

MIDDLE/SECONDARY AND K-12 EDUCATION PROGRAM

Programs

The Middle/Secondary and K-12 Education programs prepare teachers to lead classrooms in middle and secondary schools in one of the seven subject areas:

- Biology Middle/Secondary Education, B.A. (<http://catalog.css.edu/programs-az/education-social-work/education/middle-secondary-education/biology-ba-secondary-education-curriculum/>)
- Chemistry Middle/Secondary Education, B.A. (<http://catalog.css.edu/programs-az/education-social-work/education/middle-secondary-education/chemistry-ba-middle-secondary-education/>)
- English Middle/Secondary Education, B.A. (<http://catalog.css.edu/programs-az/education-social-work/education/middle-secondary-education/english-ba-secondary-education/>)
- Mathematics Middle/Secondary Education, B.A. (<http://catalog.css.edu/programs-az/education-social-work/education/middle-secondary-education/mathematics-ba-secondary-education/>)
- Music K-12 Education, B.A. (<http://catalog.css.edu/programs-az/education-social-work/education/middle-secondary-education/music-ba-secondary-education-curriculum/>)
- Social Studies Secondary Education, B.A. and History B.A. (Double major) (<http://catalog.css.edu/programs-az/education-social-work/education/middle-secondary-education/social-studies-ba-secondary-education/>)
- Spanish K-12 Education, B.A. (<http://catalog.css.edu/programs-az/education-social-work/education/middle-secondary-education/spanish-ba-secondary-education-curriculum/>)

Students who complete the Middle/Secondary and K-12 Education Program have a firm foundation in the knowledge, skills, and dispositions to promote student learning. An important component of the program is the opportunity for early and extended field experiences in local classrooms prior to the required student teaching experience.

All students planning to major in a content area and complete the Middle/Secondary and K-12 Education Program should have an faculty advisor in their content major. Graduates are eligible to apply for teacher licensure for grades 5-12. Music and Spanish education majors are eligible for licensure at grades K-12.

Contact Information

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Requirements

Students must achieve the following program requirements for all courses listed under "Program Required Courses" for the Middle/Secondary and K-12 education courses and the program required courses in the chosen content area.

Program Requirements

Major Credits: 44-45 + Chosen Content Area Credits

Major Residency Credits: 16

Minimum GPA: 2.8

Minimum Grade: C

Program Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
EDU 1540	Introduction to Teaching	3
EDU 2160	Content Reading & Writing Secondary	2
EDU 2210	Educational Psychology/Needs of Learners	4
EDU 2600	Instructional Planning & Management with Field Experience I	4
EDU 3100	Teaching for Inclusion & Equity	4
EDU 3250	Introduction to Special Education	3-4
EDU 3600	Education Tech - Mid/Secondary	4
EDU 4600	Assessment with Field Experience III	4
EDU 4800	Student Teaching Internship & Seminar	16

Methods Course(s)

Each secondary/middle or K12 education program requires at least one Methods Course. See program for specific information.

For program completion, students are required to:

Complete an edTPA submission as part of the student teaching seminar ¹

Attempt the MTLE Content and Pedagogy exams. ¹

Total Credits 44-45

¹ For program completion, students are required to complete an edTPA (<https://www.edtpa.com/>) submission as part of the student teaching seminar and attempt the MTLE Content and Pedagogy (http://www.mtle.nesinc.com/PageView.aspx?f=GEN_Tests.html) exams. Passing scores on the MTLE are required for licensure but not for program completion.