

Students can apply for formal admission to the Post-Baccalaureate Licensing Program if they have previously completed a Bachelor degree in a compatible major from a regionally accredited institution. When all courses and requirements are successfully completed, students will be recommended to the Utah State Office of Education to receive a Secondary Teaching License, which enables them to teach their major in grades 7-12.

Admission criteria include:

- 1) Proof of completed Bachelor degree from a regionally accredited institution.
- 2) Completion of a major compatible with one of UVU’s Secondary Education programs (see advisor for details).
- 3) GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- 4) C or better in all content area courses.
- 4) Passing an interview directed by the Secondary Teacher Secondary Education.
- 5) Passing the LiveScan criminal background check.

Application to the secondary education licensing program is a multi-level process separate from and in addition to admission to Utah Valley University. Meeting the minimum requirements only qualifies a student to be considered for admission and does not guarantee admission.

Program Application Deadlines:	Application due:
<i>Fall</i>	<i>March 1st</i>
<i>Spring</i>	<i>October 1st</i>

Professional Ed. Semesters	UVU Course Title	Credit
Semester 1 <i>(recommended)</i>	B- or higher grade requirement	
EDSC 3000	Educational Psychology	3
EDSC 3050	Foundations of American Education	2
EDSP 3400	Exceptional Student	2
EDSC 4550	Secondary Curriculum Instruction and Assessment	3
Semester 2 <i>(recommended)</i>		
EDSC 3250	Instructional Media	2
EDSC 4200*	Classroom Management I	2
EDSC 4440**	Content Area Literacies	3
EDSC 445G	Multicultural Instruction and ESL	3
Methods Course(s)	Dependent on individual department requirement (see Content Area Advisor). May only be offered once a year.	varies
Final Semester <i>(application required)</i>	Passing Praxis II Test Required for Licensure	Credit
EDSC 4850	Student Teaching – Secondary	10
EDSC 4250	Classroom Management II	2
	Total Credits Required for Post-Baccalaureate Licensing	35+

**Dance Education majors take DANC 3450 in place of EDSC 4200.*

***English Education majors take ENGL 4220 and ENGL 4230 in place of EDSC 4440. See English Educ. Advisor.*

Student Teaching Application Deadlines:	Application due:
<i>Fall</i>	<i>3rd Friday in January</i>
<i>Spring</i>	<i>3rd Friday in September</i>

For additional endorsements, contact USOE at (801) 538-7500 or <http://schools.utah.gov/cert>.

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