

**Central Connecticut State University
School of Education**

Degree: Bachelor of Science (Certifiable for Secondary Education)

Program: History/Social Sciences

Effective Term: Fall 2025

Name: _____

ID#: _____

General Education: Ways of Understanding:

Arts & Humanities (9 credits)

	Credits	Grade
Literature	3	
	3	
	3	

Social & Behavioral Sciences (12 credits)

HIST from major	X	
PS 104 or 110 The World's Political Systems or American Government & Politics	X	
GEOG 110 Introduction to Geography	X	
PSY 136 Life-Span Development	X	

Math & Natural Sciences (9-10 credits)

MATH or STAT course numbered 102 or higher	3	
Lab Science	3-4	
	3	

General Education: Essential Skills:

Written & Oral Communication (6 credits)

WRT 105 or WRT 110 Intro to Coll WRT	3	
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World Language (0-6 credits) or Gen Ed Free Elective (3 credits)

World Language course numbered 112 or 118* or Gen Ed Free Elective	3	
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Thriving in College (2-3 credits)

CCSU 102, 103, or FYE course**	2-3	
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A maximum of 16 credits (4 courses) applied towards Ways of Understanding and Essential Skills requirements may be used to fulfill a major and/or minor requirement.

International & Equity, Justice, & Inclusion (EJI) Requirements:

International	3	
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Equity, Justice, & Inclusion***	3	

Coursework applied toward International & EJI requirements may be used in any other area of general education or program requirements. **Honors Program:** HON courses can be used to fulfill certain general education requirements. Consult the Honors Program curriculum for details.

Residency Requirements: A minimum of 30 credits overall must be completed in residence, with at least 15 credits in the major (at least 12 of which must be at the 300 level or above) and 9 credits in a minor at Central. In residence means attending classes conducted on campus or under supervision of Central.

Major Requirements (39 credits)

Requires grade of C- or higher, unless otherwise specified.
At least 15 credits of HIST must be at the 400 level.

HIST 101 History Matters	1	
HIST 301 The Historical Imagination	4	
HIST 490 Senior Seminar	4	
NON-WESTERN HISTORY (6 credits at the 200-400 level) 3 credits must appear on state approved non-western history course list		
HIST	3	
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EUROPEAN HISTORY (6 credits at the 200-400 level)		
HIST	3	
HIST	3	
US HISTORY (12 credits at the 200-400 level)		
HIST 401 US History for Teachers	3	
HIST	3	
HIST	3	
HIST	3	
HISTORY ELECTIVE (3 credits at 100 level)		
HIST (121 recommended)	3	
WORLD HISTORY FOR TEACHERS:		
HIST 410 World History for Teachers	3	

Social Science Requirements (12 credits)

PS 104 or 110	3	
ECON 200 Principles of Macroeconomics	3	
ECON 201 Principles of Microeconomics	3	
GEOG 110 Introduction to Geography	3	

Related Requirements (6 credits)

PSY 136 Life-Span Development	3	
EDF 215 Education in a Multicultural Society	3	

Professional Education Requirements (28 credits)

Requires grade of C or higher

EDTE 316 Princ of Learning Diverse Settings (Secondary)	4	
SPED 315 Introduction to Educating Learners with Exceptionalities	3	
EDT 315 Ed Tech in Secondary School Classroom	1	
LLA 440 Literacy in the Secondary School	3	
EDSC 425 Multicultural, Interdisciplinary Teaching at the Secondary Level	3	
SSCI 415 Social Studies Methods at Secondary Level	3	
SSCI 416 Fieldwork in Secondary Social Studies Ed	1	
EDSC 435 Secondary Ed Student Teaching	9	
SSCI 421 Social Studies Student Teaching Seminar	1	

Coursework applied toward Related or Additional requirements may be used in any other area of general education or program requirements.

Free Electives may be used, as needed, to reach the total credits required for the degree when all other degree requirements have been met.

Total Credits Required for Degree: 120

* Students with 3 years, or more, of one world language at the high school level, a passing score on a world language placement exam, or native proficiency in a language other than English will have the World Language requirement waived and can satisfy this requirement with any general education free elective course (3cr).

** Transfer students with 24 or more transfer credits at the time of admission can satisfy this requirement with any general education free elective (3cr).

*** Waived for transfer students with 50 or more transfer credits at the time of admission.