

GENERAL STUDIES AA: 611A

Humanities, Arts, Communication, and Languages (HACL)

(Must complete a minimum of 15 credits at the 200 level for completion of the program)

Total Credits: 60
Catalog Editions 18-19 through 19-20

Initial Placement Scores	
Reading: _____	English: _____
Math: _____	
Anticipated Completion Date: _____	

Name: _____ Date: _____ ID #: _____

	COURSE	HOURS	GRADE
ENGL 101 or ENGL 101A (If needed for ENGL 102/103 or elective if not) *			
English Foundation (ENGL 102 or ENGL 103) GENERAL EDUCATION FOUNDATION ‡		3	
Math Foundation (MATH 110, 115 (A), 117 (A), 120, 130, 150, 165, 170, or 181) SEE A COUNSELOR/ADVISOR			
Arts Distribution (ARTD) GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION			
Humanities Distribution (HUMD) GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION			
Behavioral & Social Sciences Distribution (BSSD) GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION **		3	
Behavioral & Social Sciences Distribution (BSSD) <i>Different discipline from other BSSD</i> GED **		3	
Natural Sciences Distribution with Lab (NSLD) GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION		4	
Natural Sciences Distribution without Lab or Natural Sciences Distribution with lab (NSND/NSLD) GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION			
General Education Institutional Requirement (GEIR) GENERAL EDUCATION IR † <small>Choose course from general education COMM, HLTH, or ARTD/HUMD. Discuss appropriate course choice with counselor/advisor</small>			
General Education Institutional Requirement (GEIR) GENERAL EDUCATION IR † <small>Choose course from general education COMM, HLTH, or ARTD/HUMD. Students may not select two COMM, two HLTH, or two ARTD/HUMD courses to meet their General Education Institutional Requirements. Discuss appropriate course choice with counselor/advisor</small>			

HACL CORE COURSE SELECTION
CHOOSE AT LEAST 15 CREDIT HOURS FROM: ARTT, COMM, DANC, ENGL, FILM, GNDS, HIST, LING, MUSC, PHIL, THET or WMST | World Languages ARAB, ASLP, CHIN, FREN, GERM, HIND, ITAL, KORA, LATN, PORT, RUSS, SPAN.
MUST SELECT A MINIMUM OF 3 CREDIT HOURS OF HACL CORE COURSES AT THE 200 LEVEL. SEE A COUNSELOR/ADVISOR.

ELECTIVE COURSE SELECTION
CHOOSE UP TO 11 CREDIT HOURS TO REACH COMPLETION OF 60 COLLEGE LEVEL CREDITS REFLECTING PERSONAL, ACADEMIC, AND CAREER INTERESTS.
SEE A COUNSELOR/ADVISOR.

	COURSE	HOURS	GRADE		COURSE	HOURS	GRADE
TOTAL HOURS				TOTAL HOURS			

Graduation Requirements Overall GPA of 2.0 is required to graduate

Has student completed a minimum of 15 credits at the 200 level? Yes No 200-level credits completed: _____

Has student completed the Global Perspectives requirement? Yes No Global Perspectives Course: _____

Does student have an overall 2.0 GPA? Yes No Overall cumulative GPA: _____

Has the student completed 60 credits? Yes No Total credits completed: _____

HACL Core Advising Notes

The Humanities, Arts, Communication and Languages Core allows students to develop an interdisciplinary course of study emphasizing the humanities and arts disciplines. The HACL Core is designed to encourage student to explore these disciplines while deepening their knowledge through a selected academic focus. For additional information, please visit the [General Studies website](#).

In this Core, students will develop an intentional academic plan that reflects personal, academic, and career goals emphasizing the following discipline areas or individual courses:

Art (ARTT)

Dance (DANC)

English (ENGL)‡‡‡

Film (FILM)

History (HIST)

Linguistics (LING)

Music (MUSC)

Philosophy (PHIL)

Speech (COMM)

Theatre (THET)

Women's and Gender Studies (WMST and GNDS),

World Languages (ARAB, CHIN, FREN, GERM, HIND, ITAL, KORA, LATN, RUSS, PORT, ASLP, SPAN)

Student may elect to take any of the following individual courses as part of their Core requirements to enhance their selected academic focus:

Graphic Design - GDES 116, GDES 134

Interior Design - IDES 101, IDES 211, IDES 212

Integrated Studies - ISTD 173

Photography - PHOT 150/L or PHOT 161/L

Television and Radio - TVRA 134

In order to complete this degree, students must:

1. Complete of a minimum of 60 Credit hours including
General Education Requirements- 31 Credit hours ***
Humanities, Arts, Communication, and Languages Core courses- at least 15 Credit hours, with a minimum of 3 credit hours at 200 level
Electives- Up to 11 Credit hours as needed to complete 60 Credit hours
2. Complete a minimum of 15 Credits at 200 level, with at least 3 credit hours at the 200 level from the Core
3. Have a GPA of 2.0.

* ENGL 101/ENGL 101A, if needed for ENGL 102/ENGL 103, or select a general elective.

** Behavioral and Social Science Distribution (BSSD) courses must come from different disciplines.

*** Students must complete one Global or Cultural Perspectives designated course as part of their General Education Program.

‡ Students should attempt ENGL and MATH foundation requirements within completion of the first 24 credits of college level work or at the completion of any prerequisite or required non- credit coursework.

‡‡ Any credit hours beyond the minimum in General Education (31 Credit hours) or Core courses are counted toward elective credit hours.

‡‡‡ ENGL 102, ENGL 103, COMM 108, COMM 112 not eligible for HACL Core requirements, if used for General Education Foundation requirements. ENGL 101 and ENGL 110 cannot be used to meet HACL Core requirements.

† Two general education institutional requirement (GEIR) courses required from the following general education courses: COMM, HLTH , or one ARTD or HUMD. Students may only take one course from ARTD or HUMD to fulfill General Education Institutional Requirements.

Please Note: Exact semester credit counts may vary based on specific course selections.

Students transferring to a specific four year institution, please check the [Transfer Agreements](#) site for articulated pathways that identify required coursework.