2014 - 2015 Old Dominion University Catalog
Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies - Teacher Preparation
(Special Education General Science K-12, Highly Qualified in Elementary/Secondary English)

YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (31 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (16 credits) | SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)
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General Education Courses: | VCCS Equivalency:
ENGL 110C | ENGL 111*
HIST 104H | MATH 102M, 103M or MATH 162M
ARTH 121A or MUSC 264 | Information Literacy and Research
COMM 101R or 103R | Transfer Guide
Select one: BIO 105N, 110N, 117N-118N, 121N-122N or 123N-124N | Transfer Guide

YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (31 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (18 credits) | SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)
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General Education Courses: | VCCS Equivalency:
Literature: ENGL 112L, 1143 or FLET 100L | Transfer Guide
PHYS 101N or CHEM 105N+106N | Language & Culture I
(May be satisfied, see catalog for details)
Major Content Requirements: | Transfer Guide
HIST 100H, 101H, 102H, 103H or 105H | MATH 146, 201 or 202*
CHEM 101, 102, 111, 112, 121 & 122* | Transfer Guide
OEAS 110N, 210, 302 or 402 | Transfer Guide
GOL 110* (105 accepted) | Transfer Guide

YEAR 3 - JUNIOR (45 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (18 credits) | SPRING SEMESTER (12 credits)
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Major Content Requirements: | VCCS Equivalency:
ENGL 455 | ENGL 336, 463 or 465
ENGL 345 or 346 | ENGL 370**
Math 335 + MTH 280* with the VCCS | (Satisfies Impact of Technology)
TLED 430 | TLED 468
(Telecommunication Education) | (Satisfies Impact of Technology)
SPED 400 | SPED 417
TLED 468 | SPED 415

YEAR 4 - SENIOR (33 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (16 credits) | SPRING SEMESTER (12 credits)
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Major Content Requirements: | VCCS Equivalency:
ENGL 406 | SPED 403 (2 credits)
HIST 356 | SPED 403 (1 credit)
ENGL 336, 463 or 465 | SPED 483 (1 credit)
Professional Education:
SPED 417 | SPED 417
SPED 415 | SPED 415
SPED 403 (2 credits) | SPED 403 (1 credit)

NOTE: Majors must have a minimum 2.8 GPA (overall, within major coursework, and within professional education coursework), a grade of C or better in all courses, and meet the Praxis I requirement to be admitted to the undergraduate teacher education program. All students should apply for and be admitted into the undergraduate teacher education program at the completion of the first semester at Old Dominion University. Delaying admission to the undergraduate teacher education program will adversely affect the ability to complete this program in 4 years. Please refer to the catalog and consult your advisor for additional requirements, prerequisites, and eligibility for teacher licensure in Virginia.

VCSS transfer students who wish to complete ODU’s IDS - Teacher Prep degree within 2 years from the date of transfer to ODU are encouraged to start the Teacher Prep program the semester following graduation from the VCCS institution. For example: if your VCCS graduation is at the end of the spring 2014 semester, enroll in ODU’s IDS - Teacher Prep program in summer 2014. Attendance in summer classes will be required to complete this degree in four years from the first date of enrollment in the VCCS program.

*ENGL 370 is not guaranteed to be offered summer semester, so a re-ordering of courses may be necessary to ensure graduation within 2 years of enrollment at ODU. Please refer to the ODU summer course offerings and work with your academic advisor to ensure a timely graduation.

Upper Division General Education is satisfied through professional education sequence, so a re-ordering of courses may be necessary to ensure graduation within 2 years of enrollment at ODU. Please refer to the ODU summer course offerings and meet with your academic advisor to ensure a timely graduation.

Meeting Praxis req. before finishing SPED 400 is strongly recommended.

Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.80 overall and in the major, a grade of C or better in all courses required for the major, including prerequisite courses, 120 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 30 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours in upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University, completion of ENGL 110C, ENGL 211C or 211C, and a writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better, and completion of Senior Assessment.

Please note there is a background clearance.