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- Admissions for all School of Education majors are competitive.
- **Completion of minimum requirements does not guarantee admission.**
- Minimum overall and admission requirement GPAs of 2.75 required (includes all transfer hours).
- Effective Fall 2014, transfer grades of “D” or below will not be accepted.
- Once admitted, all courses on program sheet must be completed to graduate. This major requires 130 hours.
- Students must have School of Education approval to substitute any course.
- Always confirm enrollment with a School of Education advisor.
- The deadline to apply to this major is mid-September. Check www.soe.ku.edu for more information.

Admission Requirements must be taken during or completed prior to the application process.

Admission Requirements	Course Title	Credits
ANTH 160 ¹ or SOC 130 ¹	Varieties of Human Experience or Comparative Societies	3
C&T 100	Introduction to the Education Profession	3
COMS 130 ² (Min Grade of “C”)	Speaker-Audience Communication	3
ENGL 101 ³ (Min Grade of “C”)	Composition	3
ENGL 102 ⁴ (Min Grade of “C”)	Composition and Literature	3
GEOG 100	World Regional Geography	3
GEOG 104 ⁵	Principles of Physical Geography	3
GEOG 105 ⁵	Introductory Lab in Physical Geography	2
HIST 128 ⁶	History of U.S. through Civil War	3
MATH 101 ⁷ or MATH 104 (Min Grade of “C”)	College Algebra or Precalculus Mathematics	3
MATH 105, 115, or higher (Min Grade of “C”)	Intro to Topics in Math, Intro to Finite Math, Calculus I or higher	3
PSYC 104 ⁸	General Psychology	3

History and Government Content Requirements can be taken prior to admission.

History and Government Content Requirements	Course Title	Credits
ECON 104	Introductory Economics	4
GEOG 100 (Admissions Requirement)	World Regional Geography	3
GEOG 104 (Admissions Requirement)	Principles of Physical Geography	3
GEOG 105 (Admissions Requirement)	Introductory Lab in Physical Geography	2
GEOG 111, 210, 311, or 358	Mapping course	3 or 4
GEOG 351, 396, 553, or 570	Non-western geography course	3
HIST 128 (Admissions Requirement)	History of U.S. through Civil War	3
HIST 129	History of U.S. after Civil War	3
HIST Asian or African elective	Asian or African history course	3
HIST Latin American elective	Latin American history course	3

HIST Upper-level (300+) American	Upper-level (300+) American history elective	3
HIST Upper-level (300+) European	Upper-level (300+) European history elective	3
HIST 308	Key Themes in Modern Global History	3
HIST 348	History of the Peoples of Kansas	3
POLS 110	Introduction to U.S. Politics	3
POLS 150	Introduction to Comparative Politics	3
POLS Upper-level (300+)	Upper-level (300+) Political Science elective	3

Teacher Education courses listed in bold can only be taken after admission. Five semesters of are required after admission to all Teacher Education majors. Semester 1 begins the spring after the student is admitted. Students must earn grades of “C” or better in all Teacher Education courses.

Teacher Education Courses	Course Title	Credits	Rotation
C&T 235 ⁹	Multicultural Education	3	Pre-Admission or Semester 1
ELPS 250 ¹⁰	Education and Society	3	Pre-Admission or Semester 1
ELPS 302	Educational Technology in Middle/Secondary Education	3	Semester 1, 2, or 3
EPSY 306	Development and Learning of the Adolescent	3	Semester 1, 2, or 3
SPED 326	Teaching Exceptional Children and Youth in General Education	3	Semester 1, 2, or 3
C&T 324	Curriculum Learner in the Middle and High School	3	Semester 1 (spring only)
EPSY 456	Managing and Motivating Learners in the Middle and Secondary Classroom	3	Semester 2 (fall only)
C&T 331	Instructional Approaches for ESOL Learners in the Middle/Secondary Classroom	3	Semester 3 (spring only)
C&T 335	Curriculum and Instruction in Social Studies Classrooms	3	Semester 3 (spring only)
C&T 420	Teaching Kansas Government	3	Semester 3 (spring only)

A minimum 2.75 overall GPA and a minimum 2.5 content GPA is required to begin student teaching. Content courses can be taken in the fall semester during the advanced teaching practicum. Enrollment in additional courses during the spring semester of student teaching is not allowed.

Student Teaching Courses	Course Title	Credits	
C&T 541	Advanced Practices in Teaching Social Studies in Middle/Secondary Schools	3	Semester 4 (fall only)
C&T 448	Reading and Writing Across the Curriculum	3	Semester 4 (fall only)
C&T 489	Advanced Teaching Practicum	1	Semester 4 (fall only)
ELPS 537	Governance and Organization	3	Semester 4 (fall only)
SPED 507	Advanced Practices for Children with Disabilities in the Middle/Secondary General Education Classroom	3	Semester 4 (fall only)
C&T 490¹¹	Student Teaching	6	Semester 5 (spring only)
C&T 495¹²	Seminar: Developing the Teaching Portfolio	3	Semester 5 (spring only)
EPSY 520	Classroom Assessment	3	Semester 5 (spring only)

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¹Meets KU Core Goal 4: Learning Outcome 2 (Global Awareness)

²Meets KU Core Goal 2: Learning Outcome 2 (Oral Communication)

³Meets KU Core Goal 2: Learning Outcome 1 – Unit 1 (Written Communication)

⁴Meets KU Core Goal 2: Learning Outcome 1 – Unit 2 (Written Communication)

- ⁵Meets KU Core Goal 3: Natural Sciences
- ⁶Meets KU Core Goal 3: Arts & Humanities
- ⁷Meets KU Core Goal 1: Learning Outcome 2 (Quantitative Literacy)
- ⁸Meets KU Core Goal 3: Social Sciences
- ⁹Meets KU Core Goal 4: Learning Outcome 1 (Diversity)
- ¹⁰Meets KU Core Goal 5: Social Responsibility and Ethics
- ¹¹Meets KU Core Goal 6: Capstone
- ¹²Meets KU Core Goal 1: Learning Outcome 1 (Critical Thinking)