**The Pennsylvania State University**

**COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**

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**Student:**

**PSU ID Number:**

**E-Mail**

**Adviser:**

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### I. GENERAL EDUCATION COMPONENTS

45 Cr.

(Select appropriate courses listed in the General Education Bulletin. Note that General Education courses may not be taken SA/UN.)

**WRITING/SPEAKING (GWS) – 9 Cr.**

- ENGL 15 GWS or 30 GWS ____ (3)
- ENGL 202A GWS or 202B GWS ____ (3)
- CAS 100A GWS ____ (3)

**QUANTIFICATION (GQ) – 6 Cr.**

- _____ (3)
- _____ (3)

**NATURAL SCIENCES (GN) – 9 Cr.**

- _____ (3)
- _____ (3)
- _____ (3)

**ARTS (GA) – 6 Cr.**

- _____ (3)
- _____ (3)

**HUMANITIES (GH) – 6 Cr.**

- (Literature selection GH -- RUS 304 IL) _____ (3)
  (GH selection) _____ (3)

**SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (GS) – 6 Cr.**

- (HD FS 229 GS) _____ (3)
- (HD FS 239 GS) _____ (3)

**HEALTH AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY (GHA) – 3 Cr.**

- _____ ( ) _____ ( ) _____ (3)

### II. FIRST YEAR SEMINAR (FYS)/ELECTIVES

1 Cr.

(FYS) _____ ( )

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**PECT:** PAPA •(R) ____ •(M) ____ •(W) ____ or SAT ____

ACT

Fundamental Subjects: CK: _____

ACTFL: OPI & WPT _____

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### III. REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MAJOR

55 Cr.

**Prescribed Courses – 52 Cr.+**

- EDPSY 14 ____ (3)
- EDTHP 115 US ____ (3)
- HD FS 229 GS ____ (3)*
- CI 295 ____ (3)
- WL ED 300 C 1280 GH ____ (3)
- SPLED 400 ____ (4)
- SPLED 403B ____ (3)
- WL ED 411 ____ (3)
- WL ED 495B ____ (3)
- WL ED 412W ____ (3)
- WL ED 495C ____ (3)
- C 1495E ____ (15)

**Additional Courses – 3 Cr. +**

HD FS 239 GS* or PSYCH 412 ____ (3)*

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**OPTIONAL –**

Complete 12 additional credits to be eligible for English as a Second Language (ESL) credential:

- APLING 410 or 484 _____ (3)
- APLING 493 _____ (3)
- WL ED 444 _____ (3)
- WL ED 483 _____ (3)

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### IV. OPTION REQUIREMENTS

35 Cr.

**Prescribed Courses – 23 Cr.+**

- RUS 204 IL _____ (4)
- RUS 214 IL _____ (4)
- RUS 304 IL _____ (3)*
- RUS 305 IL _____ (3)
- RUS 400 IL _____ (3)
- RUS 412 IL _____ (3)
- RUS 450 IL _____ (3)

**Additional Courses 12 Cr.+**

- RUS 100 IL, RUS 110 IL, IL or RUS 120 GH, IL ____ (3)*
- RUS 130, 141, 142 or 143 GH, IL _____ (3)*
- RUS 450IL or 497 _____ (3)

Select 3 credits from:

- RUS 426 IL, 427 IL, 494, 497, 499 _____ (3)

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**Note:** Must complete at least 3 cr. of IL and 3 cr. of US Cultures selections, plus 3 cr. W selection.

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**CODES:**

+ Must earn “C” or better (C 1 495C offered SA/UN only).

* See adviser for prerequisites and early application for clinical experiences.

* The following courses may satisfy General Education components:

  - HD FS 229 GS and HD FS 239 GS (Social & Behavioral Science);
  - 6 credits GH (Humanities) selections.

# WL ED 412W prerequisites are underlined above.

$ See Baccalaureate Degree Programs Bulletin for prerequisites.

W Satisfies 3 credits of writing-intensive course requirement.

- Course required for selection to major/certification program.

Participation in an approved Education Abroad Program (IL) is required, typically during semester 6 (Spring or Summer).
WORLD LANGUAGES EDUCATION – Russian Teaching Options: Entrance Criteria

Eligibility for entrance to the Russian teaching option in the World Languages Education (WL ED) major is based on: (1) formal application, (2) completion of specified prerequisites, and (3) cumulative grade point average. (See Entrance to Major (ETM) information available from your adviser or [http://www.ed.psu.edu/educ/current-students/undergrad/academic-programs-1/entrance-and-exit-criteria](http://www.ed.psu.edu/educ/current-students/undergrad/academic-programs-1/entrance-and-exit-criteria).

Students must participate in a formal Entrance to Major process in a designated selection pool typically during the fourth semester in the Spring. New students from other institutions and current Penn State students who wish to be considered for a change of major into WL ED also participate in appropriate, designated selection pools.

General sequences and block scheduling patterns of certain required courses follow. (This is not a complete semester-by-semester schedule.) General Education Courses and Prescribed, Supporting, and Additional Courses should be completed prior to student teaching.

Requirements for Consideration for Admission to Major

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Student Teaching Practicum

| CI 495E |

Additional Courses Required for Student Teaching

| RUS 214 |

| HD FS 239 or PSYCH 412 |

| “C” or better in Specified Courses |

No additional coursework permitted during Student Teaching

*Must be met by end of the Fall semester prior to the Entrance to Major process during the Spring

Computer (MAC) Requirement “EDUCATE” [http://www.ed.psu.edu/educ/educate](http://www.ed.psu.edu/educ/educate)
(typically at the beginning of the Junior year or 5th semester)

**RETENTION and EXIT CRITERIA**

Candidates for the baccalaureate degree and a Pennsylvania teacher certificate must (1) maintain throughout the program of study the cumulative grade point average required for admission to the program, and complete, (2) the academic program requirements, (3) the applicable tests and clearances required by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

For complete information about Entrance/Retention/Exit Criteria applicable to teacher preparation programs, and eligibility for Pennsylvania Teacher Certification, please see: [http://www.ed.psu.edu/educ/current-students/undergrad/academic-programs-1/entrance-and-exit-criteria](http://www.ed.psu.edu/educ/current-students/undergrad/academic-programs-1/entrance-and-exit-criteria)