

DEGREE CHECKLIST

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Pearl C. Schaffer School of Education

B.A. in Liberal Studies/Teacher Education Academic Tracking Sheet

(Corresponds with the 2020-2021 Academic Catalog)

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Students are required to complete 84 major units (including General Education), including 24 upper division units, and additional electives to reach the **minimum total of 122 units** required to graduate, with at least 40 upper division units overall.

General Education Requirements	
Scripture Courses	Term
B101 Old Testament Survey I (3)	
B102 Old Testament Survey II (3)	
B121 Essentials of Christian Thought (3)	
B201 New Testament Survey I (3)	
B202 New Testament Survey II (3)	
BTH321 Christian Theology I (3)	
BTH322 Christian Theology II (3)	
Worldview & Skills Courses	Term
C100 Spoken Communication (3)	
E110 English Composition (3)	
Essentials of Literature (3) (Choose one *)	
General literature elective (required):	
E322 Children's Literature (3)	
ECN200 Essentials of Economics & Society (3)	
GS150 Essentials of Geology (3)	
or LS150 Essentials of Biology (3)	
GS150 Essentials of Geology Lab (1)	
or LS150L Essentials of Biology Lab (1)	
H211 Essentials of World History I (3)	
H212 Essentials of World History II (3)	
H230 Essentials of U.S. History (3)	
MA240 Critical Thinking Quantitative Analysis (3)	
MU190 Essentials of Music & Art (3)	
Philosophy course (required):	
P321 History & Philosophies of Education (3)	
POL220 U.S. Government (3)	***

General Education Substitutions		
* Essentials of Literature Courses		
E211/E212 English Literature I or II		
E221/E222 World Literature I or II		
E231/E232 American Literature I or II		
Other Substitutions for Liberal Studies majors ***		

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For B102: IBEX367 For B201: IBEX377 For MU190: ART338

For H211/H212: Pass World Hist. Competency Exam &

3 units of Upper Division History For MA240: MA101, MA121, MA262

***Substitutions: Refer to G.E. Substitutions and Waivers in the Academic Catalog

TMU Graduation Requirements (from the Academic Catalog):

The Master's University grants bachelor's degrees (i.e. Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Music, and Bachelor of Science) to students who satisfy the graduation requirements described below.

- 1. Complete a minimum of 122 semester units of credit.
- Complete a minimum of 40 semester units in upper division courses.
- 3. Satisfy all General Education requirements.
- 4. Complete the required curriculum for the chosen major field(s) of study.
- 5. Maintain a minimum GPA of 2.00 (cumulative) in all TMU courses. (Some majors have different GPA requirements. Please see your department for details.)
- 6. Complete a minimum of 32 semester units of non-Directed Studies coursework at TMU or 32 semester units of TMU Online major courses.
- Complete at least 12 of the final 24 semester units at TMU.

All students must be aware that they undertake complete responsibility for managing their progress toward graduation. Faculty advisors will attempt to assist in this process; however, given the fluidity of student progress, each student must ultimately assume responsibility for completing all graduation requirements. This checklist is designed as an aid to help students manage their progress, but it does NOT replace the Academic Catalog. In any case where this checklist contradicts the catalog, the catalog issued during the student's first semester at TMU shall be considered the official degree criteria

84 major units, including a minimum of 24 upper division, distributed among the four Liberal Studies subject areas.

G.E. required courses are counted toward the unit requirement for the appropriate category. In each category, the student must complete at least 15 units and may count no more than 30 units toward the 84-unit requirement.

English/Communication: 15-30 units, including the following courses: □ E322 Children's Literature*◊ (3 units) [Fall only] One of the following (3 units) □ E353 Modern English Grammar (3 units) □ ESL303 Introduction to Linguistics (3 units) □ ESL351 Language Acquisition (3 units) [Fall only] Select additional units from English/Communication courses: □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
Science/Mathematics: 15-30 units, including the following courses: ED410 Technology Uses in Education (3 units) KPE415 Elementary P.E. Components & Techniques (2 units) LS150 Essentials of Biology (3 units) MA201 Mathematical Systems for Elem. Teachers I (3 units) PS261 Physical Science (3 units) One of the following (3 units) GS150 Essentials of Geology (3 units) PS242 Earth Science (3 units) Select additional units from Science/Mathematics courses:
Social Science: 15-30 units, including the following courses: □ ED301 Cultural & Linguistic Diversity in Teaching◊ □ H332 California Past & Present (3 units) [Spring only] One of the following (3 units) □ BMS341 Cultural Anthropology (3 units) □ SS381 Cultural Geography (3 units) [Fall only] Select additional units from Social Science courses: □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □
Humanities/Fine Arts: 15-30 units, including the following courses: □ ART330 Art Components & Techniques (3 units) [Spring only] □ P321 History and Philosophies of Education*◊ (3 units) □ MU431 Music Components & Techniques (3 units) [Fall only] Select additional units from Humanities/Fine Arts courses: □* * Fulfills the General Education requirement for Philosophy only for Liberal Studies: Teacher Education majors.
In addition to the above, the following courses are also required: □ ED101 Intro. to Teaching & Learning◊ (3 units) [Fall only] □ ED202 Curriculum & Learning Theory◊ (3 units) □ ED402 Liberal Studies Senior Capstone (3 units)
Select additional elective units as needed from all course offerings to reach 122 units (including minimum 40 upper division)

♦Prerequisite for TMU's Teaching Credential Program.