

VIRGINIA WESLEYAN COLLEGE  
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT  
**Transfer Student Guide**  
Secondary Education (6-12) Teacher Certification

**Major Required**

<b>Fall Semester</b>			<b>Spring Semester</b>		
INST 202	School and Society	3	SPED 371	Foundations/Legal/Ethical Aspects of Special Education	3
EDUC 225	Characteristics of the Learner	3	EDUC 319	Reading in the Content Area	3
EDUC 338	Middle School Teaching Methods	3	INST 303	Applied Technology for Innovative Instruction	3
<b>Total: 9 hours</b>			<b>Total: 9 hours</b>		
<b>Fall Semester</b>			<b>Spring Semester</b>		
EDUC 375	Content Teaching Methods	3	EDUC 445	Secondary Preservice Teaching I	7.5
EDUC 340	Secondary Practicum	1	EDUC 446	Secondary Preservice Teaching II	7.5
<b>Total: 4 hours</b>			<b>Total: 15 hours</b>		
<b>Cumulative Total: 37 hours</b>					

- During the **First** semester of EDUCATION courses at VWC, the student must make application to the Education Department. See Barbara Hodges, Faculty Secretary, Pruden Hall, for an admission packet.
- One of the criteria for admission to the Education Department is that the student must pass the PRAXIS I test.
- One of the exit criteria for certification is that the student must pass the PRAXIS II test.
- When a student registers for a **practicum** course as well as **student teaching**, a placement request form must be completed at that time. See Director of Field Experiences, Blocker 20.

**Required Courses:**

COMM 222    Speech  
ENG 222     Modern English Grammar