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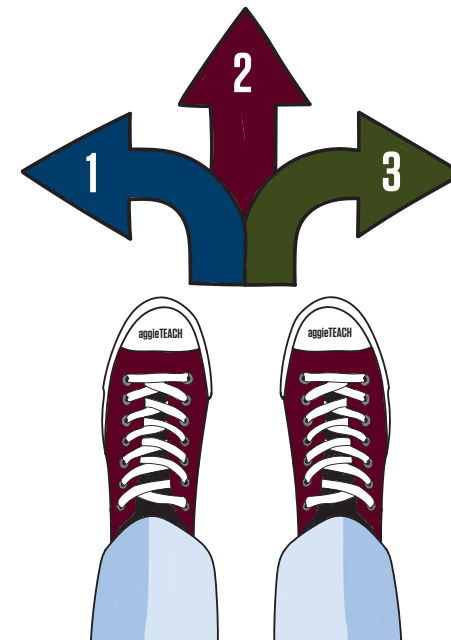


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aggieTEACH

SECONDARY TEACHER CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS



Join the profession that transforms
all other professions. TEACH.

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OVERVIEW

aggieTEACH is the perfect professional endorsement for those who are interested in teaching middle and high school subjects such as mathematics, science, English, history, social studies and computer science.

aggieTEACH prepares candidates for initial teacher certification so that they can enter the secondary classroom after graduating with a bachelor's degree.

aggieTEACH offers three (3) pathways for non-education majors. Pathways 1 and 2 are for undergraduates who seek a minor in secondary education. Pathway 3 is for undergraduates who are near degree completion or those who already hold a bachelor's degree.

Pathway 1: Early Entry into the Secondary Education Minor through Your Degree Program

Pathway 2: Traditional Secondary Education Minor

Pathway 3: Secondary Graduate Certification Program / Post-Baccalaureate

PARTICIPATING COLLEGES & CAMPUSES

College of Agricultural & Life Sciences
College of Engineering
College of Geosciences*
College of Liberal Arts
College of Science
College of Veterinary Medicine &
Biomedical Sciences*
Galveston, Department of Marine Biology
Secondary Graduate Certification Program/
Post-Baccalaureate (TLAC)

*2021

PATHWAYS 1+2: MINOR IN SECONDARY EDUCATION

PATHWAY 1: EARLY ENTRY

Pathway 1 is perfect for students who want to begin meeting the requirements for the aggieTEACH program in their freshman or sophomore year. It embeds in students' degree plans 18 credit hours towards a Secondary Education Minor plus one semester of clinical teaching.

PATHWAY 2: TRADITIONAL SECONDARY MINOR

Pathway 2 is ideal for students who enter the aggieTEACH program during their junior year. 18 credit hours for a Secondary Education Minor plus one semester of clinical teaching are added in the last 2 years of the student's degree plan.

In addition, both pathways require:

- Majoring in a subject area for which teacher certification options are available
- Completing content courses listed on the teaching Field Plan for the desired area of certification (most will overlap with courses in the declared major)
- Enrolling in one semester of clinical teaching after all coursework for the major degree and Secondary Education minor are completed
- Passing score on the TExES Teaching Certification exams.

Students must be formally admitted into the aggieTEACH program in order to be eligible for the minor in Secondary Education. Interested students should contact a TLAC undergraduate advisor located in Harrington Tower.

PROGRAM PREREQUISITES:

1. 2.75 minimum overall GPR
2. 2.5 GPR in content area
3. 30-80 completed college credit
4. Three letters of recommendation
5. Must have at least three semesters remaining as an undergraduate student.

PATHWAY 3: SECONDARY GRADUATE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

Pathway 3 is designed for students in their senior year of undergraduate studies, or those who already hold a bachelor's degree, and are now interested in earning a secondary teaching certificate. A paid internship as a classroom teacher of record and the opportunity to apply all coursework toward the Master of Education degree are unique features of this program.

Track 1: Teacher Certification: Candidates earn a teaching certificate and 21 graduate credits.

Track 2: Bachelor Certification with a Masters of Education. Candidates earn teaching certificate and master's degree in education (36 credit hours), with a focus in curriculum and instruction.

Candidates must be formally admitted into the Graduate Certification Program. Interested candidates should contact a TLAC graduate advisor located in Harrington Tower.

PROGRAM PREREQUISITES:

1. Students with two semesters or less to complete their undergraduate degree or graduates with an earned bachelor's degree
2. 2.75 minimum overall GPR
3. Coursework:
 - a. (3) INST 210
 - b. (3) TEFB 324
4. Teaching field plan signed by an academic advisor in your teaching field
5. TLAC Departmental application for M. Ed.
6. Graduate studies admissions application
7. Three letters of recommendation
8. TExES Content Exam