



Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education

Highly Qualified Mathematics

Degree Requirements

TOTAL MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED: 140

Courses are listed by category, not in the order they should be taken. See Faculty Advisor for sequence.

Name: _____

Student ID: _____

Advisor: _____

Date Prepared: _____

- Grades must be a C or better in Major
- Degree Planner for catalog year 2012-13

General Education Requirements (44 credits)

Communications (9 credits)

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| ENG 101 | English Composition I * | 3 hrs | |
| <i>* Note: ACU English Proficiency and placement required</i> | | | |
| ENG 102 | English Composition II | 3 hrs | |
| COM 201 | Oral Communication | 3 hrs | |

Arts and Humanities (9 credits)

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| PHI 201 | Ethics | 3 hrs | |
| <i>Select two courses from the following:</i> | | | |
| CMI 102 | Intercultural Studies | 3 hrs | |
| COM 204 | Introduction to Film | 3 hrs | |
| EED 202 | Introduction to Art and Music | 3 hrs | |
| ENG 201 | Introduction to Literature | 3 hrs | |
| MUS 341 | Music History and Literature I | 3 hrs | |
| PHI 101 | Philosophy | 3 hrs | |
| PHI 301 | Logic | 3 hrs | |

Behavioral and Social Sciences (9 credits)

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| <i>Select one course from the following:</i> | | | |
| HIS 212 | US and Arizona Governments | 3 hrs | |
| <i>Select two courses from the following:</i> | | | |
| BEH, ECO, HIS, POL, PSY, FAM | BEH (Behavioral Studies), ECO (Economics), HIS (History), POL (Political Science), PSY (Psychology), FAM (Family Studies) | 6 hrs | |

Biological and Physical Sciences (8 Credits)

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| <i>Must select one Biology (4 credits) from the following:</i> | | | |
| BIO 100 | Survey of Biological Science with Lab | 4 hrs | |
| BIO 181 | General Biology I with Lab | 4 hrs | |
| <i>Must select one Physical Science (4 credits) from the following:</i> | | | |
| AST 100 | Introduction to Astronomy with Lab | 4 hrs | |
| CHM 151 | General Chemistry I with Lab | 4 hrs | |
| GEO 101 | Introduction to Geography with Lab | 4 hrs | |
| PHY 111 | General Physics I with Lab | 4 hrs | |
| PSC 100 | Survey of Physical Science with Lab | 4 hrs | |

Mathematics* (3 credits)

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| MAT 112 | College Algebra* (HQ) | 3 hrs | |
| <i>*ACU mathematics proficiency and placement required</i> | | | |

Technological Literacy (3 credits)

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| EDU 420 | Educational Technology | 3 hrs | |
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Biblical Integration (3 credits)

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| CMI 101 | Spiritual Life in Community | 3 hrs | |
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Bible Minor (18 credits)

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| BIB 101 | Biblical Interpretation | 3 hrs | |
| BIB 104 | Genesis-Song of Solomon | 3 hrs | |
| BIB 108 | Prophets | 3 hrs | |
| BIB 207 | Gospels | 3 hrs | |
| BIB 208 | Acts-Revelation | 3 hrs | |
| BIB 304 | Theology | 3 hrs | |

Academic Major (39 credits)

Professional Requirements

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| EDU 300 | Tests and Measurements | 3 hrs | |
| EDU 311 | Philosophy & Foundations of Education | 3 hrs | |
| EDU 312 | Human Development | 3 hrs | |
| EDU 314 | Introduction to the Exceptional Child | 3 hrs | |
| EDU 315 | Educational Psychology | 3 hrs | |
| EDU 317 | Curriculum & Instruction | 3 hrs | |
| EDU 415 | Classroom Management | 3 hrs | |
| EED 315 | Teach/Reading/Decoding Elem School | 3 hrs | |
| EED 410 | Directed Student Teaching | 12 hrs | |
| HIS 103 | US History I | 3 hrs | |
| HIS 104 | OR US History II | | |

Electives (39 credits) *

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| EED 313* | Language Arts in the Elementary School | 3 hrs | |
| EED 314* | Science & S.S. in Elementary School | 3 hrs | |
| EED 417* | Math in the Elementary School | 3 hrs | |
| ENG430* | Children's Literature | 3 hrs | |
| SEI 201* | Intro to Structured English Immersion | 3 hrs | |
| SEI 490* | Structured English Immersion Methods | 3 hrs | |
| <i>*21 additional elective courses chosen in consultation with faculty advisor.</i> | | | |

**Elective Courses mandated by state and federal requirements.*

Note: This is a degree audit checklist only and represents the requirements in effect at the time of publication. This checklist is a shortened form of the more detailed requirements specified in the current ACU Academic Catalog. The checklist should be updated each semester or session with completed classes as a quick review of coursework needed to complete the major and degree. Major requirements and offerings may change at the discretion of ACU and the Department. Please see the current ACU Catalog for more details, including additional graduation requirements.

*In order to be prepared to be highly qualified, students should complete all courses designated as highly qualified (HQ) plus the electives for a total of not less than 24 credit hours in the content area.

ADMITTANCE TO THE EDUCATION DEGREE PROGRAM

In order to become a candidate for the Education degree, students must complete the requirements set by the respective Department for which they are applying. Students may apply during the semester they complete the requirements and reach a total of at least 45 semester hours.

Transfer students who will have 60 transferable credits upon transfer must declare a major when submitting their application and must be selected for admission to the major at the time of application. A "hold" may be placed on registration until the student officially declares a major. See each Department's specific section in the ACU Catalog for details.

Admission to Arizona Christian University does not guarantee acceptance into the Education Program.

REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION

A candidate for graduation must fulfill the following requirements:

1. Evidence Christian character through stability and cooperation in accomplishing the objectives of the college.
2. Complete the minimum required courses for a given program. At least 30 of the total hours shall have been taken at Arizona Christian University for the award of any degree. Bachelor degree students are expected to be in residence for the last two semesters preceding graduation. At least 36 hours of course requirements must be upper level (300-400).
3. Take the Bible Content Exam.
4. Earn an overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 in all certificate and degree programs (except for the Education Program that requires an overall GPA of 2.5) and a GPA of 2.5 in the major courses in all bachelor degree programs.
5. Complete Christian Service with satisfactory performance.
6. Fulfill all requirements in the chosen field of study.
7. File an application for graduation through the Registrar's Office before the deadline dates outlined in the ACU Catalog. A non-refundable graduation fee must be paid in the Business Office and the receipt for the fee must accompany the application for graduation.
8. Pay in full all outstanding accounts or make satisfactory arrangements with the Business Office.
9. Receive approval for graduation from the Faculty and Board of Trustees.

All students are required to complete satisfactorily all requirements prior to participation in Commencement exercises. Please refer to the ACU Catalog for more details.

***Students seeking elementary or secondary education certification must consult the Education Department pages of the current ACU catalog and their Faculty Advisor for additional modifications to the general education requirements for education majors.*

Note: *Courses are arranged in a sequence. If you decide to take courses out of sequence, you may not be able to meet the requirements to graduate on time. This checklist is provided for informational purposes only. Class availability is determined by ACU and may change without notice. This page is not an official publication of Arizona Christian University and does not constitute a contract. Please see the ACU catalog and current Student Handbook for more specific information concerning university and program policies which may supersede those listed here. Major requirements should be checked both in the catalog and with the major department. While academic advisement is available, it is the student's responsibility to see that all requirements are met. ACU reserves the right to change the information and requirements without notice.*