



B.S. in Education: Library Science Requirements

The Bachelor of Science in Education: Library Science Program provides course preparation in education and includes clinical experience. The program leads to a bachelor's degree and teaching certification in Library Science.

Note that all students must achieve 120 undergraduate credits and a minimum 3.0 overall GPA to graduate. The final GPA requirement for Library Science Bachelor of Science in Education is 3.0.

Required Professional Pre-Candidacy Courses – 27 credits

In addition to the directed general education courses listed below, these courses must be taken before candidacy.

LLTC 200 Foundations of Information Science (3 credits)

LLTC 310 Information Resources & Services (3 credits)

LLTC 320 Resources for Children & Young Adults (3 credits)

LLTC 321 Technologies for the 21st Century Educator (3 credits)

LLTC 330 Makerspaces & Technology Enhanced Programming (3 credits)

PSYC 011 General Psychology (3 credits)

SPEE 316 Literacy Development & Instruction in Core Intervention Areas (3 credits) *Grade of C required.*

EDUC 100 Perspectives on American Education (3 credits) *or* EDUC 101 Teaching Pre-K-8; Exploration & Investigation (3 credits) *Grade of C required.*

PSYC 110 Child Psychology (3 credits) *or* PSYC 120 Adolescent Psychology (3 credits)

Professional Semester Courses – 15 credits

A student must have achieved teacher candidacy to register for these courses. The courses are usually scheduled in a block during the spring semester. A final grade of C or better is required in these courses.

LLTC 324 Librarian's Role in Reading Strategies (3 credits)

LLTC 340 Management of Information & Technology Centers (3 credits)

LLTC 350 Collecting and Curating Print & Digital Resources (3 credits)

LLTC 360 Organization of Information, Metadata, & Library Technologies (3 credits)

LLTC 370 Educational Program of The Library (3 credits)

Clinical Experience Courses – 12 credits

A student must have achieved teacher candidacy to register for these courses. The courses are usually scheduled in a block during the fall semester. A final grade of C or better is required in these courses.

LLTC 398 Clinical Experience & Practicum I (6 credits)

LLTC 399 Clinical Experience & Practicum II (6 credits)

University Elective Courses – 24 credits

These courses may be taken as university electives, or as part of a minor. However, they are required for completion of the degree.

Directed General Education Courses – 21 credits

While counting toward General Education fulfillment, these courses are required for completion of the major. All must be completed before candidacy. A final grade of C or better is required.

COMP 100-level course – Category A1 (3 credits)

ENGL Literature course – Category D (3 credits)

2 MATH courses at MATH 017 level or higher – Categories C2 and C3 (6 credits)

EDUC 150 Meeting the Instructional Needs of English Language Learners – Category B (3 credits)

SPEE 201 Cognitive Development of Diverse Learners – Category B (3 credits)

SPEE 314 Effective Instructional Strategies – Category B (3 credits)

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KU B.S. Education: Library Science Check Sheet

Student Name:

Student ID Number:

This check sheet provides a mechanism for students and advisors to keep track of a student's progress in the program. Please refer to the program requirements for more details regarding options.

Note that all students must achieve 120 undergraduate credits and a minimum 3.0 overall GPA to graduate. The final GPA requirement for Library Science – Bachelor of Science in Education is 3.0.

Required Library Science (BSED) Pre-Candidacy Courses – 27 credits

PSYC 011 General Psychology	3 credits	Grade:
PSYC 110 Child Psychology or PSYC 120 Adolescent Psychology	3 credits	Grade:
EDUC 100 Perspectives on American Education or EDUC 101 Teaching Pre-K-8: An Exploration and Investigation	3 credits	Grade:
SPEE 316 Literacy Development and Instruction in Core and Intervention Areas	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 200 Foundations of Information Science	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 310 Information Resources and Services	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 320 Resources for Children and Young Adults	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 321 Technologies for the 21st Century Educator	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 330 Makerspaces and Technology Enhanced Programming	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	27 total credits	

Professional Semester Courses – 15 credits

The following courses are scheduled in a block format. Students must have achieved Teacher Candidacy. A final grade of C or higher is required.

LLTC 324 Librarian's Role in Reading Strategies	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 340 Management of Information and Technology Centers	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 350 Collecting and Curating Print and Digital Collections	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 360 Organization of Information, Metadata and Library Technologies	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 370 Educational Program of the Library	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	15 total credits	

Clinical Experience Courses – 12 credits

The following courses are scheduled in a block format. Students must have achieved Teacher Candidacy. A final grade of C or higher is required.

LLTC 398 Clinical Experience & Practicum I	6 credits	Grade:
LLTC 399 Clinical Experience & Practicum II	6 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	12 total credits	

University Elective Courses – 24 credits

Course 1:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 2:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 3:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 4:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 5:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 6:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 7:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 8:	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	24 total credits	

Directed General Education Courses

Note: a final grade of a C or higher is required in the following coursework.

COMP 100-level course (Category A1)	3 credits	Grade:
Choose 1 ENGL Literature course (Category D)	3 credits	Grade:
Choose 1 MATH 017 or higher course (Category C2)	3 credits	Grade:
Choose 1 MATH 017 or higher course (Category C3)	3 credits	Grade:
EDUC 150 Meeting the Instructional Needs of English Language Learners (Category B)	3 credits	Grade:
SPEE 201 Cognitive Development of Diverse Learners (Category B)	3 credits	Grade:
SPEE 314 Effective Instructional Strategies (Category B)	3 credits	Grade:

Summary of Graduation Requirements

Total credits from major courses	54
Total credits from general education program	42
Total credits from electives	24
Minimum total credits to graduate	120
Minimum overall GPA	3.0
Minimum GPA in major program	3.0

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B.S. Education: Library Science 8-Semester Planner

Student Name:

Student ID Number:

Each semester listed below provides information including course categories, typical credit hours (CH.), and space to add specific course selections. This planner is a suggested path. Consult with your advisor regarding your unique plans and interests as you make choices about your schedule.

First Semester Plan

Gen Ed	COMP 100 (Category A1)	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	EDUC 100	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	FYSM 100	3 CH.	Selection: FYSM 100 -
Gen Ed	MATH 017 or above (Category C2)	3 or 4 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	PSYC 011	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15-16 CH.	

Second Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A2	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category A3	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	MATH 017 or above (Category C3)	3 or 4 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 200	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 320	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15-16 CH.	

Third Semester Plan

Gen Ed	EDUC 150 (Category B)	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	English Literature (Category D)	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category C1	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	SPEE 201 (Category B)	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 330	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Fourth Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A4	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category D	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	PSYC 110 or PSYC 120	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	SPEE 314 (Category B)	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Fifth Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category D	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 310	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 321	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	SPEE 316	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Sixth Semester Plan

Major	LLTC 324	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 340	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 350	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 360	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 370	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Seventh Semester Plan

Major	LLTC 398	6 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 399	6 CH.	Selection:
Total		12 CH.	

Eighth Semester Plan

Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Additional Notes:

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