

Middle Grades Teacher Licensure

Requirements

Introductory Courses

TEP 207	Foundations of American Education	3
TEP 223	Adolescent Development for Teachers	3
TEP 224	Exceptional Child for Teachers	3
TEP 227	Educational Psychology for Teachers	3
Total Hours		12

Core Courses

TEP 305	Technology For Teaching	3
TEP 315	Advanced Classroom Management	3
TEP 318	Curriculum, Planning, and Assessment	3
Total Hours		9

Methods Courses ¹

TEP 405	Teaching in the Middle School	3
TEP 419	Content Area Literacy Methods	3

Select one of the following depending on licensure area **3**

TEP 435	English Methods for Middle and Secondary Grades	
TEP 436	Mathematics Methods for Middle and Secondary Grades	
TEP 437	Science Methods for Middle and Secondary Grades	
TEP 438	Social Studies Methods for Middle and Secondary Grades	

Total Hours		9
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¹ TEP 301 is a prerequisite for all TEP 400 level courses

Content Area Endorsements

Middle Grades candidates choose one of the following content:

- English Language Arts
- Math
- Science
- Social Science

Student Teaching

Middle Grades candidates who have completed all general education requirements; all introductory, core, and methods courses; and all course work for their content area, and all other requirements will be eligible to complete student teaching. The student teaching semester includes two courses. Candidates must consult with their advisor to determine which set of student teaching courses is appropriate.

Requirements

Select one set of the following depending on licensure area: **12**

TEP 448	Elementary and Middle Grades Student Teaching Seminar
TEP 450	ECCE: Student Teaching - Elementary and Middle Grade

OR

TEP 449	Middle Grade and High School Student Teaching Seminar
TEP 451	ECCE: Student Teaching - Middle Grade and High School

Total Hours		12
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Candidates are required to apply for student teaching. Applications are to be completed within the prescribed time frame. Candidates must complete a state and federal background check as directed by the host district prior to the start of student teaching.