LIBERAL STUDIES MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: ELEMENTARY EDUCATION EMPHASIS (51 UNITS)

LIBERAL STUDIES CORE COURSES (30 UNITS)

1. LBST 300 Introduction to Liberal Studies
2. LBST 302A Historical Dimension of Liberal Studies
3. LBST 301 Inquiry & Composition in Liberal Studies
4. LBST 302B Historical Dimension of Liberal Studies
5. Interdisciplinary Studies Course
   - LBST 310 The California Experience
   - LBST 315 A European Tour
   - LBST 322 Cross-Cultural Social Thought
   - LBST 323 Cross-Cultural Humanities
   - LBST 330 History of Early Science and Technology
   - LBST 331 History of Science: Copernicus to the Present
   - LBST 333 Evolution and Creation
   - LBST 335 Science on the Silver Screen
   - LBST 337 Science, Technology, and Society
   - LBST 340 Food in the Social Sciences
   - LBST 341 Ancient Eats: Food and Foodways in the Ancient World

6. LBST 303 Liberal Studies in the Humanities & Arts
7. LBST 304 Liberal Studies in the Sciences
8. LBST 305 Liberal Studies in the Social Sciences
9. LBST 401 Knowledge in the Arts and Sciences
10. Senior Seminar
    - LBST 485 Senior Seminar in Cultural Diversity
    - LBST 486 Senior Seminar in Humanities and Arts
    - LBST 488 Senior Seminar in Environmental Studies
    - LBST 489 Senior Seminar in Gender Issues
    - LBST 490 Senior Seminar in Great Books
    - LBST 491 Senior Seminar in Literature and Science
    - LBST 492 Senior Seminar in the History of the Information Machine

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION EMPHASIS COURSES (21 UNITS)

The Elementary Education Emphasis Courses may be taken in any order in any semester in addition to the Liberal Studies Core Courses. Underlined courses count for General Education as well. Courses in italics may have community college equivalents that count toward the major.

I. Arts & Humanities
   A. Visual and Performing Arts
      Recommended: ART 380 Art and Child Development
      Also Accepted: Any 3-unit upper-division course in the departments of Art, Music, Theatre, and Dance
   B. Language and Literature
      Recommended: ENGL 206 Introduction to Language Structure and Language Use
                  ENGL 341 Children’s Literature
                  THTR 311 Oral Interpretation of Children’s Literature

For students with catalog year Fall 2012 or later
ENGL 211  British Literature to 1760  or
ENGL 212  British Literature from 1760  or
ENGL 221  American Literature to Whitman  or
ENGL 222  American Literature from Twain to the Moderns

Also Accepted: Any 3-unit upper-division course from the departments of English, Comparative Literature, and Linguistics; European Studies; and Modern Languages and Literatures

II. Mathematics & Natural Sciences

A. Mathematics

Required:  
MATH 303B  Fundamental Concepts of Elementary Mathematics

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GEOL 410  Planet Earth for Educators  or
BIOL 453  Life Science Concepts

B. Natural Sciences

Recommended:

ANTH 333  Anthropology of Childhood  or
ANTH 350  Culture and Education  or
PSYC 311  Educational Psychology  or
SOCI 352  Sociology of Education

Also Accepted: Any 3-unit upper-division course from the departments of Anthropology, Economics, Geography, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Religious Studies, and Sociology

III. Social Sciences & Cultural Diversity

A. Social Sciences

Recommended:

AFAM 304  Black Families in America  or
AFAM 370  Development of African American Children and Youth  or
AMST 395  California Cultures  or
ASAM 342  Asian Pacific American Families  or
CHIC 305  Chicana/o Families  or
CHIC 331  The Chicano Child  or
HCOM 320  Intercultural Communication  or
SOCI 357  Race and Ethnic Relations  or
WGST 302  Introduction to Women’s Studies

Also Accepted: Any 3-unit upper-division course in GE Category Z from the departments of American Studies, African American Studies, Asian American Studies, Chicana/Chicano Studies, Human Communication, Latin American Studies, and Women & Gender Studies

B. Cultural Diversity

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SOCI 352  Sociology of Education

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IV. Elective

Recommended:

MATH 303A  Fundamental Concepts of Elementary Mathematics

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