Social Studies Grades 7-12

BA Adolescent Teacher Education and Teacher Certification

Fall Entry into the Program

Full-time students complete the program in 5 semesters ********** **Transfer students complete the program in 4 semesters**	**Getting Started**	**Costs**
	☐Schedule an appointment with an Adolescent Teacher Education Adviser	
	☐Declare the BA Major in Your Content Core: *Africana Studies B.A., Anthropology B.A, Economics B.A., Geography B.A., History B.A., Latin American and Caribbean Studies B.A., Latino Studies, B.A., Political Science B.A., Psychology B.A., and Sociology B.A.*	
	☐Declare the BA Adolescent Teacher Education Major - click here	
	☐Fingerprinting and Background Check – click here	$104.50
Course Permissions	Getting Permissions in CUNYFirst to register for ESC Courses – click here	
Freshman-Sophomore Block	**Begin Exploring Your Interests in Middle and High School Education**	
	☐ESC 201 (3 cr.) Psychological Foundations of Education (+20 field hours)	
The Middle and High School Education Minor		
Fall I	☐ESC 302 (3 cr.) Social Foundations (+20 field hours) ☐*ESC 311 (3 cr.) Academic Discourse Communities **ESC 311 may be taken concurrently with ESC 470 and ESC 471, but only with permission granted by the MHSE Adviser*	

Spring I	☐ESC 429 (3 cr.) Teaching Language and Literacy ☐ESC 434 (3 cr.) Teaching U.S. History and Government (+25 field hours)	
BA Adolescent Teacher Education Major		
Continuation of BA – Adolescent Teacher Education Major and NYS Initial Certification	☐ To continue, you must have a minimum 3.0 GPA in your overall record or qualify for a GPA exemption. ☐ Be sure to check in with an adviser once per semester ➢ ☐ Consult with adviser when to complete NYS CST and EAS Exams ➢ ☐ Consult with adviser when to complete NYS Mandated Workshops ➢ ☐ Consult with adviser when to complete application for student teaching	
Fall II	☐ESC 463 (3 cr.) Teaching Students with Disabilities (+15 field hours) ☐ESC 433 (3 cr.) Teaching World History and Geography ☐ESC 476 (1 cr.) Field Hours I (Required co-requisite with Methods II) (+25 field hours)	
Prepare for student teaching in your last semester.	**<u>Getting Ready for Student Teaching</u>**	**Costs**
	☐ Provide evidence that you completed all the pre-requisite social science courses to your adviser: ☐Anthropology ☐ Economics ☐ Geography ☐ Political Science ☐ Psychology ☐ Sociology	
	☐ *Provide completed fieldwork documents. **At least 100 hours of fieldwork must be successfully completed, documented AND submitted to an MHSE adviser to be eligible for student teaching.*	
	☐Pass the Content Specialty Test (CST) – click here to register for the exam	$122.00
	☐Pass the Educating All Students Test (EAS) – click here to register for the exam	$80.00

	☐Apply to student teaching by either April 1 or November 1 **<u>The deadline is the semester before</u> – click <u>here</u>**	
Spring II	**<u>Student teaching experience of 14 weeks in middle and high schools</u>** ☐*ESC 470 (3 cr.) Student Teaching ☐ESC 471 (3 cr.) Seminar **All coursework (content major and adolescent teacher major as well as required LEH courses) must be successfully completed to be eligible for student teaching (ESC 470) unless there are extenuating circumstances approved by the MHSE adviser.* **To be eligible for student teaching (ESC 470), the student teacher candidate must have a minimum overall 3.0 GPA.* **Student teaching (ESC 470) is like a job without a salary. You are placed with a cooperating teacher in a school near Lehman College and you are there from 7:30am-3:00pm five days a week for 14 weeks (the entire semester). You teach, write lesson plans, create quizzes and tests, grade papers and assessments, manage 5 classes, etc. You must complete all coursework prior to student teaching.*	
	<u>Getting Ready to Exit the Program</u>	
	☐Establish your TEACH Account – click <u>here</u>	FREE
	NYS Mandated Workshops – click <u>here</u>	
NYS Mandated Workshops	☐Verify DASA Training is posted in your TEACH Account.	$89.00
	☐Verify Child Abuse Workshop is posted in your TEACH Account.	$69.00
	☐Verify School Violence Protection Workshop is posted to your TEACH Account.	$69.00
	<u>Getting Initial Certification</u>	
Completion	☐Meet with a certification officer – click <u>here</u>	