be taken during the first semester at UCA; 21 History prerequisite credit hours must be completed before HIST 4300.

⁹ Please see UCA major advisor for a list of approved History elective and Upper-Division Core elective courses.

¹⁰ This agreement requires 120 credit hours as follows: maximum 60 at NPC and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).