Teacher Education - FRENCH

The B.A. in French with Tennessee teaching licensure (Grades 6-12) is available with modifications to the French major and the King Core, and successful completion of the Secondary Education minor. Licensed teachers in secondary education are in great demand in all fifty states, and the areas of science, mathematics, English as a second language, and foreign languages are considered critical need areas in K-12 public education by all states.

Declaration of the minor and early and frequent advisement is essential to timely completion of degree and licensure requirements. Students seeking teacher licensure will be assigned a secondary education advisor in the Department of Teacher Education, in addition to their major advisor. See the “Admission to the Teacher Education Program” section of this catalog or contact the Certification Advisor in the School of Education for eligibility criteria, admissions procedures, and timelines.

An immersion experience in a French-only environment is required and must be pre-approved by King University Center for Study Abroad.

Core Curriculum Requirements
French majors seeking teaching licensure should fulfill specified categories of the King Core Curriculum by taking the courses indicated below. See the “The Core Curriculum” section of the catalog for additional details.

Literature/History
HUMN 2171
  The Quest for a Meaningful Life I.......................................................4 s.h.
HUMN 2172
  The Quest for a Meaningful Life II....................................................4 s.h.

Human Creative Products
Choose from Core Curriculum options..............................................4 s.h.

Human Culture
Choose from Core Curriculum options..............................................4 s.h.

U.S. and Global Citizenship
Choose from Core Curriculum options..............................................4 s.h.

BA in French Major Requirements for Teaching Licensure
EDUC 3360
  Introduction to Linguistics..............................................................2 s.h.
FREN 2000
  Intermediate French.................................................................4 s.h.
FREN 3010
  Advanced French Skills I ..........................................................4 s.h.
FREN 3020
Advanced French Skills II ................................................................. 4 s.h.

Choose from the following courses ........................................... 4 s.h.
FREN 3100
Business French (4 s.h.)
FREN 3300
French Civilization (4 s.h.)
FREN 3310
Studies in French Culture (2-4 s.h.)

Choose from the following courses ........................................... 4 s.h.
FREN 3200
Aspects of French Literature (4 s.h.)
FREN 3210
Aspects of Francophone Literature (4 s.h.)
FREN 4200-4900
French Literature Elective, 3000-4000 level (4 s.h.)

French Electives – 3000-level or above ........................................... 8 s.h.
French Language Immersion Experience ......................................... 8 s.h.

NOTE: ACTFL Proficiencies as listed in Matrix will be required for recommendation for licensure.

Secondary Education Minor
EDUC 2030
Introduction to Teaching, Grades K-12 ........................................... 2 s.h.
EDUC 2031
Introduction to Teaching Practicum, Grades PreK-12 ..................... 1 s.h.
EDUC 2100
Survey of Exceptional Children ..................................................... 4 s.h.
EDUC 2370
Reflective Teaching: Planning for Classroom Instruction ............... 3 s.h.
EDUC 2900
Foundations of Education .............................................................. 3 s.h.
EDUC 2950
Technology for Teachers ............................................................... 2 s.h.
EDUC 3390*
Secondary Curriculum and Methods ............................................. 3 s.h.
EDUC 3590*
Content Area Reading ................................................................. 3 s.h.
EDUC 3600*
Assessment and Evaluation .......................................................... 3 s.h.
PSCI 2120
Cultural Diversity in America ......................................................... 4 s.h.
PSYC 3320
Adolescent Development .............................................................. 4 s.h.
EDUC 4490*
Student Teaching, Grades 6-10 ..................................................... 5 s.h.
EDUC 4500*
Student Teaching, Grades 9-12 ..................................................... 5 s.h.
EDUC 4950*
Capstone Seminar, Grades K-12 .................................................... 2 s.h.
EDUC 4990
Comprehensive Assessment (passing state-required
Praxis II exams, successful portfolio completion,
successful portfolio defense) .......................................................... 0 s.h.

* Requires admittance to the Teacher Education Program

Summary of Total Credits
Core Curriculum ........................................................................ 42 s.h.
Major Requirements .................................................................. 36 s.h.
Secondary Education Minor ...................................................... 44 s.h.
Electives .................................................................................... 10 s.h.
Minimum to Complete Licensure Program ......................... 134 s.h.