The Liberal Studies major is designed to offer the student a broad, interdisciplinary program of study, the epitome of the liberal arts education. Two emphases are available to Liberal Studies majors: General and Teacher Education.

**Liberal Studies/General Emphasis**

Students enrolled in the Liberal Studies/General Emphasis major complete a total of 84 semester units distributed among the following four areas:

- English & Communication 18-24
- Humanities & Fine Arts 18-24
- Social Science 18-24

In each of the above divisions, the student must complete at least 18 units and may count no more than 24 units toward the 84 unit requirement. At least 24 units of the 84 units must be at the upper division level. A maximum of 12 units of Bible and 6 units of music performance coursework may be counted in the Humanities/Fine Arts section of the major.

**Liberal Studies/Teacher Education Emphasis**

Students wanting to obtain a California Multiple Subject Preliminary Teaching Credential may enroll in the Liberal Studies/Teacher Education emphasis. It has been developed to prepare students for the California Subject Examination for Teachers: Multiple Subjects.

Requirements for this emphasis include specific general education courses as well as courses selected from various disciplines taught in the elementary classroom and are listed in the column to the right. Requirements include general education core courses and an advanced specialization.

**Minimum Grade for Courses in Major**

Students in the teacher education emphasis are required to earn a grade of C- or above in every course in LS curriculum. A student who earns below a C- must repeat the course to earn the teacher education emphasis.

**Minimum Grade for Education Courses**

Students in the teacher education emphasis are required to earn a grade of a B- or better in every course taken in the Teacher Education Department. These have an ED prefix.

### LIBERAL STUDIES/TEACHER EDUCATION MAJOR CORE COURSES

For a Bachelor of Arts degree in Liberal Studies/Teacher Education with a Multiple Subject Credential emphasis, the following specific courses are required:

- ART330  Art Components & Techniques ...........................................3
- BE301  Child & Adolescent Development ........................................2
- BCW400  Christian World View ..................................................3
- C100  Spoken Communication ....................................................3
- E  English/American/World Literature ........................................3
- E110  English Composition ............................................................3
- E322  Children’s Literature ...........................................................3
- ECN200  Economics & Society .......................................................3
- ED101  Freshman Integration Seminar ...........................................1
- ED202  Sophomore Integration Seminar ............................................2
- ED301  Junior Integration Seminar ................................................2
- ED400  Foundations of Education ................................................3
- ED402  Senior Integration Seminar in LS .......................................3
- ED410  Technology Uses in Education ............................................3
- E303  Introduction to Linguistics OR .............................................3
- ESL351  Language & Language Acquisition OR ....................................
- EA346  History of the English Language ........................................3
- H211  World History I or test ........................................................3
- H212  World History II or test +UD World .......................................3
- H241  U.S. History I ........................................................................3
- H332  California: Past & Present ....................................................3
- KPE415  Elementary P.E. Components & Techniques ........................2
- LS141  Principles of Biology w/lab .................................................4
- LS200  Foundations of Science .......................................................3
- MA201  Mathematical Systems for Elementary Teachers I ..................3
- MA202  Mathematical Systems for Elementary Teachers II ..................3
- MU190  Introduction to Music & Art ................................................3
- MU431  Music Components & Tech. for Elem. Teachers ........................3
- P321W  Philosophies of Education ................................................3
- POL220  U.S. Government ..............................................................3
- PS222  Earth Science for Elem. Teachers .........................................2
- PS231  Physical Science for Elem. Teachers .....................................2
- SS381  Cultural Geography ............................................................3

Total units required for major .........................................................86

### Areas of Specific Concentration

In addition to the courses listed above, every student must complete 12 units of advanced study in a specific area of concentration. All concentrations include HU312 Disciplinary Connections. Students select nine (9) additional units from one of the
following list of concentrations:

- Communication
- Computer Concepts and Applications
- English
- Foreign Language – Spanish
- History - United States
- History - World
- Intercultural
- Israel
- Mathematics
- Music
- Physical Education
- Political Studies
- Science
- Visual and Performing Arts
- Writing