

2009-2010 CURRICULUM CHECK SHEET is a guide to the requirements of this major. **It is NOT necessary to take these courses in the order given.** Please consult the online Bulletin for specific details (<http://www.lasierra.edu/academics/bulletin>).

		FALL	WINTER	SPRING
FIRST YEAR	* The Language of Art (ARTA 205)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IIA</i>	_____	_____	_____
	* Introduction to Physics (PHYS 117)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IVB</i>	_____	_____	_____
	* Race, Ethnicity & Class in American Society (HPSC 106)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Dimensions of Health (HLED 214)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IB</i>	_____	_____	_____
	OR Human Biology (BIOL 107)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IVA</i>	_____	_____	_____
	OR Human Anatomy and Physiology I (5 units) <i>Meets Theme IVA</i>	_____	_____	_____
	* Seminar In Multiple Subject Matter I (LBST 105)(0.5 unit)	_____	_____	_____
	* Teaching in the Multicultural Classroom (EDCI 204)(3 units)	_____	_____	_____
	First Year Seminar (UNST 101/100)(2-6 units)	_____	_____	_____
	College Writing (ENGL 111, 112, 113)(9 units) OR (ENGL 124)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Math Foundational Studies requirement. (MATH 121)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Lifetime Fitness (PEAC 120)(2 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme IC: Globalization, Identity, & Citizenship. <i>Choose 1 course from:</i>	_____	_____	_____
	SSCI 104, 105, 106, 107 (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
Theme III: Religious Beliefs and Practice (4 units)	_____	_____	_____	
SECOND YEAR	* Psychological Foundations of Education (EDFO 305)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Elementary School Physical Education (PETH 384)(3 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Music in the Classroom (MUED 315)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Developmental Psychology (PSYC 234)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IA</i>	_____	_____	_____
	* The Western Intellectual Traditions HIST 105 OR PHIL 204 (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Concepts of Mathematics (MATH 202)(4 units) OR (MATH 155)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* English 8 units (4 upper division) select from: ENGL 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 224, 225, 338, 339, 405, 406, 407, 414, 415, 416, 425, 445, 446, 457, 458, 459, 487A, 487B, 490	_____	_____	_____
	* Music Appreciation (MUHL 205)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IIA</i>	_____	_____	_____
	* The Construction of American Political Life (HPSC 274)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IIB</i>	_____	_____	_____
	* Seminar In Multiple Subject Matter II (LBST 205)(0.5 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme IIC: Expl. Amer. Culture through Visual and Perf. Arts (HUMN 205)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme III: Religious Beliefs and Practice (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Apply to Teacher Education Program	_____	_____	_____
THIRD YEAR	* Teacher Performance Assessment Seminar (EDCI 498)(1 unit)	_____	_____	_____
	* Classroom Management (EDCI 410 & Lab)(3 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Reading K-8 (EDCI 414 & Lab)(5 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Mathematics K-8 (EDCI 415 & Lab)(3 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Language and Literacy K-12 (EDCI 416)(3 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Culture, Society, Religion and Ethics (EDCI 417)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Science & Health (EDCI 418)(2 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Advanced Expository Writing (ENGL 304) (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Advanced Grammar and Style (ENGL 482)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Language & Linguistics (ENGL 484)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Physical & Human Geography (GEOG 276)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Earth and Space Science (GEOL 316)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IVB</i>	_____	_____	_____
	* Concentration Courses: <i>see concentration guide</i> [20 units](4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	World Language Foundational Studies requirement (Proficiency through 201)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme III: Religious Beliefs and Practice. <i>Choose 1 course from:</i>	_____	_____	_____
RLGN 304, 305 (4 units)	_____	_____	_____	
FOURTH YEAR	* Student Teaching in Elementary School (EDCI 425)(18 units)	_____	_____	_____
	* Survey of Biological Principles (BIOL 327)(4 units) <i>Meets Theme IVA</i>	_____	_____	_____
	* Concentration Courses (16 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme III: Religious Beliefs and Practice (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	<i>Must be in Scripture, Theme IIIC, unless previously taken</i>	_____	_____	_____
	Theme IVC: Scientific Foundations: Choose one course from the following:	_____	_____	_____
	NSCI 404, 405, 406, 407 (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
Theme V: Religious, Moral & Social Aspects of Education (UNST 404Q)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____	
* Major Requirements (127 units, including 20 units in area of concentration) Consult Credentials Analyst for information regarding SDA credentials.				

LIBERAL STUDIES

B.A. Degree

Multiple Subjects Credential

This program helps students prepare for the CSET Multiple Subject Test, but it does not guarantee that they will achieve certification.

NOTE: Students who elect this program should consult with the Co-director of the program for up-to-date changes.

A formal application must be made to the Department of Curriculum and Instruction in the School of Education for admission into the Teacher Education Preparation Program. Students should make this application immediately upon deciding to enter teacher training.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AND RELATED OCCUPATIONS: This degree which includes the Teacher Education Program enables students to teach grades K-8. One may build upon this degree to continue graduate studies in other educational fields.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS: For teachers, B.A. degree and additional study will be required over a period of years. Twelve units every five years is usually required to renew a denominational certificate.

JOB OUTLOOK: Job opportunities for teachers over the next 10 years will vary from good to excellent, depending on locality, grade level, and subject taught. Job prospects should be better in inner cities and rural areas than in suburban districts. Through 2014, overall student enrollments in elementary, middle, and secondary schools- a key factor in the demand for teachers- are expected to rise more slowly than in the past as children of the baby boom generation leave the school system.

ENTERING SALARY: The Pacific Union Conference entering wage level for credentialed teachers in 2008 ranges from \$39,748 to \$49,175 depending on the area of employment.

In 2008, the average entering salaries for credentialed teachers in the Inland Empire begin at **\$44,500**. Those with a Master's degree and more experience an average of about **\$77,000** a year.

SOURCES OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Websites:

La Sierra University

<http://www.lasierra.edu/>

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School of Education

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Professional Organizations:

California Commission on
Teacher Credentialing
www.ctc.ca.gov

Local Conference Office
Education Department

Ntl. Council for Accreditation of
Teacher Education
2010 Massachusetts Ave. NW
Suite 500
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