

Social Studies Education Minor and Teacher Certification Spring Entry into the Program

Full-time students complete the program in 4 semesters	Getting Started	Costs
	☐ Schedule an appointment with an adviser – Click here	
	☐ Declare the BA History Major – click here - and schedule an advisement meeting with Prof. R. Spencer	
	☐ Declare the Middle and High School Mid-Min Minor – Click here	
	☐ Fingerprinting and Background Check - Click here	\$101.75
Course Permissions	Getting Course Permissions in CUNYFirst	
	ESC Courses: Click here	
The Middle and High School Education Minor (First Half of Initial Teacher Certification in Grades 7-12 Social Studies)		
Spring I	☐ ESC 201 (3 cr.) Psychological Foundations of Education (+20 field hours) ☐ ESC 302 (3 cr.) Social Foundations (+20 field hours)	
Fall I	☐ ESC 429 (3 cr.) Teaching Language and Literacy ☐ ESC 433 (3 cr.) Teaching World History and Geography ☐ ESC 476 (1 cr.) Field Hours I (Required co-requisite with ESC 433) (+25 field hours)	
Continuation from Minor to Initial Certification	To continue, you must have a minimum 3.0 GPA in your overall record.	
	☐ Declare the BA History Teacher Major (30 credits) and schedule an advisement meeting with Prof. Valentine.	
	☐ Declare the MHSEHB Minor You are <i>changing</i> to the History Teacher Major and <i>adding</i> MHSEHB Minor.	
Continuation in the History Teacher/MHSEHB Minor (Second Half of Initial Teacher Certification in Grades 7-12 Social Studies)		
Spring II	☐ ESC 463 (3 cr.) Special Needs Students (+15 field hours) ☐ ESC 434 (3 cr.) Teaching U.S. History and Government (+25 field hours)	
Prepare for student teaching in your last semester.	Getting Ready for Student Teaching	
	☐ Provide evidence that you completed all of the pre-requisite social science courses to your adviser. ☐ Anthropology ☐ Economics ☐ Geography ☐ Political Science ☐ Psychology ☐ Sociology	
	☐ Email the Content Specialty Test/Grades 7-12 Social Studies scores to adviser. Click here to register for exam	\$122.00
	☐ Email the Educating All Students (201) test scores to your adviser. Click here to register for exam	\$ 80.00
	☐ Apply to student teaching by either April 1 or November 1 deadline the semester before – Click here	

Fall II	Student teaching experience of 14 weeks in middle and high schools ☐ ESC 470 (3 cr.) Student Teaching ☐ ESC 471 (3 cr.) Seminar	
	Getting Ready to Exit the Program – Workshops Click here	Costs
TEACH Account	☐ Establish your TEACH Account – Click here	
Workshops	☐ Verify DASA Training is posted in your TEACH Account.	\$ 89.00
	☐ Verify Child Abuse Workshop is posted in your TEACH Account.	\$ 69.00
	☐ Verify School Violence Protection Workshop is posted to your TEACH Account.	\$ 69.00
	Getting Initial Certification	
Completion	☐ Meet with a certification officer	