ADOLESCENCE EDUCATION MAJOR (GRADES 7-12) - B.S.

English Specialization

Primary Faculty, Rockland: Dr. James Nichols (Adolesc. Dept. Chair), Dr. Jonathan Gates (English Dept. Chair), Dr. Dion Harrigan
Primary Faculty, NYC: Dr. Elaine Lux (English Deputy Dept. Chair)

This program is nationally recognized by the National Council for Teachers of English (NCTE).

Program Assessment

The following assignments are used to assess program effectiveness.

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Liberal Arts and Science Core Component^ ......................................... 32

^Education majors take HIS 213 (U.S. History I) in place of HIS 114 (World Civilization II), EDU 445 (Educating a Diverse Society) in place of SOC 347 (Contemporary American Society), and PSY 101 (General Psychology) as the major-specific Social Science elective. PHI 101 is replaced with an additional liberal arts requirement within the major.

Foreign Language Component ................................................................. 6

1 year (2 semesters) of the same language

Bible and Ministry Minor Curriculum .................................................... 12

Major Field Component (36 credits)

ENG 202 - Global Literature II ............................................................... 3
ENG 353 - English Grammar and Phonology .............................................. 3
ENG 354 - Second Language Acquisition .................................................. 3
ENG 364 - Writing Theory ....................................................................... 3
ENG 463 - Shakespeare .......................................................................... 3
ENG 470 - Topics in Literature .............................................................. 3
ENG 239 - Adolescent Literature ............................................................ 3
ENG Electives
  British Literature Elective ................................................................. 3
  American Literature Elective ............................................................... 3
ENG electives (9 in a concentration, see English major) ....................... 9

Education Component (41 credits)

EDU 221 – Intro to Teaching with Technology ........................................... 1
EDU 246 - Foundations of Education ........................................................ 3
EDU 247 - Health Issues ......................................................................... 1
EDU 258 - Development and Learning Theory .......................................... 3
EDU 259 - Teaching and Learning Strategies .......................................... 3
EDU 321 - Technology Applications for Teachers I ................................ 1
EDU 353 – Exceptional Child ................................................................... 3
EDU 421 - Technology Applications for Teachers II ............................... 1
EDU 441 - The Christian Teacher (Worldview requirement) .................... 2
EDS 318 – General Methods in Teaching Grades 7-12 ......................... 3
EDS 323 - Special Methods for Teaching English for Middle
and Adolescent Ed. ................................................................................. 3
EDS 334 - Literacy Integration in the 7-12 Curriculum ........................... 3
EDS 494 - Supervised Student Teaching: Middle School ...................... 5
EDS 495 - Supervised Student Teaching: High School ........................... 5
EDS 470 - Seminar in Student Teaching .................................................. 2
Field Experience - EDU 191, 292, EDS 391 (1), and 392 (1) ............... 2

Total credits required ............................................................................. 127