About This Major . . .

The Center for Teacher Education offers an innovative, holistic program of study that leads to licensure in Colorado. At Mesa State we pride ourselves on the personal touch. Our professors are experienced, knowledgeable, accessible and intensely dedicated to the improvement of public education. Faculty offer one-on-one guidance for course selection, field placements, student teaching and employment. Our motto is "Educators as Innovators," which means we are always looking for ways to improve the quality of learning in our programs and in the schools in which we work.

As a student, you will gradually accumulate over 200 hours of classroom experience before beginning student teaching. The well-regarded Mesa County School District provides opportunities to gain experience with children of all ages and backgrounds in a variety of school settings.

The secondary licensure program provides teacher education candidates a broad field content knowledge in history and prepares them as teachers for grades 7-12. A minimum of 75 credit hours of general education and content area coursework must be completed with a minimum GPA of 2.80 before a candidate may apply for admission to the Center for Teacher Education secondary licensure program. You must be formally accepted into the Teacher Education Program before taking education courses. Please see the Teacher Education Admission Packet for further information on admissions criteria.

POLICIES:
1. It is your responsibility to determine whether you have met the requirements for your degree. Please see the MSC Catalog for a complete list of graduation requirements.
2. You must turn in your “Intent to Graduate” form to the Registrar’s Office by September 15 if you plan to graduate the following May, and by February 15 if you plan to graduate the following December.
3. This program sheet must be submitted with your graduation planning sheet to your advisor during the semester prior to the semester of graduation, no later than October 1 for spring graduates, no later than March 1 for fall graduates.
4. Your advisor will sign and forward the Program Sheet and Graduation Planning Sheet to the Department Head for signature.
5. Finally, the Department Head or the department administrative assistant will take the signed forms to the Registrar’s Office. (Students cannot handle the forms once the advisor signs.)
6. If your petition for graduation is denied, it will be your responsibility to reapply for graduation in a subsequent semester. Your “Intent to Graduate” does not automatically move to a later graduation date.
7. NOTE: The semester before graduation, you will be required to take a Major Field Achievement Test (exit exam).

NAME: _______________________________ STUDENT ID #: ________________

LOCAL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER: ____________________________________________ ( ) ____________________________

I, (Signature) ____________________________________________, hereby certify that I have completed (or will complete) all the courses listed on the Program Sheet. I further certify that the grade listed for those courses is the final course grade received except for the courses in which I am currently enrolled and the courses which I complete next semester. I have indicated the semester in which I will complete these courses.

Signature of Advisor ___________________________ Date 20

Signature of Content Advisor ___________________________ Date 20

Signature of Department Head ___________________________ Date 20

Signature of Registrar ___________________________ Date 20

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Must earn 120 semester hours and meet the academic residency requirements to earn a baccalaureate degree at Mesa State College.

Must earn a minimum of 40 semester hours in upper division courses (i.e., 300-level and 400-level courses).

A cumulative grade point average of 2.8 or higher must be maintained for all courses.

When filling out this program sheet a course can only be used once, i.e., no double counting is allowed between categories.

Excess KINA/HPWE courses beyond the two required and pre-collegiate courses (usually numbered below 100) cannot be used for graduation.

All degree requirements must be completed as described. Any exceptions or substitutions must be recommended in advance by the faculty advisor and approved by the Department Head. Courses related to teacher licensure must also be approved by the Teacher Education Dept.

It is recommended that students work closely with a faculty advisor when selecting courses and scheduling classes prior to registration.

Students are required to participate in exit examinations or other programs deemed necessary to comply with the college accountability requirement.

Students must PASS the PLACE or PRAXIS II exam in the content area prior to commencing the internship. Also, ALL other coursework toward the degree must be successfully completed prior to the internship.

**General Education Requirements** (Minimum of 33 semester hours) See the M.S.C. catalog for the list of courses that meet the general education categories.

**Course** | **No.** | **Credit** | **Grade** | **Term** | **Year** | **Trns/Subs**
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English: ENGL 111 and 112 (6 semester hours, must receive a grade of “B” or higher, must be completed by the time the student has 60 semester hours.)
| *ENGL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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*ENGL 129, Honors English, may be substituted for ENGL 111 and ENGL 112. Must earn a grade of “B” or better.

**Math:** MATH 110 or higher (3 semester hours, must receive a grade of “C” or better, must be completed by the time the student has 60 semester hours.)

MATH |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Humanities:** (6 semester hours)

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**Other Requirements** (9 semester hours)

**Kinesiology:** (3 Semester Hours)

| Course | No. | Credit | Grade | Term | Year | Trns/Subs |
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See the M.S.C. catalog for the list of approved KINA/HPWE/Selected DANC courses.

**Bachelor of Arts Degree Distinction:** (6 semester hours)

(Two consecutive classes in the same foreign language.)

| Course | No. | Credit | Grade | Term | Year | Trns/Subs |
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(FLAS 114 & 115 will NOT fulfill this requirement.) (Must receive a grade of “C” or above.)

**Major Requirements** (83 Semester Hours)

**Social Science Core** (15 semester hours, 6 hours may be used to fulfill Social and Behavioral Science General Education Requirements)

| Course | No. | Credit | Grade | Term | Year | Trns/Subs |
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ANTH 201 | 3 | | | | | |
GEOG 103 | 3 | | | | | |
ECON 201 | 3 | | | | | |
PSYC 233* | 3 | | | | | *
*Must receive grade of B or higher

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# History Core (18 Semester Hours)

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# History Electives (21 Upper Division Semester Hours)

One Upper Division history course chosen from each History area; one European, one U.S., one Third World, one Topical listed on page 4:

- **European History:** (3 semester hours) Choose one course from HIST 301, HIST 330, HIST 331, HIST 350, HIST 360, HIST 400 or HIST 430
- **U.S. History:** (3 semester hours) Choose one course from HIST 342, HIST 344, HIST 346, HIST 347 or HIST 420
- **Third World History:** (3 semester hours) Choose one course from HIST 306, HIST 310, HIST 340, HIST 401 or HIST 403
- **Topical History:** (3 semester hours) Choose one course from HIST 315, HIST 316, HIST 320, HIST 332, HIST 355, HIST 375, HIST 405, HIST 410, HIST 435 or HIST 440

And (9 semester hours) Three additional Upper Division History courses selected from European, U.S., Third World or Topical History:

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# Secondary Education Requirements (29 Semester Hours) *

- **Prerequisites:** ENGL 111, ENGL 112, SPCH 102, PSYC 233 (all with a grade of B or better), Declared major in History – Leading to Secondary Teacher Licensure and formal acceptance to the Teacher Education Program

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Student must PASS the PLACE or PRAXIS II exam in the content area prior to commencing the internship. Also, ALL other coursework toward the degree must be successfully completed prior to internship.

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**GRADUATION INFORMATION**

See the “Undergraduate Graduation Requirements” in the Mesa State College catalog for additional graduation information.

A 2.8 Minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average is required.

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS** (Minimum of 33 Semester hours) See current Mesa State College catalog for list of courses that fulfill the requirements below. If one (or more) of the selections below is required in your major, you must use it to fulfill the major requirement and make a different selection to meet the general education requirement. The courses may not be used to fulfill both requirements.

**English** – 6 Semester hours (Must be completed before student has 60 semester hours. Must receive grade of “B” or above.) ENGL 111 and ENGL 112 or ENGL 129 (by permission)

**Mathematics** – 3 Semester hours chosen from: MATH 110 or higher (Must be completed before student has 60 semester hours. Must receive grade of “C” or above.)

**Humanities** – 6 semester hours

**Social and Behavioral Sciences** – 6 semester hours

**Fine Arts** – 3 semester hours

**Natural Sciences** – 6 semester hours (At least one course must include a lab.)

**Applied Studies** – 3 semester hours (SPCH 102 required with a “B” or better.)
### OTHER REQUIREMENTS (9 Semester Hours)

**Kinesiology – 3 Semester Hours**  
Each student must take KINE/HPWA 100 together with two KINA/HPWE/Selected DANC courses. See current catalog for listing.

**Degree Distinction – 6 Semester Hours**  
Select from one of the following sequences:  
- FLAF 111 followed by FLAF 112  
- Or FLAS 111 followed by FLAS 112  
- Two consecutive classes in the same foreign language.  
*(FLAS 114 & 115 will NOT fulfill this requirement. Must receive a grade of “C” or above in both classes.)*

### History – Leading to Secondary Teacher Licensure (83 Semester Hours)

#### Social Science Core (15 Semester Hours)

- ANTH 201 Cultural Anthropology
- GEOG 103 World Regional Geography
- ECON 201 Principles of Macroeconomics
- POLS 101 American Government or  
- POLS 261 Comparative Politics
- PSYC 233 Human Growth and Development

*(Students may use 6 semester hours from the above list to fulfill the Social and Behavioral Science General Education Requirement)*

#### History Core (18 Semester hours)

- HIST 101 Western Civilizations
- HIST 102 Western Civilization
- HIST 131 U.S. History
- HIST 202 Intro to Historical Research
- HIST 404 Senior Seminar in Historical Research

#### History Electives (21 Semester Hours)

One course in **European** History. Select from:  
- HIST 301 History of England Since 1485
- HIST 330 History of 19th Century Europe
- HIST 331 The 20th Century
- HIST 350 Renaissance and Reformation
- HIST 360 Medieval Europe
- HIST 400 The Soviet Union and Eastern Europe
- HIST 430 The Ancient Mediterranean World

One Course in **United States** History. Select from:  
- HIST 342 The Early American Republic
- HIST 344 The Age of Industry in America
- HIST 346 The 1950’s and 1960’s
- HIST 420 Civil War

One Course in **Third World** History. Select from:  
- HIST 306 History of South and Southeast Asia
- HIST 310 Latin American Civilization
- HIST 340 History of the Islamic World
- HIST 401 East Asia: The Formative Period
- HIST 403 East Asia and the Modern World

#### Secondary Education Requirements (29 semester hours)

*Prerequisites: ENGL 111, ENGL 112, SPCH 102, PSYC 233 (all with grade of B or better) and declared major in History – Leading to Secondary Teacher Licensure and formal acceptance into the Teacher Education Program*

- *EDUC 211 Foundations of Education* 2 semester hours  
- *EDUC 342 Pedagogy & Assessment: Secondary/K-12* 3 semester hours  
- *EDUC 343 Teaching to Diversity* 3 semester hours  
- *EDUC 442 Integrating Literacy Across the Curriculum* 5 semester hours  
- *EDUC 497 Content Methodology Practicum* 3 semester hours  
- *EDUC 497B Methods of Teaching Secondary Social Studies* 1 semester hour  
- *EDUC 499G Teaching Internship and Colloquium* 12 semester hours  

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Students are required to participate in exit examinations or other programs deemed necessary to comply with the college accountability requirement. All degree requirements must be completed as described above. Any exceptions or substitutions must be recommended in advance by the faculty advisor, approved by the Department Head and the Teacher Education Department.
SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCING FOR A MAJOR IN HISTORY – LEADING TO SECONDARY TEACHER LICENSURE

This is a recommended sequence of course work. Certain courses may have prerequisites or are only offered during the Fall or Spring semesters. It is the student’s responsibility to meet with their advisor and check the 2 year course matrix on the Mesa State website for course availability.

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