## MAT Program Coursework – Social Studies 5-12

## Program Core Prerequisites (Grade of C or better required) for Admission to the MAT:

- ENGL 101 Writing and Rhetoric I
- ENGL 102 Writing and Rhetoric II
- COMM 202 Fundamentals of Speech

## **Specialization Course Requirements:**

These courses may be taken at the undergraduate or graduate level at any accredited college or university with a grade of C or better and a content GPA of 2.5 or better. At least half of these courses must be completed prior to admission (With an additional content knowledge test, admission can take place when 25% of the courses are completed.). All coursework not completed prior to admission must be completed prior to student teaching.

- HIST 201 (3) History of US to 1865
- HIST 202 (3) History of the US 1865 to Present
- HIST 309 (3) West Virginia and the Appalachian Region
- HIST 333 (3) Modern European History
- PSCI 300 (3) State and Local Government
- PSCI 101 (3) American Federal Government
- Economics (3)
- Behavioral Sciences (3) Psychology, Sociology, Anthropology
- Geography Course (3)
- Upper Division Social Studies Electives (6)—History, Political Science, Psychology, Economics, Geography, Anthropology, Sociology

## **Master of Teaching Course Requirements:**

A grade of C or better is required in each of the following courses with an overall GPA of 3.0.

- EDUC 500 (3) Advancing the Use of Technology in the Classroom
- EDUC 503 (3) Literacy in the Content Area
- EDUC 527 (3) Inclusion Seminar
- EDUC 560 (3) Survey of Exceptionalities
- EDUC 581 (3) Social Foundations of American Education
- EDUC 582 (3) Learning in Contexts
- EDUC 583 (3) Planning, Conducting and Assessing Instruction
- EDUC 584 (3) Classroom Ecology
- EDUC 585 (3) Content Pedagogy
- Graduate Electives (6)
- EDUC 601 (6) Student Teaching

ALL coursework AND Praxis Content Tests are required prior to student teaching. A Teacher Performance Assessment is required during student teaching.