Social Science Teaching Major -With
Teacher Certification (B.S. A)
Standard High School Certificate*

Major
Geography 1100G, 1200G, and 3000 or 3025
Or 3200 or 3750........................................................................9 sem. hrs.
History 2300, 2400, two elective courses
In non U.S. History....................................................................12 sem. hrs
Political Science 1153G, two elective courses
In Political Science...................................................................9 sem hrs.
Sociology 2710G, two elective courses in sociology..................9 sem. hrs.
Social Science Methods 3400......................................................3 sem hrs.
TOTAL..................................................................................60 sem hrs.

(Major GPA based on all economics, geography, history, social science,
political science and sociology courses taken at EIU.)
*For the education course work required for this option see "Teacher
Certification Programs."
Satisfactory completion of this major requires:
(1) a grade of C or better in each course that applies to the 60
semester hours of courses required, regardless of where taken;
(2) a major and cumulative grade point average of at least 2.75 in all
courses attempted at EIU;
(3) at least 39 semester hours of the 60 semester hours requirement
for the social sciences major must be in courses taken at EIU; and
(4) at least one course taken in each discipline at EIU

Option: WITH
GEOGRAPHY DESIGNATION

Geography Component
GEG 1100G, GEG 1200G, GEG 3200, GEG 3025, GEG 3420, ESC 1300G,
ESC 1400G, and two electives chosen from GEG 3600, GEG 3750 and GEG
3800...........................................................................................29 s.h.

Economics Component
ECN 2801G, ECN 2802G............................................................6 s.h.

History Component
HIS 1500G, HIS 2010, HIS 2020, HIS 3600G.............................12 s.h.

Political Science Component
PLS 1003, PLS 1153G, PLS 2603, PLS 2253G.............................12 s.h.

Psychology Component
PSY 1879G, PSY 3521, PSY 3780...............................................9 s.h.

Sociology/Anthropology Component
SOC 2710G, SOC 2721, SOC 2850, ANT 2200G.......................12 s.h.
Teaching Methods Component
SOS 3400........................................................................3 s.h.

Total.....................................................................................83 s.h.

Option: WITH HISTORY DESIGNATION (SEE HISTORY MAJOR WITH TEACHER CERTIFICATION IN SOCIAL SCIENCE P. _____)

Option: WITH POLITICAL SCIENCE DESIGNATION

Political Science Component
PLS 1003, PLS 1153G, PLS 2003, PLS 2253G, PLS 2603, PLS 3203, PLS 3543, PLS 3753 .................................................................24 s.h.

Economics Component
ECN 2801G, ECN 2802G.........................................................6 s.h.

Geography Component
GEG 1100G, GEG 1200G, GEG 3025, GEG 3200..............................12 s.h.

History Component
HIS 1500G, HIS 2010, HIS 2020, HIS 3600G...............................12 s.h.

Psychology Component
PSY 1879G, PSY 3521, PSY 3780.............................................9 s.h.

Sociology/Anthropology Component
SOC 2710G, SOC 2721, SOC 2850, ANT 2200G..............................12 s.h

Teaching Methods Component
SOS 3400........................................................................3 s.h.

Total.....................................................................................78 s.h.

Option: WITH PSYCHOLOGY DESIGNATION

Psychology Component
PSY 1879G, PSY 3521, PSY 3590, PSY 3620, PSY 3680, PSY 3780, PSY 3870 .................................................................21 s.h.

Economics Component
ECN 2801G, ECN 2802G.........................................................6 s.h.

Geography Component
GEG 1100G, GEG 1200G, GEG 3025, GEG 3200..............................12 s.h.

History Component
HIS 1500G, HIS 2010, HIS 2020, HIS 3600G...............................12 s.h.

Political Science Component
PLS 1003, PLS 1153G, PLS 2603, PLS 2253G.................................12 s.h.

Sociology/Anthropology Component
SOC 2710G, SOC 2721, SOC 2850, ANT 2200G.................................12 s.h

Teaching Methods Component
SOS 3400..................................................................................3 s.h.

Total............................................................................................78 s.h.

Option: WITH SOCIOLOGY/ANTHROPOLOGY DESIGNATION

Sociology/Anthropology Component
SOC 2710G, SOC 2721, SOC 2780, SOC 2840, SOC 2850, SOC 3620,
ANT 2200G, ANT 3712....................................................................24 s.h.

Economics Component
ECN 2801G, ECN 2802G.................................................................6 s.h.

Geography Component
GEG 1100G, GEG 1200G, GEG 3025, GEG 3200.............................12 s.h.

History Component
HIS 1500G, HIS 2010, HIS 2020, HIS 3600G.................................12 s.h.

Political Science Component
PLS 1003, PLS 1153G, PLS 2603, PLS 2253G.................................12 s.h.

Psychology Component
PSY 1879G, PSY 3521, PSY 3780....................................................9 s.h.

Teaching Methods Component
SOS 3400..................................................................................3 s.h.

Total............................................................................................78 s.h.

(Major GPA based on all anthropology, economics, geography, history,
political science, psychology, sociology and social science courses taken at EIU.)
For the education course work required for this option, see "Teacher
Certification Programs."
Satisfactory completion of this major requires:
(1) a grade of C or higher in each course that applies to the 78-83 semester hours
of courses required, regardless of where taken;
(2) a major and cumulative grade-point average of at least 2.75 in all courses
Attemped at EIU;
(3) at least 45 semester hours of the requirements for the social science major must be in
courses taken at EIU.