

# BACHELOR OF ARTS, MAJOR IN EDUCATIONAL STUDIES

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Bachelor of Arts, Major in Educational Studies</b>		
<b>Core Curriculum (<a href="https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/">https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/</a>)</b>		
	Component Area I (Communication)	6
	Component Area II (Mathematics) <sup>1</sup>	3
	Component Area III (Life and Physical Science)	8
	Component Area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture)	3
	Component Area V (Creative Arts)	3
	Component Area VI (U.S. History)	6
	Component Area VII (Political Science/Government)	6
	Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences)	3
	Component Area IX (Component Area Option) <sup>2</sup>	4
<b>Degree Specific Requirements</b>		
LETE 1301	Technology in Education	3
LETE 1303	Learning Technology Tools	3
LETE 2302	Multimedia Learning: Design & Development	3
PHIL 2303	Critical Thinking <sup>1</sup>	3
PSYC 3374	Developmental Psychology	3
<b>Major: Foundation</b>		
BESL 2301	Multicultural Influence On Learning	3
COUN 3322	Career Development	3
EDST 2302	Histories of Education	3
EDST 2303	Comparative Education	3
EDST 2304	Industry and Education	3
EDST 3301	Change in Education	3
EDST 3303	Science of Learning	3
EDST 3304	Designing Learning	3
EDST 4303	Program Evaluation in Education	3
EDST 4367	Capstone in Educational Studies	6
LETE 3301	Learning and Technology Foundations	3
LETE 3302	Designing Learning Experiences	3
SOCI 3344	Sociology of Education	3
SPED 2301	Introduction to Special Education	3
Minor: Required <sup>2</sup>		18-24
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>120-126</b>

<sup>1</sup> Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavior Science).

<sup>2</sup> All minors can be paired with this degree program.

## Notes

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**First Year**

<b>Fall</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Hours</b>
Component Area II ( <a href="https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaii">https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaii</a> )		3 Component Area III ( <a href="https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaiii">https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaiii</a> )	4
Component Area III ( <a href="https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaiii">https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaiii</a> )		4 Component Area V ( <a href="https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareav">https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareav</a> )	3
Component Area IX ( <a href="https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaix">https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaix</a> )		1 EDST 2304	3
ENGL 1301 <sup>1</sup>		3 ENGL 1302 <sup>1</sup>	3
HSTY 1301 <sup>2</sup>		3 HSTY 1302 <sup>2</sup>	3
		<b>14</b>	<b>16</b>

**Second Year**

<b>Fall</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Hours</b>
Component Area IV ( <a href="https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaiiv">https://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaiiv</a> )		3 BESL 2301	3
EDST 2302		3 EDST 3301	3
LETE 1301		3 LETE 1303	3
PHIL 2303 <sup>3</sup>		3 POLS 2306 <sup>4</sup>	3
POLS 2305 <sup>4</sup>		3 SPED 2301	3
		<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>

**Third Year**

<b>Fall</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Hours</b>
EDST 2303		3 Component Area IX	3
LETE 2302		3 EDST 2303	3
Minor		6 LETE 3301	3
PSYC 3374		3 Minor	6
		SOCI 3344	3
		<b>15</b>	<b>18</b>

**Fourth Year**

<b>Fall</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Hours</b>
EDST 3304		3 EDST 4303	3
EDST 4367		3 EDST 4367	3
LETE 3301		3 LETE 3302	3
Minor		6-9 Minor	3-6
		<b>15-18</b>	<b>12-15</b>

**Total Hours: 120-126**<sup>1</sup> Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area I (Communication).<sup>2</sup> Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VI (U.S. History).<sup>3</sup> Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Science).<sup>4</sup> Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VII (Political Science/Government).**Notes**

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The BA, Major in Educational Studies is designed to provide graduates with the following marketable skills:

- Analyze educational theory, research, and practice.
- Examine education policy and issues from multiple perspectives.
- Apply social-science methods and data analytic techniques for solving problems in education.
- Analyze educational issues from diverse perspectives.