

BEREA COLLEGE
2011 – 2012 CURRICULUM GUIDE (revised 8/24/11)
B.A. with major in EDUCATION STUDIES

NOTE: This guide is subject to change and represents actions approved by Faculty to date. Please refer often to the *2011-2012 Online Catalog & Student Handbook (www.berea.edu/cataloghandbook)*, which will be updated with the most current information.

GENERAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

NOTE: No single college course transferred into Berea can meet more than one General Education requirement.

Core Courses	Term	Credit
MAT 010: Prealgebra ^a	_____	NC
MAT 011: Elementary Algebra I ^a	_____	NC
MAT 012: Elementary Algebra II ^a	_____	NC
GSTR 110: Writing Sem. I: Critical Thinking in the Liberal Arts ^b	_____	_____
GSTR 210: Writing Sem. II: Identity and Diversity in the United States	_____	1
GSTR 310: Understandings of Christianity	_____	1
GSTR 410: Sr. Sem. in Cont. Global Issues	_____	1

Scientific Knowledge and Inquiry

GSTR 332: Scientific Knowledge & Inquiry	_____	_____
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OR

Two approved science courses, one of which must be an approved lab course. At this time, only the following courses have been approved to meet this alternative (all of which meet the lab course stipulation): ANR 110, 130, BIO 100, BIO 101, 110, CHM 113, 131, 134, PHY 111, 217, or 315

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Lifetime Health & Fitness: PEH 100 & Phys. Activity

PEH 100: Introduction to Lifetime Wellness	_____	.50
(if swimming proficiency test not passed, take PED 200)		
PED 2 _____	_____	.25
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Practical Reasoning Across the Curriculum (PR & PRQ)

Two courses—at least one firmly grounded in math or statistics (PRQ); the other can be an approved practical reasoning (PR) course or another PRQ course.

_____	_____	1
_____	_____	1

Perspectives—Six Areas Required

Students will satisfy each of the six areas by taking or waiving a course, or through an approved experience. Individual courses may be approved to satisfy more than one Perspective, but no single course may satisfy more than two Perspective areas.

1. Arts _____
2. Social Science _____
3. Western History _____
4. Religion _____
5. Afr. Amer., Appal., Women's _____
6. International (two courses either in area 6A or area 6B):

NOTE: To be taken Sophomore year.

- A) Same Non-English Language _____
- Same Non-English Language _____
- (one course may be waived by placement exam)

OR

- B) World Culture (Non-western) _____
- World Culture (Western/non-western) _____

Active Learning Experience (ALE)

An approved experience, taken for credit or as noncredit.

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^aMay be waived on basis of test scores.

NOTE: A good second major for those interested in public-service careers in education w/o teacher cert. or licensure.

MAJOR COURSES

Core Courses	Term	Credit
EDS 150: Introduction to Education	_____	1
EDS 228: Teaching as Research: Adolescents and School Structure (OR EDS 227, with perm. of instructor)	_____	1
EDS 349: Education and Culture	_____	1
EDS 490A: Ind. Study with ALE OR EDS 490B: Ind. Study without ALE OR	_____	_____
EDS 495: Internship	_____	_____

Distribution Courses (Required; count inside the major)

EITHER

Four additional EDS course credits, with at least two at or above the 300 level, chosen in consultation with EDS Adviser

EDS _____:	_____	_____
EDS _____:	_____	_____
EDS _____:	_____	_____
EDS _____:	_____	_____

OR

Four non-EDS course credits, with at least two at or above the 300 level, chosen from CFS/WST 207, CFS 217, CFS 315, CFS 350, CFS/WST 366, PEH 222, PSY 208, SOC 215, or THR 218. Courses must be chosen in consultation with the Education Adviser and consistent with the student's approved curriculum plan. **NOTE:** Alternative collateral courses may be substituted for up to two of the courses on the list above, based on successful petition to the Education Studies Program. The petition must include a rationale based on the student's curriculum plan.

_____:	_____	_____
_____:	_____	_____
_____:	_____	_____
_____:	_____	_____

OR

Some combination of EDS and non-EDS courses (see above listing) totaling four course credits, chosen in consultation with the EDS adviser and consistent with the student's approved Curriculum Plan.

_____:	_____	_____
_____:	_____	_____
_____:	_____	_____
_____:	_____	_____

ELECTIVES (count in 20 credits outside the major, unless course is in major rubric—may continue on back)

Dept. & No.	Title	Term	Credit
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

^bTransfer students might waive GSTR 110 if they took College Composition as a degree-seeking student at another college AND earned a grade of B or higher.

Admission to Major Requirements: Grades of B- or higher in EDS 150 and one other EDS course (preferably EDS 227 or EDS 228); a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5; and additional requirements as stated in *Catalog & Student Handbook* or as published by the EDS Program.