State Required Content Courses Form

Initial Teacher Certification in Secondary Social Sciences

STATE OF NEBRASKA ACADEMIC COURSEWORK

In order to become certified to teach Social Sciences (Social Studies) at the secondary level (grades 6-12) in the state of Nebraska, you must complete sufficient hours of collegiate social science coursework in order to satisfy Rule 24 of the Nebraska Department of Education. Social science credits must fall within the six content areas identified in Rule 24 of the Nebraska Department of Education. **These courses are not required for admission to the MA program, but are required to be completed prior to receiving certification.** Students who have not completed these courses prior to beginning the MA program for initial certification can complete these courses alongside the other degree requirements.

- 12 hrs US History
- 12 hrs World History
- 9 hrs Economics (3 in microeconomics, 3 in macroeconomics and 3 in economics elective)
- 9 hrs Political Science/Government/ Civics
- 9 hrs Behavioral Sciences (6 hrs psychology and 3 hrs sociology)
- 9 hrs Geography (3 hrs in Human Geography and 3 hrs in Geography electives)
- 3 hrs in topics specific to the state/region of Nebraska

Please record the courses that you have taken in these areas. The information provided here must correspond exactly to the information contained in your transcripts. While the completion of these courses prior to beginning the MA program is not required, this will assist program advisors in assessing which content area courses you need to complete for certification in the state of Nebraska.

Content Area	Institution	Dept.	Course No.	Course Title	Sem., Year	Cr. Hr.	Grade

In the space below, please document any other social science-related courses you have taken. Do *not* duplicate any of the courses you listed above.

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