Teaching Options for History Majors

To Obtain an Ohio Teaching License: Two Options

1. Apply Through BGSU Admissions Office as a "Degree Holder Seeking Licensure" in the College of Education

Complete all additional coursework required for the Integrated Social Studies major

Advantage: Earn a second bachelor's degree

Graduate without a master's degree (and keep employing you

affordable)

Pay less for undergraduate credits than for graduate credits

Disadvantage: Must return to undergraduate status (can be demoralizing after

having graduated)

Earn no graduate degree to show for your work

2. Register as a graduate student in BGSU's "Curriculum and Teaching" Master's Program (EDTL)

Complete all graduate requirements

Advantage: Matriculate as a graduate student

Might qualify for a graduate assistantship

Graduate with a master's degree

Disadvantage: Might price yourself out of some jobs with a master's degree

Pay more for graduate credits than for undergraduate credits

To Locate and Qualify for Teaching Positions Outside of Ohio:

3. Study Department of Education Website for the State You're Considering

To Locate Teaching Positions in Private Schools—Schools That Do Not Necessarily Require a Teaching License:

4. Investigate National Association of Independent Schools: www.nais.org