

Proposed Revision of General Education:

FRESHMAN EXPERIENCE

3 credit hour

This course is designed to assist the first-year student in developing skills and abilities necessary for academic success and to live in a diverse society. It is required of all first-year students; IT **MUST BE TAKEN** within their first two semesters of college work (as appropriate to their major).

- ARH 101 University Life and Living in a Diverse Society
- BSS 101 University Life and Living in a Diverse Society
- NSM 101 University Life and Living in a Diverse Society
- CPS 101 University Life and Living in a Diverse Society
- UNIV 101 University Life and Living in a Diverse Society

CORE ACADEMIC SKILLS: MATH, SPEECH AND WRITING

12 credit hours

Student must take a college level math course (course number 100 or greater). Specific Mathematics requirements vary among major programs—consult major department to determine which course is required. The math requirement will be waived if the student has an ACT MATH score ≥ 23 . However, these students must still fulfill the math requirements of their major.

- ENGL 101 English Composition I
- ENGL 102 English Composition II or ENGL 112 Technical Writing (depending on major)
- COMM 100 Speech Communication
- MATH 103, 111 or 120

ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Students will take three courses in the Arts and Humanities (9 credit hours). Students may select from the following courses:

ANY 101-102 FOREIGN LANGUAGE SEQUENCE (MAY NOT USE TWO DIFFERENT 101-LEVEL COURSES)

- ART 100 Art Appreciation or
- ART 101 Studio I - Introduction to Art
- ENGL 150 Introduction to Literature
- ENGL 350 World Literature: Classical Era
- ENGL 351 World Literature: Modern Era
- ENGL 440 Interpreting the Holocaust
- FREN 205 A View of Changing Culture
- FREN 443 West African Culture
- INTS 250 Diversity in Africana Studies
- PHIL 308 World Religions
- COMM 140 Film Appreciation or
- COMM 170 The Art of the Theatre
- COMM 446 International Cinema
- SPAN 205 Spain and its Culture
- MUS 104 American Music: A Panorama or

MUS 107 Appreciation of Music

NATURAL SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

Students will take three courses in Natural Sciences (6-8 credit hours). These students will still be required to take two Natural Science courses. The students may select from the following Natural Science courses.

BIOL 101	Principles of Biology	(4 credit hours) *
BIOL 108	Environmental Biology	(4 credit hours)
BIOL 110	Economic Biology	(4 credit hours)
BIOL 120	Fundamentals of Biology	(4 credit hours) *
CHEM 100	Consumer Chemistry	(3 credit hours)
PHYS 101	Physical Science Survey I	(3 credit hours)
PHYS 102	Physical Science Survey II	(4 credit hours)
PHYS 103	Elements of Physical Science	(3 credit hours)
PHYS 106	Introduction to Physical Geology	(4 credit hours)
PHYS 107	Historical Geology	(4 credit hours)
PHYS 110	Weather & Climate	(4 credit hours)
PHYS 111	Energy and the Environment	(4 credit hours)
PHYS 120	Astronomy (3 credit hours—students may add the optional 1 credit hour laboratory PHYS 121)	
PHYS 170	Physics through Photography	(3 credit hours)

* Students cannot get general education credit for both BIOL 101 and BIOL 120, since they cover much of the same material.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Students will take three courses in the Social Sciences (9 credit hours). Students may select from the following courses:

BA 210	Business Law (Is this an exemption for business majors?)
BA 312	Personal Finance
POSC 210	International Relations
POSC 415	Arab Middle East
SOC 305	Birth, Death, and Migration
HIST 201	World History or
HIST 202	World History
HIST 207	American History to 1865
HIST 208	American History from 1865
POSC 101	American National Government
BA 312	Personal Finance
ECON 101	American Economy
POSC 100	Introduction to Government and Politics
PSYC 151	General Psychology
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology

TOTAL GENERAL EDUCATION CREDIT HOURS 39-41