History Education

Department Information

- **Department Location:**
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- **Department Phone:**
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- **Department Web Site:**
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- **Credential Offered:**
  B.S.; B.A.
- **Plan Of Study Sample:**
  [bulletin.ndsu.edu/programs-study/undergraduate/history-education/#planofstudytext](http://bulletin.ndsu.edu/programs-study/undergraduate/history-education/#planofstudytext)

Major Requirements

**Major: History Education**

**Degree Type:** B.A. or B.S.
**Minimum Degree Credits to Graduate:** 120

**University Degree Requirements**

1. Satisfactory completion of all requirements of the curriculum in which one is enrolled.
2. Earn a minimum total of 120 credits in approved coursework. Some academic programs exceed this minimum.
3. Satisfactory completion of the general education requirements as specified by the university.
4. A minimum institutional GPA of 2.00 based on work taken at NDSU.
5. At least 36 credits presented for graduation must be in courses numbered 300 or higher.
6. Transfer Students: Must earn a minimum of 60 credits from a baccalaureate-degree granting or professional institution.
   a. Of these 60, at least 36 must be NDSU resident credits as defined in #7.
   b. Within the 36 resident credits, a minimum of 15 must be in courses numbered 300 or higher and 15 credits in the major field of study.
7. At least 36 credits must be NDSU resident credits. Resident credits include credits registered and paid for at NDSU.

For complete information, please refer to the [Degree and Graduation Requirements](http://bulletin.ndsu.edu/academic-policies/undergraduate-policies/degree-and-graduation/) section of this Bulletin.

**University General Education Requirements**

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**Total Credits**

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* May be satisfied by completing courses in another General Education category.
† General education courses may be used to satisfy requirements for both general education and the major, minor, and program emphases, where applicable. Students should carefully review major requirements to determine if specific courses can also satisfy these general education categories.

- A list of university approved general education courses and administrative policies are available here (http://bulletin.ndsu.edu/academic-policies/undergraduate-policies/general-education/#genedcoursestext).

### Major Requirements

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<td>HIST 390</td>
<td>Historical Research and Writing (May satisfy general education category C)</td>
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<td>HIST 489</td>
<td>Senior Seminar (Capstone)</td>
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Distribution Requirement: Select 6 credits from each of the 3 categories. 18

North American History (6 cr):
- HIST 382 Canada
- HIST 421 Revolutionary America
- HIST 422 American Civil War and Reconstruction
- HIST 423 The Gilded Age and Progressive America
- HIST 424 U.S. History 1917-1960
- HIST 425 U.S. History 1917-Present II
- HIST 431 The North American Plains
- HIST 434 Environmental History
- HIST 436 American Frontier to 1850
- HIST 437 American West Since 1850
- HIST 426 Women in American History
- HIST 415 Public Memory and Memorialization in America
- HIST 420 Colonial American History

European History (6 cr):
- HIST 320 History of Christianity
- HIST 450 Ancient History
- HIST 451 Medieval History
- HIST 454 Renaissance And Reformation
- HIST 455 The Eighteenth Century
- HIST 456 Europe 1815-1914
- HIST 457 Europe Since 1914
- HIST 465 Germany since 1750
- HIST 464 Imperial Spain
- HIST 467 History Of Russia II
- HIST 452 The Viking Age
- HIST 652 The Viking Age

Widening Horizons (6 cr):
- HIST 381 Australia & New Zealand
- HIST 440 The Ottoman Empire
- HIST 473 Colonial Mexico
- HIST 475 The Aztec, Maya, and Inca
- HIST 474 Modern Mexico
- HIST 477 Slavery in the Atlantic World
- HIST 480 History of Modern China from 1600
- HIST 481 History of Japan
- HIST 482 Vietnam: 125 Years of Conflict
- HIST 484 Cultures and Civilizations of the Pre-modern World
HIST 485  Cultural Exchange and the Making of the Modern World

**Additional Major/Minor/Electives**  
Of these nine credits, at least one course in political science, geography, economics, sociology, anthropology or psychology is required beyond the introductory level.

**Professional Education Requirements**

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**Total Credits**  
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**Degree Requirements and Notes**

- Courses taken *Pass/Fail* will not be used to satisfy any requirements other than total credits.
- A grade of ‘C’ or better is required in all professional education courses.
- To be placed in student teaching, a 2.75 cumulative GPA and a 2.75 GPA in professional education coursework is required.
- To exit the program, a 2.75 cumulative GPA and a 2.75 GPA in professional education coursework is required as well as completing the Praxis Subject test and the Principles of Learning and Teaching test.