

# SECONDARY TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAM: SCIENCE LICENSURE

## Prerequisite Courses

Take these before Senior Year:

- EDUC 101: Foundations of Education
- EDUC 240: Educational Psychology
- One additional Psychology course

## Entrance Requirements

In order to qualify for the program, you must have scored a 1100 or higher on the SAT, a 24 or higher on the ACT, or take the Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators tests and score at least Reading (176), Writing (173), Math (173).

## Content Area Requirements

1. CHEM 101 or higher-level chemistry course
2. BIO 201/202/203 or higher-level biology course
3. ECS 101 or higher-level environmental science course
4. PHYSICS 141/151/161 or higher-level physics course
5. One additional science course
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Recommended:

- If you are planning to teach Biology: BIO 201 & BIO 202 (or BIO 203), BIO 220 Cell Biology
- If you are planning to teach Chemistry: CHEM 201 & 202
- If you are planning to teach Physics: PHYSICS 142L/152L/162L, PHYSICS 264 Optics
- If you are planning to teach Earth and Environmental Science: ENVIRON 102; ECS 101; ECS 102; Astronomy course

Students may count 1 AP credit toward these requirements.

## Apply to the Program

Application Link: <https://bit.ly/dukeSTPP>

Set up a conference with Dr. Kisha Daniels.

[kisha.daniels@duke.edu](mailto:kisha.daniels@duke.edu), 919-660-3075

Complete the application & interview.

Priority deadline: End of sophomore spring

Final deadline: Junior fall semester

## Junior Spring

One Course Credit

EDUC 495: Teaching High School

*Note: All program courses count as electives for EDUC minor.*

## Senior Fall

Four Course Credits

EDUC 496S: Secondary School Issues

EDUC 497S: Reflective Practice and Leadership

EDUC 498: Secondary Education Internship

(Student Teaching; 2 credit course)

## To earn your Teaching License:

- Complete your student teaching and the courses above.
- Complete your edTPA Portfolio as a component of your senior year courses.
- Take the Praxis II Content Knowledge test.
- Submit your license application!

## CS Scholarship

Scholarships are available to complete this program Senior spring + one additional semester, or fully after graduation as a Continuing Studies student for only \$600 per course credit. Contact Morgan Carney at [emc23@duke.edu](mailto:emc23@duke.edu) for information.