	FALL		SPRING		
	Curriculum	Checkpoints	Curriculum	Checkpoints	
Freshman	 ENG170 Basic Communication Recommended, not required: EDI233 Education Sem (1) Foreign Language Content Content Content 	 □ Declare major (if necessary) □ Complete Curriculum Plan with Education Advisor □ Complete Major Plan with Content Advisor 	 Basic Communication (if needed) Foreign Language Content Content Content 	Checkpoint: ☐ Overall GPA at least 3.0 ☐ B or better in Basic Communication course(s) ☐ Satisfactory application essay	
Sophomore	 EDS340 Sociological & Philosophical Foundations of Education (3) Content Content Content 		 EDS372 Developing Adolescent (3) SED354 Foundations Sem (1) Content Content Content 	Checkpoint: ☐ Overall GPA at least 3.0 ☐ B or better in Comp II ☐ Create TEACH Account, and complete fingerprinting process (\$\$)	
Junior	 EDS383 Intro to Literacy for Diverse Learners (3) SPE385 Differentiating Instruction in Sec School (3) Content Content Content 	 □ Take workshops (\$\$) ○ SAVE School Violence Prevention ○ Child Abuse Identification ○ DASA (Dignity for All Students) ○ Health & Safety EDI095 □ Register for Fieldwork I, form on my.new.paltz □ If you don't have a car, arrange for transportation to Fieldwork. 	 SED453 Intro Curriculum and Assessment (3)** SED353 Fieldwork #1 (1)** Content Content Content 	Checkpoint: ☐ Overall GPA at least 3.0 ☐ Register for Fieldwork II, form on my.new.paltz	
Senior	 SED356 Teaching & Learning in the Digital Environment (3)** SED370 Teaching Content in Sec School (3)** SED350 Fieldwork #2 (1)** EDI399 Prep ELL Learners (1) Optional test prep Content Content 	 □ Overall GPA at least 3.0 & B or better in Methods required for Student teaching □ Register for and take exams (\$\$): ○ Educating All Students (EAS) ○ Content Specialty Test (CST) □ Complete Student Teaching Application □ Attend mandatory ST Information session 	 SED407 Fieldwork #3 (1)** SED404 Student Teaching in the Middle School (6)** SED405 Student Teaching in the Senior High School (6)** SED406 Student Teaching Seminar (1)** 	 □ Complete Application for Undergraduate Degree (by July 1 for Dec or Jan 1 for May grad) □ Complete TPA □ Apply for Teaching Certificate (\$\$) □ If you plan to teach in the Hudson Valley, you MUST have a car 	

^{\$\$ =} There is a fee associated with this task. ** = **Required** course couplings: SED453 & SED353; SED350, SED370, & SED 356; SED407, SED404, SED405, & SED406. **Recommended** course couplings: EDS383 & SPE385

IMPORTANT WEBSITES FOR INFORMATION

- Registering for fieldwork courses, getting your fingerprints cleared on your progress report/transcript, workshops, tests. https://www.newpaltz.edu/adolescence-education/advisement---fingerprinting-workshops-tests/
- School of Education Certification Assistance website: https://www.newpaltz.edu/schoolofed/student-resources/certification.html
- CONTACT & RESOURCES:

School of Education Certification Advisor Contact Information: Chris Whitaker, Old Main Building Room 218C, Mon-Fri 2:00-5:00 for appointments. 845-257-2790 or whitakec@newpaltz.edu.

Adolescent Education/Social Studies Majors

Need: 13 courses; 43-46 credits.* Only marks of C- or above count for major courses. Majors must take at least one pre-1500 course.

Area	Course # & Title	Credits	History	Upper Lev
US, 3 courses: 3 co	ourses, 10-11 Credits, at least one at 200 level and one at 300-400 level	el; at least one must be History		
Europe: 3 courses,	10-11 Credits, at least one at 200 level and one at 300-400 level; at least	east one must be History	•	•
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Africa, Asia (includ	ling Russia), Latin America, Middle East: 3 courses, 10-11 Credits, at l	east one at 200 level and one at 300-400 level;	at least one mus	t be History
Geography/Econor	mics: 3 courses, 9 credits, GEO201 Hum Geo or GEO213 Eco Geo plus	one additional Geo and an ECO course or 2 eco	nomics courses.	•
GEO201/GEO213				
ECO				
GEO or ECO				
Political Science: 1	course, 4 credits, POL216 Am Gov't, POL227 Int'l Pols, OR POL220 Int	ro to Comp Pols	•	•
TOTALS	<u> </u>			

^{*}Some courses count toward GE as well as major requirements.