**EDUCATION PROGRAM LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS**  
*Early Adolescence through Adolescence (Ages 10 to 21)*

This License allows the holder to teach any Social Studies class at the Early Adolescence-Adolescence level, up through grade 10, and any basic social studies class in grades 11 or 12 that is not: (a) part of the college preparatory sequence; (b) an advanced placement course; or (c) an elective course with more depth of content than basic course. To teach in a, b, or c above, the teacher must have a major, minor or concentration (as explained below) in that subject area.

### General Education Requirements
- A minimum of 28 university level credits completed.

**Meet with an Education Advisor**  
Contact the Education Office to schedule a meeting.

### Communication Skills Competency (select 1)
- Pass all three sections of the Praxis Core (CORE)
- An ACT composite score of 23 or higher, with a minimum score of 20 in English, Math and Reading
- Earn a “C” or better in approved coursework in Mathematics, English Composition and English.  
  See the Education website for a complete list.

### Portion of Major Requirements Completed
- For licensing at this level, complete the requirements for one of the following approved majors in Economics, Political Science, History or Psychology. Consult the Undergraduate Catalog for specific major requirements.

### Courses for Candidacy Application
- EDUC 206; Cultural Images in Materials for Children and Adolescents (3 cr.)  
  *Recommended*
- EDUC 208; Concepts, Issues and Field Experience in Education (3 cr.)  
  *Required*

**Apply for Candidacy in Education**  
*Deadlines: First Friday in October or the Third Friday in February*

### Semester following Candidacy Acceptance
- EDUC 290; Intro to Educational Inquiry (3 cr.)
- EDUC 291; Educational Inquiry Field Pract (3 cr.)
- EDUC 340; Supporting Learning & Behavior in the Classroom (3 cr.)

### Additional Required Courses for Educ Minor

**Other Supporting Courses**
- EDUC 203; Env Educ in K-12 Schools (2 cr.)
- MATH 100, MATH 101, OR COMM SCI 205 or above*

*May be waived with a WI Math Placement test score of 104 or greater

**Upper-Level Courses**
- EDUC 351; Field Project in School Settings (1 cr.)
- EDUC 361; Intro to the Art & Sci of Teaching (3 cr.)
- EDUC 422; Reading in the Content Areas (3 cr.)
- EDUC 452; Principles of Middle Level Educ (3 cr.)
- EDUC 312; Teaching Social Studies in Middle & Secondary Schools (3 cr.)  
  *Spring Only*

**Additional Requirements**
- POL SCI 101; American Gov’t & Politics (3 cr)

Choose a minimum of three credits from:
- HISTORY 205; History of the United States from 1600-1865 (3 cr.)
- HISTORY 206; History of the United States from 1865 to present (3 cr.)
- 18 credits of 200-400 level social studies course work (not incl the above) outside the major course of study. At least 3 credits of 200-400 level course work must be completed in each category that does not include the major course of study.
  - Economics – any ECON 200-400 level course
  - Geography – any GEOG 200-400 level course
  - History – any HISTORY 200-400 level course
  - Political Science – any POLI SCI 200-400 level course
  - Psychology – any PSYCH or HUM DEV 200-400 level course
  - Sociology – any SOCIOL 200-400 level course

### Broad-Field Social Studies Concentration
- A concentration is required to teach upper level high school courses in a specific social studies subject area. To expand their license, students must complete 15 credits of course work in that subject area incl 9 credits at the 200, 300 or 400 level.

### Pre-Student Teaching Clinical Experience
- A min of 100 hours of clinical experience in school settings is required.

### Student Teaching Requirement (14 cr.)
- EDUC 405; Student Teaching, 18 weeks (12 cr.)
- EDUC 414; Seminar in Student Teaching (2 cr.)

### Act 31 Statutory Requirement
- EDUC 206 and EDUC 312 at UWGB
- OTHER: __________________

### Content Knowledge Competency (select 1):
- Maintain a 3.0 GPA in all coursework leading to licensure
- Complete and obtain a passing score on the PRAXIS II test #5081  
  ([www.ets.org](http://www.ets.org)).

**edTPA**
- Complete and obtain passing scores on the edTPA. Consult with your faculty advisor.

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