**Program Requirements**

General Ed: Satisfactory completion of all general education requirements.

Major: Satisfactory completion of 36 credits in history, 4 credits of an intermediate level of a foreign language, plus 24 credits in related social studies disciplines for a total of 64 credits as described below.

Education: Satisfactory completion of a minor in education (36 credits) as described below. Prior to being admitted to the Teacher Education Program, the student must demonstrate Math competency by earning a grade of C- or higher in a 4-credit course that fulfills the general education quantitative reasoning requirement (course designated with a "Q").

*In most instances, licensure in Integrated Social Studies can be completed within the traditional four-year program of Study. This assumes students enter Wittenberg ready for the 112-level of foreign language and that 20 credits of course work in social studies and education also fulfilled related general education requirements in Social Institutions, Philosophical Inquiry, Western Historical Perspectives, and Non-Western Cultures.*

**Requirements for AYA Licensure**

All courses must be passed with a grade of C- or above. See the Academic Catalog for additional requirements for admission and continuation in the program. Courses may not be offered every year. Check the department schedules for course offerings.

Students are required to complete a capstone assessment, the edTPA (Education Teacher Performance Assessment), during their Student Teaching Seminar (EDUC 496) and earn a C- or higher in the course.

**Required in Education**

**Entry-Level Courses** (Taken prior to application for teacher candidacy)

- EDUC 103S Sociological Perspectives in Education (4)*
- EDUC 104R Philosophical Perspectives in Education (4)*
- EDUC 105 Educational Psychology (2)
- EDUC 120 Introduction to Students with Special Needs (2) *(Taken concurrently with EDUC 105)*
- EDUC 213 Adolescent Development and Education (4)*

**Advanced Courses** (Taken following admission to teacher candidacy)

- EDUC 312 Reading & Writing in the Content Areas (3)* *(Spring Only)*
- EDUC 313 Practicum: Literacy (1)
- EDUC 332 Assessment and Inclusion (4)
- EDUC 349 Teaching Social Studies in Secondary Schools (3) *(Fall Even Years)*
- EDUC 389 Social Studies Practicum (1) *(Fall Even Years)*

**Student Teaching**

Application for permission to student teach must be submitted early spring term of junior year. Other coursework, if taken, must be scheduled for late afternoon or evenings during the term.

- EDUC 495 Student Teaching (10)
- EDUC 496 Student Teaching Seminar (2)*

**Additional Requirement for Adolescent Young Adult Licensure**

- Successful completion of the required licensure examinations.

*These courses are Writing Intensive.*
Required for History Major  36 credits + 4 additional credits in foreign language (40)
  ___ HIST 106  The Modern World (4)
  ___ HIST 204  Historical Methods (4)

  ___ US History I – Pre-civil War  Take 4 credits (4)
    ___ HIST 121 United States History I (4)
    ___ HIST 201 Topics: American Revolutionary War (2)
    ___ HIST 201 Topics: Civil War (2)

  ___ US History II – Post Civil War  Choose 1 course (4)
    ___ HIST 122 United States History II (4)
    ___ HIST 127 United States History Since 1945 (4)

  ___ HIST xxx Choose one additional course at the 200 level (4)

Three courses at the 300-level:  (Note: At least one course must address the pre-modern era.) (12)
  ___ HIST xxx  ___ HIST xxx  ___ HIST xxx

  ___ HIST 411  Senior Seminar (4)

Plus, four semester hours at an intermediate level of foreign language
  ___ Lang (CHIN / JAPN 211 or higher,  FREN / GERM / RUSS 260 – 265 or higher (students must take two of the 2
credit courses), SPAN 150 or higher

Required in Related Areas  (24 credits)

Economics
  ___ ECON 190  Principals of Economics (4)

Political Science  Three courses:  (12)
  ___ POLI 101  American National Government (4)
  ___ POLI 102  Introduction to Comparative Politics (4)

  ___ Plus, one course at the 200 level or above from the areas below (4)

  American Politics
    ___ POLI 221  State and Local Government (4)
    ___ POLI 222  Urban Politics (4)
    ___ POLI 224  The Presidency (4)
    ___ POLI 229 Topics in American Politics (4)
    ___ POLI 232  Public Opinion (4)
    ___ POLI 234  Black Politics (4)
    ___ POLI 236  Media and Politics (4)

  Political Theory and Law
    ___ POLI 215  American Political Thought (4)
    ___ POLI 322  American Constitutional Law (4)

  Political Science
    ___ POLI 320  Public Administration (4)
    ___ POLI 321  Public Policy (4)
    ___ POLI 323  The U. S. Congress (4)
    ___ POLI 329  Adv Topics in American Politics (4)
    ___ POLI 332  Political Parties & Interest Grps (4)

Other Social Science Fields:  Select one course from each department:  (8)
  ___ SOC 101  Introduction to Sociology (4)  OR  ___ SOC 110  Cultural Anthropology (4)
  ___ PSYC 100  Understanding Psychology (4)

Note:  Any change(s) in this program of study must be approved by the Chairperson of the major department and the
Director of Assessment and Licensure, Wittenberg University.