**ISU History/Social Sciences Teacher Licensure Requirements**

Students seeking teacher licensure in History/Social Sciences at Iowa State University must complete a degree in History or Political Science and meet requirements for teacher licensure established by the Colleges of Liberal Arts and Sciences and Human Sciences (see back for full licensure checklist).

**Option I: History Major:**
- Complete all requirements for a degree in History from ISU. See Department.
- Complete EPP requirements for teacher licensure in History/Social Science (over).
- Complete endorsements in American History, World History, and a third field. See requirements below.
- Earn minimum grades of C in all licensure courses and B- in all content courses.

**Option II: Political Science Major:**
- Complete all requirements for a degree in Political Science from ISU. See Department.
- Complete EPP requirements for teacher licensure in History/Social Science (over).
- Complete endorsements in American Government and American History or World History. See requirements below.
- Earn minimum grades of C in all licensure courses and B- in all content courses.

**Endorsement Fields and Requirements:**


**American History:**

**Anthropology:** ANTHR 201 & 202; 306 or 309; 307 or 308; & 3 additional credits of Anthropology.*

**Economics:** ECON 101 & 102 and 9 credits from: 301, 302, 312, 320, 344, 353, 355, 370, 376, or 415.*

**Psychology (excluding 230 & 333):** PSYCH 101, 301, and 9 additional credits of Psychology (PSYCH 440 is recommended).*


**World History:**
- Take HIST 201 & one pre-1500: 304, 305, 316, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, or 421.*
- Take HIST 202 or 207 & one post-1500: 318, 321, 323, 325, 383, 388, 390, 408, 419, 420, 422, 424, 427, 428, 429, or 431.*
- Take one from Non-Europe: 336, 337, 338, 339, 396C, 340, 341, 441, 442, 474, 479, or 496C.*

*Experimental (X) courses may count. Consult Dr. Bremer or Dr. Rutenberg (see below).

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ISU History/Social Sciences Teacher Licensure Requirements Checklist:

All undergraduate and post-bachelor’s students seeking teacher licensure in History and the Social Sciences from ISU must fulfill the following program requirements regardless of major or endorsement fields:

Educator Preparation Program (EPP) General Education Checklist:
- English 150 (3 cr.)
- English 250 (3 cr.)
- Psychology 230 (3 cr.)
- Mathematics or Statistics (3 cr. minimum from approved LAS list)
- Natural Science (6 cr. minimum from approved LAS list)
- Sp Cm 212, Sp Cm 313, or Thtre 358 (3 cr.)
- History 201 (3 cr.)
- History 202 or 207 (3 cr.)
- History 221 (3 cr.)
- History 222 (3 cr.)
- Political Science 215 (3 cr.)
- World Politics (3 cr.). Recommended: POL S 241 or 251.*
- World Cultures (3 cr.). Recommended: RELIG 205 or CHIN 272.*
- C I 202 (3 cr.)
- C I 204 (3 cr.)
- C I 280L (0.5 cr.): Prerequisite for admission to ISU’s Educator Preparation Program (EPP)
- C I 219 (1 cr.): Must be taken in conjunction with C I 280L
- C I 333 (3 cr.) – Prerequisite: Psychology 230
- Take Praxis CORE Exam.*

Educator Preparation Program Admission Prerequisite Checklist:
- Minimum cumulative grade point average: 2.5
- Credit or enrollment in C I 219 and C I 280L
- Passing Praxis CORE Exam scores
- A grade of C or above in all C I, SP ED, or HD FS courses
- A grade of B- or above in all History/Social Science courses – no exceptions
- A criminal background check (usually completed as part of C I 280L)
- Upload one graded artifact to CyBox, and “share” with both historyedu and takahler
- Apply at least two semesters prior to student teaching, usually by early junior year.

Post-admission Educator Preparation Program Checklist:
- Maintain a 2.5 minimum cumulative grade point average
- Earn a grade of C or above in all C I, SP ED, HD FS, or other professional courses
- Maintain a 2.75 minimum grade point average in content courses
- Earn a grade of B- or above in all History/Social Sciences content courses
- C I 280A (2 cr.) – Prerequisite: EPP admission
- C I 406 (3 cr.) – Prerequisite: EPP admission
- C I 426 (3 cr.) – Prerequisite: EPP admission
- SP ED 401 (3 cr.): Prerequisite: EPP admission
- Upload 12 graded artifacts to CyBox prior to HIST/C I 498
- C I 498 (3 cr.): Prereq.: EPP admission
- C I 480A (2 cr.): Taken in conjunction with HIST/C I 498 – Prerequisite: EPP admission
- Take and pass the appropriate Praxis II Exams.*
- C I 417A/417P (16 total cr.): Student Teaching – Prerequisite: Successful completion of all the above

*Links to complete lists and requirements: http://history.public.iastate.edu/Teacher_Ed.html

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