Master of Arts in Education  
Middle Grades: Social Studies Education  
Proposed Plan of Study: Total Hours 39

**Professional Core** (12 hours total)

- EDN 5470 Advanced Classroom Management
- EDN 5480 Advanced Foundations of American Education
- EDN 5490 Effective Educational Leadership
- EDN 5660 Applied Educational Research

**Pedagogical Expertise** (3 hours total)

- SSE 5750 Social Studies Curriculum Transformation

**History** (9 hours total)

Select at least three courses:

- HST 5100 North Carolina History
- HST 5200 History of the South
- HSTS 5xxx

**Social Sciences** (9 hours total)

Select at least three courses from the following areas:

- Geography/Geology
- Political Science
- American Indian Studies
- Economics

**Required Middle Grades Capstone Courses** (6 hours)

- EDN 5760 Advanced Methods for Middle Grades Instruction
- EDN 5950 Professional Development and Leadership Seminar