

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

The Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies program is based on a major that prepares students to teach multiple content areas as is characteristic in elementary education. The major area of study is complemented by a minor in Elementary Education where professional coursework in pedagogy is completed. Upon fulfillment of standards required by the State of Tennessee, students who successfully complete this Bachelor of Science degree program may be recommended for K–5 licensure.

B.S. in Interdisciplinary Studies Degree Requirements: Overview

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION CORE		47 HOURS
ENG 130	Research and Rhetoric	3
ENG 110	Speech	3
	Foreign Language	3
	Fine Arts	3
	Natural Science (Choose two laboratory science courses)	8
HIS 111 & 112 HIS 201 & 202	History (Choose one of the following course series) Western Civilization I & II U.S. History I & II	6
ENG 213 ENG 214	Literature (Choose one of the following courses) English Literature I English Literature II	3
THE 110 THE 121	Theology (Choose one of the following courses) Fundamental Theology Introduction to Sacred Scripture	3
MAT 121 MAT 130 MAT 210	Mathematics (Choose two of the following courses) College Algebra Concepts of Geometry Statistics I	6
ECO 220 IDS 210 SOC 210	Social Sciences (Choose one of the following courses) Microeconomics Personhood and Human Flourishing Introduction to Sociology	3
PHI 105 PHI 215 PHI 225	Philosophy (Choose one of the following courses) Logic Ethics Philosophy of the Human Person	3
CPU 115	Introduction to Computers [†]	3
TEACHER EDUCATOR PREPAREDNESS CORE		9 HOURS
EDU 240	Foundations in Education	3
HPE 110	Personal and Community Health	3
PSY 320	Human Growth and Development	3

[†] Or successful completion of competency exam.

(continued on reverse)

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

MAJOR IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES REQUIREMENTS		37 HOURS
ENG 400	Children's Literature, Speech and Drama	3
ENG 393 ENG 410	English (Choose one of the following courses) Linguistics Topics in Literacy	3
HIS 420	Western Civilization and America	3
THE 210	Moral Theology [‡]	3
MAT 240	Nature of Math	3
BIO 310	Ecosystems	4
PHI 330	Philosophy of Education	3
PSY 315	Educational Psychology	3
PSY 400	Tests and Measurements	3
PSY 410	Behavior Interventions	3
PSY 423	Exceptional Child	3
ENG 311 ENG 312 ENG 313 ENG 314 ENG 330	Literature (Choose one of the following courses) World Literature: Epic World Literature: Lyric World Literature: Tragedy & Comedy World Literature: Novel Modern Multi-Cultural Writers	3

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION		27 HOURS
EDU 312	Literacy Through Learning	3
EDU 336	Methods in Mathematics & Science Instruction	3
EDU 350	Methods in Language Arts, Social Studies & Culture	3
EDU 418	Reading Assessment and Remedial Strategies	3
EDU 425	Media and Technology in Education	3
EDU 401	Elementary Education Seminar: Classroom Organization and Management	1
EDU 436	Enhanced Student Teaching: Elementary Licensure Program	11

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