

2009-11 Cal Poly Catalog

Liberal Studies Program

BS LIBERAL STUDIES [Flowchart](#)

- ☐ 60 units upper division ☐ GWR
 ☐ 2.0 GPA ☐ USCP

* = Required in Major; also satisfies GE

MAJOR COURSES

LS 101 Orientation to Liberal Studies	1
LS 214 Constitutional Issues in History of U.S. and California Education	4
LS 230 Field Experience I.....	2
LS 250 Field Experience II.....	2
LS/ENGL 260 Children's Literature	4
LS 270 Intro to Visual and Performing Arts Standards in the Elementary Classroom	4
LS 310 Storytelling: The Oral Tradition or LS 477 Myth and Folklore in Art for Elementary Classrooms.....	4
LS 311 Visual Arts in the Elementary Classroom or LS 475 Elements and Principles of Art in Elementary Classrooms.....	4
LS 461 Senior Project Seminar, <i>or</i> BIO 400 and BIO 462 for students with an emphasis area in science (4/8/10)	4
BIO 113 Animal Diversity & Ecology (4) (B2&B4)* <i>or</i> BIO 160 Diversity and the History of Life (4) (or any GE B2/B4 life science course) (3/16/12)	4
BIO 114 Plant Diversity & Ecology (B2&B4)* (or transfer of any GE B2 life science course)* (8/30/11).....	4
BIO 115 Animal/Human Structure & Function (or any anatomy course).....	4
ENGL 391 Topics in Applied Linguistics.....	4
GEOG 308 Global Geography (D5)*	4
HIST 208 Survey of California History (USCP).....	4
HIST 210 World History (D3)*	4
KINE 310 Concepts and Applications in Elementary Physical Education.	3
KINE 443 Health Education for Teachers.....	4
MATH 227 Math for Elementary Teaching I (B1)*	4
MATH 328 Math for Elementary Teaching II.....	4
MATH 329 Math for Elementary Teaching III	4
MATH 330 Algebraic Thinking with Technology..	4
PSC 101 The Physical Environment: Matter and Energy (B3&B4)* (or any GE B3 PHYS course)	4
PSC 102 Physical Environ: Atoms & Molecules (or any chemistry course).....	4
PSC 103 Physical Environ: Earth & Universe (or any GEOL or ASTR course)	4
PSY 201/202 General Psychology (D4)*	4
STAT 130 Intro to Statistical Reasoning <i>or</i> STAT 217 Intro to Statistical Concepts and Methods (B1)*	4
Emphasis Area (a minimum of 8 units at 300-400 level)	16
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SUPPORT COURSES

CD/EDUC 207 The Learner's Development, Culture and Identity in Educational Settings	4
EDUC 310 Effective Teaching & Classroom Mgt: Multicultural Perspective in K-3 & 4-8 Setting...	4
EDUC 430 Teaching Reading and Language Arts with a Multicultural Perspective	6
EDUC 431 Teaching Soc. Science and the Arts with a Multicultural Perspective	4
EDUC 435 Learning to Teach K-8 Mathematics with a Multicultural Perspective	4
EDUC 436 Learning to Teach K-8 Science with a Multicultural Perspective	4
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GENERAL EDUCATION (GE)

72 units required, 32 of which are specified in Major.

→See page 50 for complete GE course listing.

→Minimum of 12 units required at the 300 level.

Area A Communication (12 units)

A1 Expository Writing	4
A2 Oral Communication	4
A3 Reasoning, Argumentation, and Writing	4

Area B Science and Mathematics (no add'l units req'd)

B1 Mathematics/Statistics * 8 units in Major	0
B2 Life Science * 4 units in Major	0
B3 Physical Science * 4 units in Major	0
B4 One lab taken with either a B2 or B3 course * Select one course from B1-B5* 4 units in Major ..	0

Area C Arts and Humanities (16 units)

C1 Literature	4
C2 Philosophy (PHIL 230/231 recommended)	4
C3 Fine/Performing Arts	4
C4 Upper-division elective	4

Area D/E Society and the Individual (8 units)

D1 The American Experience (40404)	4
D2 Political Economy	4
D3 Comparative Social Institutions * 4 units in Major.....	0
D4 Self Development (CSU Area E) * 4 units in Major.....	0
D5 Upper-division elective * 4 units in Major	0

Area F Technology Elective (upper division)

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FREE ELECTIVES

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Courses Needed for Multiple Subject Credential

EDUC 440 Educating Individuals with Exceptional Needs	4
EDUC 434 Student Teaching – Multiple Subject Credential	10
EDUC 455 Multiple Subject Student Teaching Seminar I	3
EDUC 456 Multiple Subject Student Teaching II...	12
EDUC 457 Multiple Subject Student Teaching Seminar II	<u>3</u>
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EDUC 480 Computer Based Curriculum (Level I
Technology requirement) or its equivalent is
also required.