

# Teachers College

## Content Evaluation Guidelines: Evaluation of Eligibility

### Master of Arts in Teaching or Post-Baccalaureate in Social Science Education

A transcript evaluation is completed once official transcripts from all previously attended institutions have been received by WGU. Please note that transcripts must be sent to WGU directly from the issuing institution to be considered official. WGU does not perform unofficial evaluations or accept unofficial transcripts. The guidelines below will provide a good indication of the content area requirements needed for admission into the Master of Arts in Teaching or Post-Baccalaureate Social Science Education programs. Transcripts must be received prior to your initial term start date.

To be eligible to begin the Master of Arts in Teaching or Post-Baccalaureate program, you must meet the content requirements listed below.

#### COURSES ACCEPTED:

- Must be college level from a regionally accredited institution in the United States.
- Students must present a grade point average of 2.0 (C) on all coursework submitted (**WGU TX requires a grade point average of 2.5 or better.**)
- May not be used to fulfill more than one course of study.
- Must meet the competency unit and content equivalency requirements.

<i>Social Science Content Area Requirements</i>	
AREA	CONTENT REQUIREMENT
World History	A two or more course sequence in world history or world civilization, covering pre-history to present.
United States History	A two or more course sequence in United States history, covering pre-colonization to present.
American Government	One course in, or specific to, American government.
Geography	One course in geography, from the social sciences.
Economics	A two course sequence in microeconomics and macroeconomics.
Political Science	Two courses in any of the following areas: political science, government, comparative politics, or international politics. American Government may not be used to fill this area.
Behavioral Science	Two courses in psychology, sociology, or anthropology.

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