



# B.A.E. Secondary Education (Geography)

Catalog: 2005-2006

## Initial Teacher Certification (ITC) program

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This checksheet is for Secondary Education (Geography) majors in the College of Education. It should be used with the B.A.E. Secondary Education checksheet, which outlines the general studies requirements and the Initial Teacher Certification (ITC) program requirements.

Students in the College of Education have two catalog years: an ASU catalog year and a College of Education catalog year. Academic Specialization requirements are determined by a student's ASU catalog year, whereas ITC program courses are determined by the College's alternative catalog year.

### Academic Specialization Admission Requirements

The following courses must be completed with a "C" (2.0) or higher **before** applying to the ITC program:

- At least **three** (3) required courses in academic specialization

### Academic Advising

For advising prior to admission into the ITC program, please contact:

Pre-professional students are advised by a team of academic advisors whose primary focus is preparing students for admission into the Initial Teacher Certification (ITC) program. To schedule an appointment with a recruiter or pre-professional advisor, please call (480) 965-5555.

For advising after admission into the ITC program, please contact:

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### Additional Information

- All specialization courses must be completed prior to student teaching
- A "C" (2.0) grade minimum is required in all academic specialization courses

## Academic Specialization - Geography (30 hours)

### Core

(11 hours)

All of the following are required:

Course number & title	Cr	GS	UD
GCU 102: Introduction to Human Geography	3	SB	
GCU 121: World Geography	4	SB,G	
GPH 111: Introduction to Physical Geography	4	SQ	

### Electives

(9-10 hours)

Geography elective hours must be at the upper division level. Courses should be chosen in consultation with the academic specialization advisor. In some cases, 13 hours of electives or more are required to meet the minimum 30 hours required for academic specialization.

### Human Geography

(3 hours)

Select one of the following:

GCU 141: Introduction to Economic Geography	3	SB,G	
GCU 351: Population Geography	3	SB,G	X
GCU 361: Urban Geography	3	SB	X
GCU 322: Geography of US and Canada	3	SB, C	X

### Teaching methods

Choose two of the following:

Course number & title	Cr	GS	UI
GCU 414: Teaching Geography Standards	3		X
SED 480: Social Studies Methods	3		X

### Physical Geography

(3-4 hours)

Select one of the following:

GPH 210: Society and Environment	3	G	
GPH 211: Landform Processes	3	L	
GPH 212: Introduction to Meteorology and	3	SG	
GPH 214: Introduction to Meteorology Lab	1		
GPH 314: Global Change	3	HU,G	X