

Course requirements in proposed General Education Curriculum
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Gathering and Using Information (Goal I.1 in “Statement of Purpose”)

1 approved First-Year Experience

- Required only for students arriving with 30 or fewer credit hours.

Effective Writing & Critical Reading; Oral & Visual Communication (Goal I.2)

3 approved courses:

- 1 academic writing course in first year
- 1 writing-intensive literature course
- 1 speaking-intensive course

Foreign Language (Goal I.3)

Demonstrate intermediate competency (202 level).

Mathematical Reasoning & Analysis (Goal II.1)

2 approved courses

Scientific Reasoning & Analysis; Knowledge of the Natural World (Goals II.1 & III.1)

3 approved courses & 2 approved labs

Interdisciplinary Analysis & Creative Problem-Solving (Goal II.3)

2 approved courses

Human History (Goal III.1)

2 approved courses

Artistic, Cultural, & Intellectual Traditions & Achievements (Goal III.2)

4 approved courses

- Coursework must come from 2 different departments or programs
- Coursework must include 1 course that studies visual or performing art, OR 1 course that combines the study of any art form with creation of the art form.
- Coursework not be double-counted with the writing-intensive literature course (Goal I.2) or with the human-history courses (Goal III.1)

Human Behavior & Social Interaction

2 approved courses

Contemporary International & Global Contexts (Goal IV.1)

1 approved course OR any study abroad course that earns C or C credit.

Multiple Cultural Perspectives (Goal IV.2)

1 approved course

Comparison of Proposed Requirements with Current Requirements
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Proposed Requirement & Hours <i>All courses in proposed curriculum are eligible to satisfy more than one requirement (double-count) unless otherwise indicated.</i>	Current Requirement & Hours <i>No current requirements may double-count.</i>
First-Year Experience: 3 hours	None
Communication-intensive courses: 9 hours <i>6 of 9 may not double-count</i>	ENGL 101-102 6 hours
Foreign language: 0-3 hours <i>(202 or placement)</i>	Foreign language 0-3 hours <i>(202 or placement)</i>
Mathematical reasoning: 6 hours	Math/logic sequence 6 hours
Scientific reasoning/ knowledge of natural world: 11 hours	Classroom & lab sequence in 1 natural science 8 hours
Interdisciplinary/creative thinking 6 hours	No requirement
Human history 6 hours <i>May not double-count</i>	HIST 101-102 6 hours
Artistic, cultural, intellectual traditions & achievements 12 hours, including 3 hrs arts	Humanities: 12 hours
Human behavior & social interaction 6 hours	Social sciences: 6 hours
International & global perspectives 3 hours	None
Multiple cultural perspectives 3 hours	None
Total: up to 68 hours; 15-21 hours will likely be double-counted, bringing total to 47-50 hours	Total: 44-47 hours