

**EAST TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY**

Clemmer College of Education and Human

Development

Student Name

**ADD-ON ENDORSEMENT PROGRAM OF STUDY****Government 6-12, Code 132**

ID#

**Special Note:** If adding to a Tennessee license that is already endorsed in at least one other area of social studies, we will recommend you for other social studies endorsements with minimum coursework as follows: 18 credit hours in History to add History 6-12, 9 credit hours in Economics to add Economics 6-12, 9 credit hours in Geography to add Geography 6-12, and 9 credit hours in Political Science to add Government 6-12.

The following two courses are required:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 1110 | Political Life (3)                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 1120 | Intro. to American Government (3) |

Choose one of the following courses:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 2210 | Introduction to Comparative Politics (3) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 2220 | Introduction to World Politics (3)       |

Choose two of the following courses:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3710 | State and Local Government (3)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3220 | The Supreme Court (3)                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3030 | American Political Parties (3)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3050 | Interest Groups in American Politics (3) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3060 | Southern Politics (3)                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3130 | American Political Thought (3)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 4730 | American Public Policy (3)               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 4160 | The Idea of the City (3)                 |

Choose one of the following courses:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3200 | Law and the Judicial Process (3)     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3205 | Constitution and Civil Liberties (3) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3210 | Due Process and Adjudication (3)     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3230 | American Constitutional Law (3)      |

Choose one of the following courses:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3310 | International Relations (3)                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3800 | European Politics (3)                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3830 | Government and Politics of Latin America (3) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3010 | Chinese Politics (3)                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3870 | Government and Politics of South Asia (3)    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | PSCI 3000 | Peace, Security and Development (3)          |

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS = 21

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Contact the Certification Coordinator, Clemmer College of Education and Human Development, Box 70685, Johnson City TN 37614 or Telephone (423) 439-7562 or Email: [teacherlicensure@etsu.edu](mailto:teacherlicensure@etsu.edu). Office located in Room 305 Warf-Pickel Hall.

- Complete and submit the [Declaration of Intent to Pursue Additional Teaching Endorsements](#) at the beginning of add-on coursework.
- Course substitution requests require a completed [Course Substitution Form](#), which must be routed through the certification officer.
- Teacher education students who are pursuing initial teaching license and wish to add credits toward an add-on endorsement may do so. Please be advised: An add-on program does not necessarily meet the requirements of a minor, and substitutions or approvals made for teaching add-ons do not take the place of catalog requirements or departmental advisement for degree purposes.
- Courses counted toward an add-on must have a minimum grade of "C" (2.0) or equivalent unless otherwise stated in this program sheet.
- Add-ons will not be verified unless all requirements for initial Tennessee teaching license are met.
- This endorsement can be added by coursework only, that is, by completing this add-on endorsement program of study, and does not require passing a content area assessment.
- When coursework is complete, please contact the Certification Officer to request the college submit the endorsement recommendation to your account in TNCompass.

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