

Approved Course List “Grey” Catalog Years: 2021-2022
 Liberal Studies Integrated Teacher Education Program Option



- All courses for the major must be completed with a grade of C or better.
- EDUC 350 and 364 must be completed with a grade of C+ or higher to be accepted to the CSUSM Teacher Credential Program.
- For CSUSM Teacher Credential Program EDUC 422 with a grade of C+ or higher is also required as a prerequisite.
- For FALL 2020 and later catalog years, students must take an additional Diversity Equity global (Deg) course to meet University Wide requirements for graduation. See degree planner for options.
- This curriculum meets requirements for the CSET I-III Waiver providing student earns an overall GPA of 2.67 or higher. For more information about the Waiver, see <https://www.csusm.edu/liberalstudies/csetiiiwaiverinformation.html>
- See <https://www.csusm.edu/soe/prospectivestudents/pathway.html> for School of Education Credential Pathway Checklist

Requirements	Units	Approved Courses	IP	MET
Introduction to Liberal Studies (3 units)				
An Introduction to Critical Education	3	LBST 100/300 (Transfer Students will take LBST 300)		
Preparation for the Major & Lower-Division GE Requirements - 57 units				
Oral Communication (A1)	3	GEO 102		
Written Communication (A2)	3	GEW 101B		
Critical Thinking (A3)	3	Choose one: LTWR 115; MATH 110; PHIL 110; PSYC 110		
Physical Science (B1)	3	GES 105		
Life Science (Biology) (B2)	3	GES 102		
Earth Science	3	ES 100 OR GEOG 110		
Science Lab (B3)	requi red	Lab included as part of GES 102		
Mathematics for Elementary School Teachers I and II (B4)	3	MATH 210		
	3	MATH 212 (prerequisite MATH 210 with C or higher)		
Introduction to Interdisciplinary Arts (C1)	3	MUSC 250		
Introduction to Literature (C2)	3	LTWR 100		
Syntax and Grammar	3	LING 200		
World Regional Geography	3	GEOG 201		
World History to 1500 (C2)	3	HIST 101		
Arts and Humanities (C3)	3	Language Other Than English		
U.S. History 1500-1877 (Dh)	3	HIST 130		
U.S. & CA Government (DcDg)	3	PSCI 100		
Child Growth and Development	3	PSYC 210		
P.E. for Elementary Teachers (E)	3	PE 203		
Ethnic Studies (F)	3	See Degree Planner for course options (first-year freshmen only)		
Upper-Division Requirements - 24 units (40 upper-division units required for graduation)				
Math for K-8 Teachers	3	Math 311 (prerequisites MATH 212 with C or higher)		
Linguistics (DEu)	3	LING 300 (prerequisite LING 200 with C or higher)		
California History	3	GEOG 341^		
Multicultural Studies (DD)*	3	Choose one: ID 340^, LING 341^, LING 355^		
UDGE Math or Science (BB) *	3	PHYS 307		
UDGE Arts or Humanities (CC)*	3	DNCE 350		
*Upper Division General Education courses (BB, CC, and DD) must be taken after A1, A2, A3 and B4 completed ^ Courses require Junior or Senior standing for enrollment				
FIELD EXPERIENCE 6 UNITS (Must earn C+ or higher for admission to CSUSM Teacher Credential Program)				
Foundations of Teaching as a Profession	3	EDUC 350		
The Role of Cultural Diversity in Schooling	3	EDUC 364		
Note: EDUC 350, 364 and 422 are pre-requisites to the CSUSM Teacher Credential Program. It is recommended that these courses be taken in order.				

Continue on following page for Area of Focus (Concentration) course requirements



AREA OF FOCUS 12 UNITS				
Choose ONE of the following modules for your Area of Focus. Declare your Area of Focus by your junior year. Courses may NOT double count with any other major requirement.				
SUBJECT AREA	UNITS	REQUIRED COURSES	IP	MET
MATH	3	GEOG 310: Climate Change and Life in the Anthropocene (offered fall only) OR GEOG 311: Earth: The Habitable Planet (offered spring only)		
	3	MATH 242: Introduction to Statistics OR MATH 342: Probability and Statistics for Engineers and Scientists OR MATH 442: Introduction to Mathematical Statistics		
	6	Choose 6 units from: MATH 100: Mathematical Ideas OR MATH 105: Supported College Algebra OR MATH 115: College Algebra OR MATH 125: Pre-Calculus OR MATH 132: Survey of Calculus (prereq MATH 115 or 105) OR MATH 160- Calculus with Applications I (prereq MATH 125 or 126) OR MATH 270- Basic Discrete Mathematics (prereq MATH 160) OR Any 300-level or above MATH course excluding MATH 311 (Consult catalog course description for prerequisites)		
SCIENCE	3	ASTR 342: Elements of Astronomy		
	3	BIOL 321: Human Physiology OR BIOL 323: Physiology of Nutrition and Disease OR 328: Human Heredity OR CHEM 311: Chemicals and the Environment OR CHEM 316: Chocolate: A Chemical Investigation		
	3	GEOG 310: Climate Change and Life in the Anthropocene (offered fall only) OR GEOG 311: Earth: The Habitable Planet (offered spring only)		
	3	LBST 361: The Social Construction of Science		
READING, LANGUAGE, LITERATURE	3	LING 351 [^] : Language Acquisition (offered fall only) OR LING 391: Phonetics and Phonology (offered spring only)		
	3	LING 305: Languages in Contact OR LING 355 [^] : Heritage Languages and Heritage Speakers OR LING 371 [^] : Linguistic Anthropology OR LING 381 [^] : Language and Gender		
	3	LING 480 [^] : Field Methods for Linguistics (offered spring only) (prereq LING 300)		
	3	LTWR 465: Theory and Practice in K-12 Writing Instruction (offered fall only)		
BILINGUAL SPANISH	3	LING 355 [^] : Language Heritage Languages and Heritage Speakers		
	3	SPAN 202: Intermediate Spanish II OR SPAN 250: Spanish for Heritage Spanish Speakers (if tested out of 202 or 250, substitute with additional upper division SPAN course)		
	3	SPAN 301A: Advanced Spanish for Non-Native Spanish Speakers OR SPAN 301 B: Advanced Spanish for Heritage Spanish Speakers		
	3	Choose one course from: SPAN 302: Basic Theory and Practice of Composition Units: 3 SPAN 350A: Spanish Civilization Units: 3 (co-req SPAN 303) SPAN 350B: Spanish American Civilization Units: 3 (co-req SPAN 303) EDUC 653: Biliteracy Education I: Contexts for Learning Units: 3 (please see Bilingual Coordinator in the School of Education to assess readiness for taking this class, OR pass CSET LOTE III).		

[^] Courses require Junior or Senior standing for enrollment

CREDENTIAL COURSES – 38 units				
UNITS	REQUIRED COURSES	IP	MET	
3	EDMS 511 – Elementary Teaching and Learning I			
3	EDMS 521 – Elementary Literacy I			
3	EDMS 543 – Elementary Mathematics Education			
3	EDMS 555 – Elementary Multilingual Education			
7	EDMS 571 – Clinical Practice in Elementary Schools I (EDMS 573 option for Bilingual)			
3	EDMS 512 – Elementary Teaching and Learning II			
3	EDMS 522 – Elementary Literacy II			
3	EDMS 544 – Social Studies Education in Elementary Schools			
3	EDMS 545 – Elementary Science Education			
7	EDMS 572 – Clinical Practice in Elementary Schools II (EDMS 573 option for Bilingual)			