

SECONDARY EDUCATION MAJOR (BS)

Department website (<https://www.uwp.edu/learn/programs/education-secondary.cfm>)

College: College of Social Sciences & Professional Studies

Requirements for the Secondary Education Major (73-118 Credits and 170 clinical hours)

Early Adolescence – Adolescence Licensure: age 10-21, grades 6-12

The secondary education major is designed for UW-Parkside students who wish to teach in a content area classroom at the middle and/or high school level. The completion of the major will lead to a bachelor of science degree with a major in secondary education. In addition to the secondary education major, students must also complete an approved content major in the field in which they would like to teach.

Required Major Courses

Code	Title	Credits
Pre-Professional Sequence		
EDU 100	Introduction to the Teaching Profession	1
EDU 200	Teaching the Whole Child	1
EDU 211	Child and Adolescent Development	3
Pre-Professional Sequence Subtotal		5
Developing Expertise Sequence		
EDU 300	Creating Effective Learning Environments	1
EDU 304	Context and Culture In Learning Environments	3
EDU 310	Family, School, and Community Partnerships	1
EDU 312	Designing Learning Curriculum	2
EDU 314	Assessment of Learning	2
EDU 322	Teaching Exceptional Learners	3
Developing Expertise Sequence Subtotal		12
Demonstrating Expertise in Practice Sequence		
EDU 402	Instructional Models and Strategies	3
EDU 412	Literacy Development	3
EDU 430	Using Action Research to Improve Instruction	2
EDU 440	Teacher Preparation Portfolio Design	2
Demonstrating Expertise in Practice Sequence Subtotal		10
The Residency		
EDU 420	Residency Seminar	2
EDU 425	Residency (Student Teaching)	10
The Residency Subtotal		12
Required Content Major		
Choose one content major ¹		34-79
Required Content Major Subtotal		34-79
Total Credits		73-118

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Check with the teacher education advisor for the most up-to-date list of approved content majors.

Required Content Major

- Biological Sciences (76-79 credits)
- Chemistry (71 credits)
- Geosciences with a concentration in Earth Science (71 credits)
- English with a concentration in Language Arts (43 credits)
- Geography (40-46 credits)
- History (39 credits)
- Mathematics (40-46 credits)
- Political Science (34 credits)
- Sociology (38 credits)

General University Degree Requirements (Bachelor's Degree)

In addition to individual program requirements, students must also fulfill the following requirements:

Requirement	Credits
Skills	7-8
General Education	36
Foreign Language**	6-8
Ethnic Diversity	3
Total	52-55

** Transfer students in sustainable management, and health information management and technology collaborative, online degree-completion programs, the business management online degree-completion program, and the flexible option degree-completion program will be exempt from the university's foreign language requirement. See appropriate academic section for further information.

Skills Requirement (<https://catalog.uwp.edu/policies/#skills>)

Code	Title	Credits
Reading and Writing		
ENGL 101	Composition and Reading	3
Computational Skills		
Select one of the following:		4-5
MATH 102	Survey of Mathematics	
MATH 103	Elementary Statistics	
MATH 104	Quantitative Reasoning	
MATH 111	College Algebra I	
Total Credits		7-8

General Education (<https://catalog.uwp.edu/policies/#general>)

- General Education Course List (<https://catalog.uwp.edu/programs/general-education-program/#coursestext>)

Foreign Language (<https://catalog.uwp.edu/policies/#language>)

Ethnic Diversity (<https://catalog.uwp.edu/policies/#ethnic>)

Degree Requirements

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Requirement	Credits
Minimum Total Credits	120
Upper Level Credits (300 level or above)	36
Residency	30 of final 60

Cumulative Degree GPA: 2.0 minimum