UTeach Urban Teachers
Teacher Preparation Program in Social Studies

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Master of Education with Secondary Social Studies Teacher Certification
A Master of Education degree with secondary Social Studies teacher certification with ESL endorsement is now offered through the Department of Curriculum and Instruction. This degree is tailored for students holding a bachelor’s degree in history, geography, government, economics, or other Humanities disciplines and seeking secondary Social Studies teacher certification. The two-year program is designed to help Social Studies teacher candidates develop knowledge, skills, and dispositions to support teaching and learning in culturally and linguistically diverse urban settings.

Course Requirements
Total Minimum Hours: 42

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<td>EDC 370S Advanced Social Studies Methods</td>
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Field Component Intern I, 45 hours
Field Component Intern II, 45 hours
Field Component Student Teaching, full-time school hours

Social Studies Specialization
Select 9 Hours
EDC 382S Teaching Secondary School Subjects: Social Studies
EDC 385G History of the Social Studies
EDC 382E Teaching Elementary School Subject: Social Studies
EDC 385G Current Issues Teaching the Social Studies
EDC 390T Improving Social Studies Education
EDC 390T Institutes in Instruction: Critical Issues in Social Education
EDC 390T Humanities and Literacy in Social Education
EDC 390T Perspectives in Citizenship and Democratic Education
EDC 396 Seminar: Social Studies Education
EDC 332S Design for Instruction

Electives Outside the Department
Select 3 hours
Special Education Courses
Other out of department graduate course

Additional Requirements
Professional Development Sequence (PDS) Application: [http://utexas.edu/education/pdsapp](http://utexas.edu/education/pdsapp) that includes passing a criminal background check.
History and/or Social Studies Composite Grades 7-12 and PPR Texas Certification Tests [http://tea.state.tx.us](http://tea.state.tx.us)