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**UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY**  
**Social Studies Composite Teaching Major Secondary Education**

|                              | Credits Required     | Completed Credit | Grade |
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| <b>I. University Studies</b> | <b>39-43 credits</b> |                  |       |

**A. General Education**

**Communication Literacy** (6 credits) (1 course C+ or better)

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| ENGL 1010 | Introduction to Writing | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| ENGL 2010 | Intermediate Writing    | 3 | _____ | _____ |

**Quantitative Literacy** (3-4 credits) (C- or better)

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| MATH 1050 | College Algebra | 4 | _____ | _____ |
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**OR**

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| STAT 1040 | Introduction to Statistics | 3 | _____ | _____ |
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**Breadth Requirements** (21-22 credits)

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| <b>BAI:</b> | ECN 1500  | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <b>BAI:</b> | POLS 1100 | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <b>BSS:</b> | PSY 1010  | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <b>BHU:</b> | HIST 1510 | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <b>BCA:</b> | USU 1330  | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <b>BLS:</b> | USU 1350  | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <b>BPS:</b> | GEOG 1000 | 3 | _____ | _____ |

Students must complete C grades or higher in their BLS, BPS, BSS courses in order to apply to the Teacher Education program.

**B. Depth Education (4-6 credits)**

Choose one Depth Humanities course (DHA) and one Depth Science course (DSC)

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| HIST 3850 (DHA) or HIST 4600 (DHA) | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| CS 3010 (QI/DSC) or other DSC      | 3 | _____ | _____ |

**C. Quantitative Intensive (3 credits)**

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| POLS 3000 (QI) Introduction to Political Research | 3 | _____ | _____ |
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| <b>II. History (All courses C or better)</b> | <b>24 credits</b> |  |  |
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**World History** (9 credits)

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| HIST 1100 (BHU) Western Civilizations: Ancient and Medieval | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 1500 (BHU) Cultural and Economic Exchange              | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 1510 (BHU) The Modern World                            | 3 | _____ | _____ |

**American History** (9 credits)

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| HIST 2700 (BAI) United States to 1877        | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 2710 (BAI) United States 1877 - Present | 3 | _____ | _____ |

Choose one of the following:

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| HIST 3850 (DHA) History of Utah          | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 4600 (DHA) History of American West | 3 | _____ | _____ |

**History Electives** (6 credits)

Must be 3000-level or higher and at least 3 credits should be selected from the following:

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| HIST 3510 Africa and the World                 | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 3530 African Environmental History        | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 3550 (DHA) Culture of East Asia           | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 3630 History of Modern Latin America      | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 3650 Caribbean History                    | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 4560 (DHA) Women in Islam                 | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 4566 Modern Islamic Thought               | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 4630 History of the Southwest Borderlands | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 4710 American Indian History              | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 4730 (CI) History of Black America        | 3 | _____ | _____ |

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| <b>III. Geography (All courses C or better)</b> | <b>9 credits</b> |  |  |
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| GEOG 1000 (BPS) Physical Geography | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| GEOG 1300 World Regional Geography | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| GEOG 4210 Geography of Utah        | 3 | _____ | _____ |

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| <b>IV. Economics (All courses C or better)</b> | <b>6 credits</b> |  |  |
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| ECN 1500 (BAI) Introduction to Economics      | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <i>Choose one of the following:</i>           |   |       |       |
| ECN 2010 (BSS) Introduction to Microeconomics | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| ECN 3170/POLS 3170 Law & Economics            | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| ECN 4020 Intermediate Macroeconomics          | 3 | _____ | _____ |

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| <b>V. Political Science (All courses C or better)</b> | <b>9 credits</b> |  |  |
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| POLS 1100 (BAI) U.S. Government and Politics      | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| POLS 3000 (QI) Introduction to Political Research | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <i>Choose one of the following:</i>               |   |       |       |
| POLS 2100 Introduction to International Politics  | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| POLS 2200 (BSS) Comparative Politics              | 3 | _____ | _____ |

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| <b>VI. Anthropology and Sociology (All courses C or better)</b> | <b>6 credits</b> |  |  |
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| ANTH 1010 (BSS) Cultural Anthropology    | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <i>Choose one of the following:</i>      |   |       |       |
| SOC 1010 (BSS) Introduction to Sociology | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| SOC 1020 (BSS) Social Problems           | 3 | _____ | _____ |

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| <b>VII. Psychology (All courses C or better)</b> | <b>6 credits</b> |  |  |
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| PSY 1010 (BSS) General Psychology              | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| <i>Choose one of the following:</i>            |   |       |       |
| PSY 1100 Lifespan Development                  | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PSY 2100 Developmental Psychology: Adolescence | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| PSY 4240 (DSS) Multicultural Psychology        | 3 | _____ | _____ |

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| <b>VIII. Secondary Teacher Education Program (STEP) (All courses C or better)</b> | <b>6 credits</b> |  |  |
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(Minimum 3.0 GPA overall) Application requirements website: <https://teal.usu.edu/him/undergraduate-programs/seced/adstep>

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| <b>Courses may be taken before admission to Teacher Education Program or with Level I</b> | <b>6 credits</b> |  |  |
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| SCED 3210 (CI/DSS) Multicultural Foundations               | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| SPED 4000 Education of Exceptional Individuals             | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| ITLS 5500 Innovative Integration of Technology in Teaching | 3 | _____ | _____ |

**A. Level I**

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| SCED 5100 Motivation and Classroom Management       | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 3000 History Research Methods                  | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| SCED 3500 Teaching Social Studies                   | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| SCED 3300 Clinical Experience I (30 hours in field) | 1 | _____ | _____ |

**B. Level 2**

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| SCED 5200 (CI) Language, Literacy & Learning in the Content Areas | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| SCED 5210 Assessment & Curriculum Design                          | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| SCED 4300 Clinical Experience II (30 Hours in field)              | 1 | _____ | _____ |
| <i>Choose one course from the following:</i>                      |   |       |       |
| HIST 4860 Teaching History  | 3 | _____ | _____ |
| HIST 4870 Teaching World History                                  | 3 | _____ | _____ |

*Optional (as a split-form graduate course):*

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| TEAL 6800 Improvement of Social Studies Instruction | 3 | _____ | _____ |
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**C. Level 3**

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| SCED 5500 Student Teaching Seminar              | 2  | _____ | _____ |
| SCED 5630 Student Teaching in Secondary Schools | 10 | _____ | _____ |

**Total Required Credits for Social Studies Composite Major: 118**

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| Utah State Graduation Requirements:  |                    |
| Residence Credits Required:          | 30 (10 of last 40) |
| Upper Division Credits Required:     | 40                 |
| Total Credits Needed for Graduation: | 120                |