



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: [16 Credit Hours]					
ANTH 18210 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Additional and global diversity requirement
HIST 11050 World History: Ancient and Medieval	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Humanities and global diversity requirement
US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience	1				Not required for transfer students with 25 credits
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				
Kent Core Requirement	3				
Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Two: [15 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: successful completion of Praxis I Exam in Reading (174 score), Writing (172 score) and Mathematics (174 score)					
HIST 11051 World History: Modern	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Humanities and global diversity course requirement
POL 10100 American Politics	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences and domestic diversity requirement
PSYC 11762 General Psychology	3		C	■	
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Three: [18 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.600 major GPA; minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA by end of the term					
CULT 29535 Education in a Democratic Society	3		C		
ECON 22060 Principles of Microeconomics	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences
GEOG 10160 Introduction to Geography	3		C	■	
HIST 12070 History of the United States: The Formative Period	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Additional and domestic diversity requirement
SOC 12050 Introduction to Sociology	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences and domestic diversity requirement
Kent Core Requirements	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Semester Four: [15 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: apply online for Advanced Study by the second Friday of the term; minimum 2.750 GPA; minimum 2.600 major GPA					
EPSY 29525 Educational Psychology	3		C		
ECON 22061 Principles of Macroeconomics	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences
HIST 12071 History of the United States: The Modern Period	3		C	■	Fulfills Kent Core Humanities and domestic diversity requirement
SOC 22100 Sociological Analysis or SOC 22778 Social Problems or SOC 32400 Individual and Society or SOC 32570 Inequality in Societies	3		C	■	SOC 22778 fulfills global diversity requirement; SOC 32570 fulfills domestic diversity requirement
Geography Requirement	3	■	C	■	See note 1 on page 3
Semester Five: [15 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.600 major GPA; minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA					
Note: apply for student teaching					
ADED 32142 Principles of Teaching Adolescents	3	■	C		Fulfills writing-intensive course requirement; offered in fall only
POL 10004 Comparative Politics or POL 10500 World Politics or POL 20002 Political Thought	3		C	■	POL 10004 and POL 10005 fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences and domestic diversity requirement
SPED 23000 Introduction to Exceptionalities	3		C		Fulfills domestic diversity requirement
WMST 30000 Colloquium in Women's Studies	3	■	C	■	
Economics Requirement	3	■	C	■	See note 2 on page 3



Critical requirements are boldface in shaded areas

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Semester Six: [18 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.600 major GPA; minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA					
ADED 32275 Social Studies Education and the Social Sciences	3	■	C		Offered in spring only
ITEC 19525 Educational Technology	3		C		
POL 30100 American Political Theory or POL 30820 International Organization and Law or POL 40183 Constitutional Law: Civil Rights and Liberties	3	■	C	■	
Economics Requirement	6	■	C	■	See note 2 on page 3
History Requirement	3	■	C	■	See note 3 on page 3
Semester Seven: [15 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.600 major GPA; minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA					
ADED 42275 Teaching Social Studies in Secondary Schools	3	■	C		
ADED 42292 Field Work Practicum	3	■	C		Fulfills the experiential learning requirement
CI 47330 Reading and Writing in Adolescence and Adulthood	3	■	C		
PSYC 21211 Psychology of Adjustment or PSYC 30651 Adolescent Psychology or PSYC 30821 Psychology of Motivation or PSYC 41282 Personality or PSYC 41532 Social Psychology	3		C	■	
Economics Requirement	3	■	C	■	See note 2 on page 3
Semester Eight: [12 Credit Hours]					
Requirement: minimum 2.600 major GPA; minimum 2.750 cumulative GPA					
Note: 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.					
Note: apply for teaching license					
ADED 42357 Secondary Student Teaching	9	■	S		Offered in spring only; fulfills the experiential learning requirement
ADED 49525 Inquiry into Professional Practice	3	■	C		Offered in spring only

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
124	39	36	ANTH 18210 / HIST 12070	ADED 32142	ADED 42292 or ADED 49525	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; grade of C required in both courses	6-8
Mathematics and Critical Reasoning (3-5 credit hours)	Enrollment based on placement	3-5
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>	6 credit hours are fulfilled in this major with HIST 11050 and 11051; remaining credit hours must be from the Fine Arts category	3
Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two curricular areas</i>	Fulfilled in this major with ECON 22060 and PSYC 11762	0
Basic Sciences (6-7 credit hours) <i>Must include one laboratory</i>		6-7
Additional (6 credit hours)	Fulfilled in this major with ANTH 18210 and HIST 12070	0

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.



Note 1: Geography requirement (3 credit hours), choose from the following:

GEOG 32080 Politics and Place	3	GEOG 37079 Geography of South Asia*	3
GEOG 34070 Economic Geography	3	GEOG 37084 Geography of South America*	3
GEOG 36065 Cities and Urbanization	3	GEOG 37085 Geography of Central America and Mexico	3
GEOG 37040 Geography of Africa*	3	GEOG 41073 Conservation of Natural Resources	3
GEOG 37050 Geography of Russia and the Commonwealth States*	3	GEOG 42064 Historical Geography of the United States and Canada	3
GEOG 37066 Geography of Europe*	3		
GEOG 37070 Geography of East and Southeast Asia*	3		

*Global Diversity course

Note 2: Economics concentration electives (12 credit hours), choose from the following:

ECON 32025 Money, Credit and Banking	3	ECON 42075 International Economic Relations	3
ECON 32040 Intermediate Microeconomic Theory and Applications	3	ECON 42078 Economic History of Technological and Industrial Development	3
ECON 32041 Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory and Practice	3	ECON 42080 Regional Economics	3
ECON 32070 Labor Problems	3	ECON 42081 Urban Economics	3
ECON 32083 Economics of Poverty	3	ECON 42085 Public Finance	3
ECON 32084 Economics of the Environment	3	ECON 42086 Economics of Health Care	3
ECON 32086 Economics of Education	3	ECON 42087 Law and Economics	3
ECON 42072 Economics of Labor Markets	3		

Note 3: History requirement (3 credit hours), choose from the following:

HIST 31112 Chinese Civilization	3	HIST 41088 New Era Through World War: The United States, 1920-1945	3
HIST 31125 Zionism and Israel	3	HIST 41089 Recent America: The United States, 1945 - Present	3
HIST 31126 History of the Middle East	3	HIST 41112 History of Modern China	3
HIST 31128 Late Medieval and Modern Jewish History	3	HIST 41116 History of Japan	3
HIST 31130 History of African Civilization	3	HIST 41131 History of Africa to 1880	3
HIST 31140 Modern Latin America	3	HIST 41132 History of Africa, 1880 to Present	3
HIST 31141 Early Latin America	3	HIST 41142 Independence in Latin America	3
HIST 41087 Progressive America: The United States, 1896-1919	3	HIST Non-Western Course (upper division)	3

Special Major Note:

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 124 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 (2.00) 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.