



This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designated as critical (in boldface and shaded areas) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Div.	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Important Notes
Semester One: [18 Credit Hours]					
CHEM 10060 General Chemistry I	4		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Basic Sciences
CHEM 10062 General Chemistry Laboratory I	1		C	■	
MATH 11010 Algebra for Calculus	3				Fulfills Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning
PSYC 11762 General Psychology	3				Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences and domestic diversity requirement
US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience	1				Not required of transfer students with 25 credits
Kent Core Requirements	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Kent Core Requirements	3				
Semester Two: [17 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: successful completion of Praxis I Reading (score 174), Writing (score 172) and Mathematics (score 174)					
CULT 29535 Education in a Democratic Society	3		C		
CHEM 10061 General Chemistry II	4		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Basic Sciences
CHEM 10063 General Chemistry Laboratory II	1		C	■	
MATH 11022 Trigonometry	3				Fulfills Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning
SOC 12050 Introduction to Sociology	3				Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences and domestic diversity requirement
Kent Core Requirements	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Semester Three: [17 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum cumulative 2.750 GPA by end of term and minimum C grade and 2.600 major GPA					
EPSY 29525 Educational Psychology	3		C		
MATH 12002 Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5				Fulfills Kent Core Additional
PHY 23101 General University Physics I	5		C	■	
CHEM 20481 Basic Organic Chemistry I	4		C	■	Typically offered in spring and summer
Semester Four: [17 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA and minimum 2.600 major GPA					
Note: apply online for Advanced Study by the second Friday of the term					
PHY 23102 General University Physics II	5		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Basic Sciences
BSCI 10120 Biological Foundations	4		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Basic Sciences
MATH 12003 Analytical Geometry and Calculus II	5		C		
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Semester Five: [18 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA and minimum 2.600 major GPA; Note: apply for student teaching					
ADED 32142 Principles of Teaching Adolescents	3	■	C		Fulfills writing intensive requirements; offered in fall only
ITEC 19525 Educational Technology	3		C		
CHEM 30105 Analytical Chemistry I	3	■	C	■	Offered in fall only
CI 47330 Reading and Writing in Adolescence	3	■	C		
PHIL 11001 Introduction to Philosophy	3				Fulfills Kent Core Humanities and global diversity requirement
SPED 23000 Introduction to Exceptionalities	3		C		Fulfills domestic diversity requirement


Critical requirements are boldface in shaded areas

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Semester Six: [17 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA and minimum 2.600 major GPA					
ADED 32277 Teaching Science in Secondary Schools	3	■	C		
CHEM 30284 Introduction to Biological Chemistry	4	■	C	■	Typically offered in spring and summer
CHEM 30301 Inorganic Chemistry I	2	■	C	■	Offered in spring only
PHY 21430 Frontiers in Astronomy	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Basic Sciences
PHY 30020 Intermediate Physics Laboratory	2	■	C	■	Fulfills writing-intensive course requirement
PHY 36001 Introduction to Modern Physics	3	■	C	■	
Semester Seven: [16-17 Credit Hours]					
Requirements: minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA and minimum 2.600 major GPA; Note: apply for graduation					
ADED 42277 Topics in Secondary School Science	3	■	C		
ADED 42292 Field Work Practicum	3	■	C		Fulfills experiential learning requirement
CHEM 40567 Basics of Physical Chemistry	4	■	C	■	Offered in fall only
GEOG 31062 Fundamentals of Meteorology	3	■	C	■	
PHY 32511 Electronics or PHY 36002 Applications of Modern Physics	3-4	■	C	■	
Semester Eight: [12 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA and minimum 2.600 major GPA					
ADED 42357 Secondary Student Teaching	9	■	S		Fulfills experiential learning requirement
ADED 49525 Inquiry into Professional Practice	3	■	C		

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Global / Domestic Diversity Course	Writing-Intensive	Experiential Learning	Minimum Major GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
132	39	36	SPED 23000 / PHIL 11001	ADED 32142	ADED 42292 or ADED 42357	2.600	2.750

Kent Core Summary

Kent Core Categories	Important Notes	Remaining Credit Hours
Composition (6-8 credit hours) <i>ENG 11002, 11011, 21011; HONR 10197, 10297</i>	Enrollment based on placement test; minimum grade of C must be earned in both courses	6-8
Mathematics and Critical Reasoning (3-5 credit hours)	Fulfilled in this major with MATH 11010 or MATH 11022	0
Humanities and Fine Arts (9 credit hours) <i>Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences and minimum one course from fine arts</i>	3 credit hours fulfilled in this major with PHY 11001	6
Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two curricular areas</i>	Fulfilled in this major with PSYC 11762 and SOC 12050	0
Basic Sciences (6-7 credit hours) <i>Must include one laboratory</i>	Fulfilled in this major with CHEM 10060 and 10062; and PHY 23101	0
Additional (6 credit hours)	Fulfilled in this major with MATH 12002; and PHY 21430 or 24001	0

Special Major Notes:

Licensure Requirement (not required for graduation):

Candidates seeking Ohio licensure are required to pass specific assessments in order to apply for licensure. See [Ohio Department of Education-Educator Preparation](#) website for more information on assessments specific to licensure type. Taking and passing the licensure tests prior to graduation is encouraged but not required. Students can pick up licensure packet in 304 White Hall for instructions on applying for teaching license.

Students who pass 15 credits of non-remedial academic coursework each fall and spring semester and the 1-credit First Year Experience course will accumulate 121 credits in four years. This major requires 132 credits for graduation. Students can stay on track for graduation by:

- Declaring their major as freshmen and completing all courses in sequence (bear in mind that switching majors may cause a delay in graduation);
- Prioritizing required courses above electives;
- Meeting regularly with their academic advisors to stay on track;
- Passing each required course the first time attempted and maintaining the minimal GPA for the major;
- Successfully completing more than 15 credit hours of relevant coursework (field-based work, internship) during academic semesters; and/or
- Completing relevant coursework (field-based work, internship) during summer sessions.



Kent Core

Students must complete a minimum 36 credit hours of the Kent Core. Certain courses required in programs and in student's major field may also fulfill the Kent Core. Honors equivalents shall satisfy the Kent Core. None of the courses on the Kent Core list may be taken with a pass/fail grade. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core for course list.

Diversity Course Requirement

Students must complete a two-course diversity requirement, consisting of one with a domestic (U.S.) focus and one with a global focus. One course must come from the Kent Core. The second course may be taken as a second Kent Core, within a major or minor, or as a general elective; or, with dean's approval, by completing one semester of study in another country. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity for course list.

Writing-Intensive Course Requirement

Students must complete a one-course writing-intensive requirement in their major and earn minimum C (2.000) grade. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/wic for course list.

Experiential Learning Requirement

To provide students with direct engagement in learning experiences that promote academic relevance, meaning and an understanding of real-world issues, students must complete this requirement at Kent State, either as a for-credit course or as a non-credit, non-course experience approved by the appropriate faculty member. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/elr for course list.

Upper-Division Requirement

Students must complete a minimum 39 upper-division (numbered 30000 to 49999) credit hours of coursework. Programs in the College of Arts and Sciences require a minimum of 42 hours of upper-division coursework.

