Mathematics and Statistics

Bachelor of Education, Secondary Math



STAY ON COURSE

FINISH STRONG

See sample schedule for your degree

START WELL

- Meet with your major advisor
- Take WU 101 seriously
- Take advantage of WU tutoring
- Visit K-12 classrooms to make sure that secondary math teaching matches your career goals and life interests
- Declare your major (B.Ed. Secondary Math) and begin taking courses in your four-year plan

- · Meet with your advisor to ensure progress on your degree
- Check your degree progress with DegreeWorks
- Keep up with assignments
- · Learn from feedback
- Prepare in advance for exams

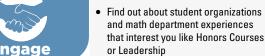
- Understand graduation requirements
- · Take your Praxis Math test immediately before student teaching

- Form study groups with fellow students
 - Attend the campus job fair
 - Consider an on-campus job to acquire transferable skills
- Find a satisfying trajectory into the mathematics education that you
- Join student organizations, like Math Club, KME or biology's Women in STEM program
- Become a math tutor for the department
- Collaborate with peers on projects
- Speak with a professor about project, volunteer or research opportunities
- Consider a Washburn Transformational Experience (WTE) project

- · Consider becoming an officer in math student organizations
- Complete a Washburn Transformational Experience project

WHAT'S NEXT?

Because Washburn University offers one of the strongest mathematics education programs in the state, our graduates find rewarding employment at many grade-levels and schools. The program prepares you for positions teaching math in middle and high schools. Every school needs a passionate teacher who excels at exploring and teaching math.



- Attend <u>Apeiron</u> presentations
- Develop professional references
- Assist in mathematics education campus events like Math Day or MathCounts
- · Stay physically active to sustain rigorous learning
- Engage with faculty; they can serve as your references

- · Prepare for the student teaching
- Apeiron



- As you observe K-12 teachers, take special notice of the behaviors you
- Reach out to former math teachers and your advisor for advice and quidance
- Visit the Career Engagement Office (CEO) for help with your resume
- · Sign up for Handshake
- · Research the job market

- Consider pursuing a WTE, Study Abroad or other experiential
- learning opportunities

- semester
- Present a poster/paper at

LEARN MORE:



- Maintain personal relationships with the teachers you observe • Attend all student-teaching preparation meetings from the
- · Build your resume
- · Create LinkedIn/Indeed account

Education Department

- Start connecting with employers through the Career & Internship Expo hosted by the Career Engagement Office
- Attend career fairs and apply for jobs in the district(s) of your choice
- Polish your resume
- Utilize the Career Engagement Office to search for jobs
- Complete your degree and start a career