# SECONDARY EDUCATION



# WHAT IS SECONDARY EDUCATION?

Candidates who want to be a licensed middle or high school teacher when they graduate pursue a double major: one major in Secondary Education and one in a chosen field of study. The respective field of study department creates the program of study for secondary education majors. While candidates will take a number of education courses in their chosen field of study/major along with content courses, all secondary education majors take a common set of general education and teacher education courses.

## **R**ELATED CAREER TITLES

Adventure & Outdoor Education	Education Consultant	High School Teacher	Resource Teacher
Business Manager	Education Management Specialist	Kindergarten Teacher	School Psychologist
Camp Director (Counselor)	Educational Administrator	Librarian	Social Services Worker
Child Life Specialist	Educational Materials Sales Rep.	Library Consultant	Special Education Administrator
Coach	Educational Resource Coordinator	Media Center Specialist	Speech Pathologist
Consulting (various areas)	Educational Therapist	Missionary Worker	Teacher, Handicapped Students
Curriculum Specialist	Elementary School Teacher	Physical Education Instructor	Training & Development Specialist
Day Care Administrator	Employee Training Instructor	Preschool Administrator	Tutor
Education and Training Administrator	Guidance Counselor	Public Relations	Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor

#### **TRANSFERABLE SKILLS**

Ability to work with a team of educators	Enjoy working with children	Pleasant, positive, and friendly personality		
Desire to make a difference in a child's success story	Good written and oral communication skills	Sensitivity to the differences and needs of others		
Develop excellent organizational and planning skills				

Attainment and demonstration of NACE Career Readiness Competencies help prepare for a successful transition into the workplace.

## **CONTACT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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#### **RELATED CAREER EXPLORATION LINKS**

Teacher.org: <u>www.teacher.org</u> FHSU Career Services: <u>www.fhsu.edu/career/</u> Occupational Outlook Handbook: <u>www.bls.gov/ooh/</u>

