

## General Education Core Curriculum

### General Education Course Criteria

1. If prerequisite courses are required, they should be another General Education course.
2. The courses do not narrowly focus on those skills, techniques, and procedures specific to a particular occupation or profession.
3. Courses must cover General Learning objectives for the relevant General Education area.
4. General education courses should provide an introduction to a discipline, as in a survey course that covers a wide range of material within a specific discipline or area of inquiry and acquaints students with a broad section of the information or skills available in that area, or an appreciation course that introduces students to a creative field and leads to a general understanding and appreciation of work by others.
5. Courses that are "repeatable for credit" will not be accepted in the General Education Core Curriculum unless approved through GEAC.

### A. Core Proficiencies

	Baccalaureate	Associate
<b>Effective Communication: Writing</b> (English Composition)	9 hours	6 hours
ENGL 101 or ENGL 111. Each student shall fulfill English competency requirements by earning a C or better in 102.	(3 hrs.)	(3 hrs.)
ENGL 102 or ENGL 112. Each student shall fulfill English competency requirements by earning a C or better in 102.	(3 hrs.)	(3 hrs.)
<b>Writing-Intensive Course:</b> From ENGL 310, 366, 368, 468, BSAD 310, MACO 251 as specified by the major/minor/concentration/certification. These courses teach effective writing within a discipline with primary emphasis on the further development of essential writing and reasoning skills necessary for success in students' academic, personal, and professional lives.	(3 hrs.)	
<b>Quantitative Reasoning: Mathematics</b> (e.g., Mathematics, Statistics, Symbolic Logic)	6 hours	6 hours
MATH 101. College Algebra. MATH 102. Trigonometry. MATH 106. Calculus with Business and Economic Applications. MATH 108. Pre-Calculus.	MATH 113. Honors Pre-Calculus. MATH 114. Honors Trigonometry. MATH 117. Contemporary Mathematics and Quantitative Analysis. MATH 214. Introductory Statistics.	

### B. Breadth of Knowledge Areas

<b>Fine Arts</b> (e.g., Music, Visual Arts, Applied Arts, Theatre, Dance, Interdisciplinary)	3 hours	3 hours*
ART 110. Art Appreciation. ART 111. Honors Art Appreciation. ART 162. Travel Abroad Photography. ART 180. Major Art Monuments and Collections. ART 201. Beginning Drawing. ART 211. Beginning Painting. ART 221. Beginning Printmaking. ART 231. Beginning Ceramics. ART 240. Sculptural and Three-Dimensional Design. ART 261. Beginning Photography. ART 280. Art History: Ancient Art. ART 281. Art History: Non-Western Art. ART 282. Art History: Italian Renaissance Art. ART 383. Art History: Modern Art. ART 384. History of Photography. ART 386. History of American Art.	FNAR 105. Arts in Education. FNAR 301. Fine Arts Survey I. FNAR 302. Fine Arts Survey II. FNAR 303. Topics in Fine Arts. MUS 101. Basic Piano. MUS 102. Basic Piano. MUS 104. Basic Voice. MUS 105. General Music Appreciation. MUS 107. Honors Music Appreciation. MUS 319. Jazz History. MUS 320. History of Rock and Roll. MUS 407. World Music.	

<b>Humanities</b> (e.g., Literature, Foreign Languages, History, Classical Studies, Communications, Philosophy, Religious Studies, Interdisciplinary)		9 hours	3 hours*
<b>3 hours from the following 100 or 200 level HIST</b>			
HIST 101. History of Western Civilization. HIST 102. History of Western Civilization. HIST 105. Honors Western Civilization. HIST 106. Honors Western Civilization. HIST 150. World History. HIST 151. World History.	HIST 160. Honors World History I. HIST 161. Honors World History II. HIST 201. History of Women. HIST 255. American History. HIST 256. American History.	(3 hrs)	
<b>3 hours from the following Literature courses</b>			
ENGL 211. Honors Studies in Literature and Culture. ENGL 212. Children's and Young Adult Literature. ENGL 215. Introduction to Thematic Approaches to Literature. ENGL 216. Appreciation of Literary Genres. ENGL 217. Survey of Literary and Media Studies. ENGL 315. Survey of British Literature I. ENGL 316. Survey of British Literature II. ENGL 321. Survey of American Literature I. ENGL 322. Survey of American Literature II.	ENGL 321. Survey of American Literature I. ENGL 322. Survey of American Literature II. ENGL 323. Survey of African-American Literature. ENGL 332. Drama. ENGL 361. Modern Poetry. FREN 316. Survey of French Literature. SPAN 351. Introduction to Spanish Literature. SPAN 355. Introduction to Spanish-American Literature.	(3 hrs)	
<b>3 hours from the following Humanities courses</b>			
ART 110. Art Appreciation. ART 111. Honors Art Appreciation. ART 162. Travel Abroad Photography. ART 180. Major Art Monuments and Collections. ART 280. Art History Survey I. ART 281. Art History Survey II. ART 282. Art History Survey III. ART 383. Art History Survey IV. ART 384. History of Photography. ART 386. History of American Art. ART 392. Readings in Art History. ART 393. Honors Readings in Art History. CULA 101. Culinary History and Development. ENGL 211. Honors Studies in Literature and Culture. ENGL 212. Children's and Young Adult Literature. ENGL 240. Introduction to Film. ENGL 315. Survey of British Literature I. ENGL 316. Survey of British Literature II. ENGL 321. Survey of American Literature I. ENGL 322. Survey of American Literature II. ENGL 323. Survey of African-American Literature. ENGL 326. Introduction to Folklore. ENGL 332. Drama. ENGL 361. Modern Poetry. FREN 101. Elementary French I. FREN 102. Elementary French II. FREN 309. Children's Literature. FREN 310. Francophone Culture and Civilization. FREN 315. Survey of French Literature. FREN 316. Survey of French Literature. FREN 324. Advanced French Language Skills Through Immersion. FREN 330. Advanced French Conversation. FREN 350: Introduction to Commercial French.	HIST 201. History of Women. HIST 255. American History. HIST 256. American History. HIST 307: Modern East Asia HIST 311. African American History HIST 319: History of Women in America HIST 350. History of Latin America. HIST 371: History of Louisiana HUMA 111. The Honors Forum. HUMA 204. International Humanities. HUMA 260. European Humanities. HUMA 303. French and Francophone Literature in Translation. HUMA 350. Classical Mythology. HUMA 351. The Culture of Greece and Rome. MACO 101. Survey of Mass Communication. MACO 355. History and Principles of Mass Communication. MUS 105. General Music Appreciation. MUS 107. Honors Music Appreciation. MUS 240. Survey of Music Literature. MUS 319. Jazz History. MUS 320. History of Rock and Roll. MUS 340. Music History: c. 400 to 1750. MUS 341. Music History: 1750 to present. MUS 407. World Music. PHIL 203. General Introduction to Philosophy. SPAN 101. Elementary Spanish I.	(3 hrs)	

GOVT 355. Political Theory. HIST 101. History of Western Civilization. HIST 102. History of Western Civilization. HIST 105. Honors Western Civilization. HIST 106. Honors Western Civilization. HIST 150. World History. HIST 151. World History. HIST 160. Honors World History I. HIST 161. Honors World History II.	SPAN 102. Elementary Spanish II. SPAN 351. Introduction to Spanish Literature. SPAN 355. Introduction to Spanish-American Literature. SPCH 201. Interpersonal Communication. SPCH 300. Theater and Film Appreciation. SPCH 302. Persuasive Communication.		
<b>Natural Sciences</b>			
<b>Life Science: (e.g., Biology, Biochemistry, Botany, Zoology) and Physical Science: (e.g., Chemistry, Geology, Physics, Astronomy/Meteorology)</b>		9 hours	6 hours of any science. No sequence required.
Six hours shall be earned in a single life or physical science, and three hours must be earned in a natural science area other than that selected to fulfill the six-hour requirement, as specified by the major/minor/concentration/certification.			
<b>Life Science</b>			
BIOL 105. Basic Biology I – Principles of Biology. BIOL 106. Basic Biology II – The Diversity of Life. BIOL 114. Human Anatomy and Physiology I. BIOL 116. Human Anatomy and Physiology II. BIOL 124. Honors Human Anatomy and Physiology I.	BIOL 126. Honors Human Anatomy and Physiology II. BIOL 155. General Biology I. BIOL 156. General Biology II. BIOL 206. Tropical Biology I: Pacific slope. BIOL 207. Tropical Biology II: Caribbean slope. BIOL 215. Pirogue Biology		
<b>Physical Science</b>			
ASTR 101. Astronomy of the Solar System. ASTR 102. Astronomy of Stars and Galaxies. CHEM 101. General Chemistry I. CHEM 102. General Chemistry II. CHEM 105. Introductory Chemistry I. CHEM 106. Introductory Chemistry II. CHEM 109. General, Organic, and Biological Chemistry for Nursing. CHEM 208. Organic and Biological Chemistry for the Health Sciences. GEOL 101. Physical Geology. GEOL 102. Historical Geology. GEOL 300. Oceanography. GEOL 370. Environmental Geology	PHSC 101. Introductory Physical Science I. PHSC 102. Introductory Physical Science II. PHSC 103. Introductory Physical Science III. PHYS 101. Basic Physics. PHYS 102. Basic Physics. PHYS 151. Physics for Allied Health. PHYS 201. General Physics. PHYS 202. General Physics.		
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences Social Science</b>			
<b>Social Science: ( e.g., Anthropology, Criminal Justice, Economics, Geography, International Studies, Interdisciplinary, Political Science) and Behavioral Science: (e.g., Psychology, Sociology)</b>		6 hours	3 hours for A.S. 6 hours for A.G.S.
CRJU 101. Introduction to Criminal Justice. CRJU 201. Applied Criminology. CRJU 202. Public and Community Relations. CRJU 203. Criminal Related Law. CRJU 204. Police Administration. CRJU 220. Adjudication Process. CRJU 305. Introduction to Corrections. ECON 211. Principles of Microeconomics. ECON 212. Principles of Macroeconomics. ECON 255. Survey of Economic Principles. ECON 322. Environmental and Natural Resource Economics. GEOG 103. Physical Geography. GEOG 104. World Regional Geography. GOVT 101. American National Government. GOVT 250. Contemporary Political Ideologies. GOVT 252. State and Local Government. GOVT 351. American Political Thought. GOVT 355. Political Theory. GOVT 391. International Relations and Politics.	SOCI 302: Sociology of Aging SOCI 303: Religion -- A Social Force SOCI 304: Community Development SOCI 306: Case Management SOCI 324: Social Stratification SOCI 325: Medical Sociology SOCI 333: Sociology of Social Work SOCI 360: Population Demographics and Dynamics SOCI 380: Social Movements and Collective Behavior SOCI 385: Criminology SOCI 386: Sociology of Deviant Behavior SOCI 387: Sociology of Drug Abuse SOCI 390: Interpersonal Violence SOCI 391: Families and Lifestyles SOCI 395: Racial and Cultural Minorities PSYC 101. General Psychology.		

GOVT 399. Civil Liberties. SOCI 151: Introductory Sociology SOCI 155: Honors Introductory Sociology SOCI 201: Social Problems SOCI 204: Cultural Diversity in American Society SOCI 205: Social Research I SOCI 300: Social Service Institutions	PSYC 206. Child Psychology. PSYC 210. Adolescent and Adult Development. PSYC 212. Life Span Developmental Psychology. PSYC 311. Educational Psychology.		
<b>Total General Education Requirements</b>		42 hours	27-30 hours

\* At most, 3 of the 6 hours can be selected from the following skills courses. ART 201. Beginning Drawing, ART 211. Beginning Painting, ART 221. Beginning Printmaking, ART 231. Beginning Ceramics, ART 240. Sculptural and Three-Dimensional Design, ART 261. Beginning Photography, MUS 101. Basic Piano, MUS 102. Basic Piano, MUS 104. Basic Voice, FREN 101. Elementary French I, FREN 102. Elementary French II, SPAN 101. Elementary Spanish I, SPAN 102 Spanish II.

**University Requirement (UR)**

One freshman seminar course from the following approved list: UNIV 101 or PSET 100.

**Computer Literacy Requirement (CLR)- 2 hours**

Computer literacy competency requirements are specified by each department from the list of approved courses. Approved computer literacy courses: All CMPS; EDUC 251; MNTC 110; MACO 321, 322, 362; MUS 201; OIS 200; See program description for specific requirement by major.

**Oral Communication Requirement (OCR) – 3 hours**

Oral communication competency requirements are specified by each department from the list of approved courses. Approved oral communication courses: ART 251; EDUC 456, 457, 458, 461, 465, 483; FCED 262, 239; collective completion of NURS 340, 371, and 422; SPCH 101, 104, or 105; SPCH 363; collective completion of MUS 211, 212, 272, 340, and 341; collective completion of MUED 223, 225, 227, 383, 385, and MUS 272, 302 and 341; collective completion of MUED 383, 384, 478 and MUS 272, 303, and 341. See program description for specific requirement by major.