

4-8 Generalist Certification

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE UNIVERSITY
Department of Elementary Education

Tentative Plan

- I. Core Curriculum.....47-48 hrs
- A. **12-13 hrs. Communication**
1. **English Rhetoric/Composition:**.....6 hrs
3 hours from ENG 131, 132, 133, 235
 2. **Communication Skills:**6-7 hrs
3 hrs from BCM 247 or COM 111
3-4 hrs from: FRE 131, 132; ILA 111, 112;
SPA 131, 132; or SPH 172, 272 or
ENG 273 (Technical Writing)
- B. **3 hrs. Mathematics**.....3 hrs+
MTH 127 (more hours are required in another area)
- C. **8 hrs. Natural Sciences**.....8 hrs
CHE /PHY 125 & L and BIO 121 & L OR GOL 131 & L
- D. **6 Hrs. Humanities & Visual And Performing Arts**.....6 hrs
1. **Visual and Performing Arts:**
Art 280
 2. **Other (Literature)**
3 hours From ENG 200, 211, 212, 221, 222, 300
- E. **15 Hrs. Social And Behavioral Sciences**15 hrs
1. **U.S. History:** HIS 133, His 134
 2. **Political Science:** PSC 141, 142
 3. **Social/Behavioral Science:** GEO 131
- F. **Institutionally Designated Options**.....3 hrs
HMS 138 (1 hr) KIN Physical Activity (2 hrs)
- II. INTERDISCIPLINARY ACADEMIC MAJOR.....41 hrs
Subject to change based on State Board of Educator Certification Guidelines

Social Sciences: HIS 335 and HMS 445.....**6 hrs**

Math: MTH 128 and

TWO of the following

MTH 129, 138, or 220**9 hrs**

Science: Take 2 of the following:

CHE 302, GOL 406, PHY 410, or BIO 301.....**8 hrs**

Reading: 318, 314, 320, 322, 390*, RDG 416***18 hrs**

Total 41 hrs

*Taken with internship

III. PREPROFESSIONAL TEACHER EDUCATION...12 hrs

SPE 329, EPS 380, ELE 304,

MLG 400 (Taken in the semester prior to Intern I)

IV. PROFESSIONAL TEACHER EDUCATION.....21 hrs

Intern I.....MLG 401 & L, 402, 423 and RDG 390.....**7 hrs +3**

Intern II.....MLG 403 & L, 422, 424 and RDG 416.....**7 hrs +3**

Student Teaching.**7 hrs**

Total for 4-8 Generalist Degree = 121-122 hrs