

M.Ed. Curriculum and Instruction: HISTORY (5-8; 8-12)

INITIAL LICENSE OPTION

Student holds NO license or Preliminary License

Successful applicants must have an undergraduate degree in History or a minimum number of credits in that specialization field (45 credits in History).

FOUNDATIONS **(6cr)**

- 01.501 Teaching Diverse Populations
- 01.502 Adolescent Development and Student Learning

PREPRACTICUM (SEE ATTACHED SHEET)

The prepracticum occurs in the semester before the practicum. Candidates are required to observe for 8 full days in schools and create a prepracticum binder. Additional observation requirements are included in foundation and specialization courses.

SPECIALIZATION (methods courses) **(15cr)**

- 02.573 Curriculum & Teaching Methods: History
- 04.512 History for History Teachers
- 06.511 Reading in the Content Areas
- 04.513 Teaching U.S. History: The Colonial Era
- 06.607 Methods of Sheltered Language Instruction

PRACTICUM AND ANALYSIS OF TEACHING SEMINAR **(9cr)**

OR

PRACTICUM EQUIVALENT AND ANALYSIS OF TEACHING SEMINAR

(for those employed full-time in a school)

One semester of fulltime teaching or student teaching (12 weeks).
Seminar meets one day a week from 4-6PM.

TOTAL CREDITS

30 CREDITS

Notes:

- Students should consult faculty advisors prior to registering each semester.
- Students are expected to demonstrate proficiency in applications of educational technology.
- Students are expected to have a minimum GPA of 3.25 before beginning the practicum or practicum equivalent.
- Students are expected to complete all coursework (including prerequisites) before beginning the practicum or practicum equivalent.
- Student are expected to demonstrate overall professional dispositions assessed by the faculty.
- Students must pass the Communication and Literacy Test and the History subject area test of the Massachusetts Test for Educator Licensure prior to proceeding to the practicum.

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