Educator Preparation Program Checklist

College of Liberal Arts Students

☐ Complete the University Core Curriculum with a grade of “C” or better

☐ Complete at least 60 semester credit hours

☐ Have a minimum cumulative UTEP Grade Point Average of 2.75

☐ Acquire a current degree plan evaluation signed and dated from the Secondary Teacher Education Program in the College of Liberal Arts

☐ Pass the Texas Higher Education Assessment (THEA). If you previously completed the Texas State Initiative (TSI) and passed all areas without exemptions, you may use the TSI in place of the THEA

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☐ Pass the Qualifying Content Exam with minimum score of 78% (English Language Arts, History and Social Studies Composite students)

☐ Complete the Educator Preparation Program Application Essay

☐ Complete the Educator Preparation Program Application with the assistance of the College of Liberal Arts Secondary Teacher Education Program.

For additional information, please contact the College of Liberal Arts Secondary Teacher Education Program in the Liberal Arts Building, Room 213 or email us at lartstep@utep.edu
Secondary and All-Level Teaching Fields

Secondary Education
- Dance
- English Language Arts and Reading
- History/Social Studies
- Journalism
- Speech

All-Level Education
- Art
- French
- Spanish
- Music
- Theatre

T.H.E.A.

Texas Higher Education Assessment

The THEA Test consists of three sections: Reading, Mathematics, and Writing. Each section of the THEA Test is designed to measure a student's academic skill against an established standard of competence. A student's score on each section of the test is based on his or her performance in relation to the skills being tested.

Testing Registration Fee $20
Payment: testingpayment.utep.edu
Registration: testregister.utep.edu

THEA Registration Fee $29
Register at http://thea.starttest.com

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