

Honors Guide to the Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degree requirements,
including the General Education Program SPRING 2026

The honors program does not require foundations to be honors-quality, but honors-quality is encouraged. All honors-quality foundation courses are bolded.

The following degree requirements are effective Spring Semester 2024 and apply to you if you began your career as a regularly enrolled college student at Ohio State Autumn Semester 2022 or later. Check the web site <https://go.osu.edu/ascadvising> for updated information. Consult your advisor before making enrollment decisions.

Your Responsibility as a Student

You are responsible for knowing the published policies governing the curriculum you are pursuing, as well as the regulations and procedures of the college and the university. The Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Arts in Journalism curriculum sheet should be used in conjunction with the degree planning information and college policies, published online, at <https://go.osu.edu/ascadvising> and in consultation with your academic advisor.

For all majors and general college requirements see:
<https://artsandsciences.osu.edu/advising/general-education-requirements/new-ge-requirements>

Note:

- On this GE Guide, all bolded courses in the GE Foundations categories signify Honors-quality courses as approved by the ASC Honors Committee.
- GE Thematic Pathway courses are not bolded on this guide as all courses listed are automatically at the Honors-quality level due to the Honors requirements to take Honors-quality Themes, and therefore no Thematic Pathway courses should be taken outside of the list below without advisor approval.

ASC Honors Program Requirements

To graduate with Honors in the Arts and Sciences, ASC Honors students must maintain a 3.4 GPA and complete the below requirements:

- ASC Honors students must complete a minimum of 18 hours of Honors coursework (Honors or Honors embedded coursework, which are designated H or E) or Honors-quality coursework
 - Honors-quality courses include the bolded courses under the Foundations, or the courses listed under Themes
 - No EM credit can be counted as Honors-Quality
- All GE theme courses must be Honors or Honors-quality courses
 - Honors-quality courses are approved theme courses taught at the 4000+ level (3000+ level for History and cross-listed courses)
- Students must complete at least one Honors or Honors-quality course in the Natural and Mathematical Sciences, one in the Arts and Humanities, and one in the Social and Behavioral Sciences; these can overlap with GE, major, minor, or elective courses
- Students may count 2 courses from each major and 1 course from each minor towards their Honors coursework requirements
- Students must complete any Honors requirements within the major (varies by major)
- Students must complete an Honors enhanced ePortfolio
- Students must complete an Honors project
- Students must complete the ASC Honors Survey course with a passing grade

General College Requirements

You must earn a minimum of 121 semester credit hours to earn an Arts and Sciences degree. You will complete general college and major requirements, General Education (GE) requirements, and elective course work to reach a minimum of 121 credit hours.

- Remedial courses (courses at the 10XX-level or below, and English 1109) and credit hours earned in repeated course work do not count toward the 121 hour minimum requirement for the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Arts in Journalism. Note that you can take both "versions" of cross-listed courses (e.g., Comparative Studies 2214/Sexuality Studies 2214); however, since the two versions are in fact the same course, only one may count toward your minimum degree hours.

- The number of hours required to complete the Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Science in Atmospheric Sciences, and Bachelor of Science in Geographic Information Science degree with a given major will depend on your program and goals.
- You may need to plan a program of more than 121 credit hours if you wish to complete specific professional or studio training, are preparing for graduate study in certain disciplines, or have multidisciplinary goals.
- If the combination of course work for the (GE), prerequisites, and your major program totals fewer than 121 hours, you have many options for the remaining hours, called electives. With your elective hours, you could pursue a second major, a minor, or a combination degree program; select a set of courses on a specific topic; engage in an undergraduate research experience; do internships; and/or study abroad. You are urged to meet with your academic advisor to work out a plan that best fits your needs and interests. In no case shall the number of hours required for graduation be fewer than 121.

Within the minimum 121 credit hours, you must have a minimum of 111 hours of Arts and Sciences or Arts and Sciences-approved courses. (Arts and Sciences-approved courses include non-Arts and Sciences courses taken toward completion of GE requirements and/or an officially declared minor program.)

- You may count a maximum of 10 hours of non-Arts and Sciences and non-Arts and Sciences-approved course work toward your degree. Of the 10 hours, no more than 4 may be from physical activities courses taught in Kinesiology: Sport, Fitness, and Health Program (KNSFHP); physical activities courses include all 1100-level KNSFHP courses except for 1102, 1103, 1122, and 1137. A maximum of 8 hours of technical credit may be counted toward the 10 hours of non-Arts and Sciences and non-Arts and Sciences-approved course work; however, the combination of KNSFHP, technical, and other non-Arts and Sciences credit hours may not exceed 10.
- A minimum of 39 hours of Arts and Sciences or Arts and Sciences-approved upper-division course work.
 - Upper-division courses are defined as all Arts and Sciences courses at the 3000-level or above, Philosophy 2500, all courses taught by departments in mathematical and physical sciences (Astronomy, Chemistry and Biochemistry, Computer Science and Engineering, Earth Sciences, Mathematics, Physics, and Statistics) at the 2000-level and above (except for Earth Sciences 2911 and any courses numbered 2194), and world language courses taught in the language at the 2000-level. Note that Gen Ed 4001, the reflection seminar, does not count as an Upper-division course. Your 39 upper-division hours may come from hours earned for the GE, the major, the minor (if applicable), and electives.
- A minimum of 30 credit hours earned through regular course enrollment at Ohio State.
- Regular course enrollment at Ohio State and in the College of Arts and Sciences in your final term.

In addition, you must have:

- A cumulative grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 for all work attempted at Ohio State.
- A cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 in your major.
- An application for the degree on file in the Arts and Sciences Graduation Services office in Denney Hall.

General Education (GE) Requirements

Ohio State's General Education (GE) is designed to develop and refine qualities, abilities and characteristics that prepare its students to be engaged, resilient and adaptable citizens and leaders for life. It aims to develop in students an engagement with and an ability to apply a range of important modes of thought and inquiry. Through it, students will examine significant aspects of the human condition in local, state, national and global settings today and in the foreseeable future.

The curricular requirements are organized into eleven categories under three headings: Bookends, Foundations, and Thematic Pathways (Themes). Details regarding completion of these

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requirements, including lists of approved courses, are found on pages 3 K 7.

In fulfilling the GE, you may petition (in advance) with your advisor to substitute upper-division courses that meet the spirit of the GE for courses on the GE. If you have transferred to Ohio State from another institution, you can often fulfill part of the GE with approximately equivalent courses already taken. Your transfer course work will be reviewed in Arts and Sciences Advising, and courses that meet the spirit of the GE will be applied to the GE.

You must earn at least a D in a course for it to fulfill a GE requirement. Courses taken on a pass/non-pass or satisfactory/unsatisfactory basis cannot be used to fulfill GE requirements. (A note regarding transfer credit: a grade of D or D+ will not transfer to Ohio State unless it was earned at another public college or university in the state of Ohio.)

Requirements for the Major

Your major program must consist of at least 30 semester hours of credit in courses numbered 2000 or above as prescribed by your advisor. Please note that many major programs require considerably more than 30 hours of credit.

You must earn at least a C- in a course in order for it to be listed on your major. In addition, you must receive a 2.0 cumulative GPA for all major course work. If you earn a D+, D, or an E in a course that is required for your major, the course cannot be counted toward the major. Your advisor will decide if the course should be repeated or if another course should be substituted. Courses taken on a pass/non-pass basis cannot be used on the major.

You must complete major coursework designated to fulfill embedded literacy requirements in advanced writing, data analysis, and technology. Consult your academic advisor for information about fulfilling embedded literacies.

Your advisor must approve all courses comprising your major. If you change from one major or curriculum to another, consult your advisor. Such changes may result in modifying requirements to such an extent that your date of graduation might be delayed.

At least one-half of the credit hours in the major must be credit from completed Ohio State course work. Note: AP/IB/EM credit and transfer credit from other institutions are not considered to be "Ohio State course work."

If you are pursuing multiple majors, course work may overlap between the majors, provided that each major department allows such overlap and that each major has at least 18 unique (non-overlapping) semester hours. Similarly, if you are planning multiple majors, additional overlap between major course work and the GE may be permitted- again, with permission of the major department and at least 18 unique non-overlapping semester hours on each major.

Requirements for a Minor

A minor consists of a minimum of 12 semester hours at the 2000-level and above and a maximum of 18 semester hours. At least 6 hours on the minor must be at the upper-division level. Upper-division courses are defined as all Arts and Sciences courses at the 3000-level or above, Philosophy 2500, all courses taught by departments in mathematical and physical sciences (Astronomy, Chemistry and Biochemistry, Computer Science and Engineering, Earth Sciences, Mathematics, Physics, and Statistics) at the 2000-level and above (except for Earth Sciences 2911 and any courses numbered 2194), and world language courses taught in the language at the 2000-level. Note that Gen Ed 4001, the reflection seminar, does not count as an Upper-division course. Your 39 upper-division hours may come from hours earned for the GE, the major, the minor (if applicable), and electives.

1000-level courses may not be included in a minor. No more than 3 hours of X193 course work may be included in a minor, and no more than 3 hours of courses graded "S/U" may be included in a minor. Up to 6 total credit hours of transfer credit and/or credit by examination may be counted toward a minor. A maximum of 6 semester hours on the minor may also count on the GE.

No grade below a C- will be permitted in courses constituting a minor. In addition, you must receive a 2.0 cumulative GPA for all minor course work. Courses taken on a pass/non-pass basis may not count toward a minor. You are not permitted to take a major and minor in the same subject. However, if the minor consists of more than 12 semester hours, some overlap with the major may be permitted. Consult your advisor.

You may pursue more than one minor. Each minor must contain a minimum of 12 unique (non-overlapping) semester hours. Once a minor program form is on file in the college office, any changes must be approved by the departmental (minor) advisor. Students are strongly encouraged to declare the minor and file the minor program form as early as possible; declaration of the minor and filing of the minor program form must occur at least one term prior to the graduation term.

Exclusivity of GE, Major, and Minor Courses

With the exceptions noted below, courses may not be counted on both the GE and the major. A maximum of 6 semester hours on the minor may also count on the GE. If the minor consists of more than 12 semester hours, some overlap with the major may be permitted. Consult your advisor.

Some GE courses are listed in more than one category; with the exceptions noted below, however, GE courses may not be used to fulfill more than one GE requirement.

Courses Used to Fulfill More than One Requirement

Students can apply up to two Theme courses to their major. The courses must be in different Themes (one in Citizenship and one in the "choice" Theme). Foundation courses cannot apply to the major directly but may be counted as prerequisite or major-foundational courses. No overlap is allowed between the Foundations and major coursework.

Requirements for Additional Baccalaureate Degrees

If you are pursuing multiple baccalaureate degrees, you must earn at least 30 additional semester hours for each additional degree beyond the 121 hours required for a single degree, and at least 18 of the additional 30 hours must be Arts and Sciences or Arts and Sciences-approved upper-division course work. If four or more years have elapsed since you earned the previous degree, you must complete 30 semester hours at Ohio State beyond what you earned for that degree. The GE requirements for each degree must be fulfilled. (For example, a student earning both BA and BS degrees is required to complete **calculus**, which is not required for the BA, because such course work is required for the BS.) No overlap between majors, or between the major and the GE, is permitted. You must pursue a major different from the major earned as part of your other degree(s). No more than 6 semester credit hours of any previous minor course work may be used on the major for an additional degree. You must also petition for approval to pursue an additional degree at least a semester before your graduating term. You should consult your advisor regarding the petition process. An approved major program form must accompany the petition. Note: different rules apply to students pursuing multiple professional degrees in the Arts, namely the BAE, BFA, BM, BME, and BSD. See materials specific to those programs for details.

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WORLD LANGUAGES

Students will demonstrate linguistic and cultural competence by accomplishing real-world communicative tasks in culturally appropriate ways in a language other than their first language. Students will demonstrate knowledge of target culture(s) and complex topic through multiple perspectives and disciplinary lenses.

Complete one language sequence through the 1103 level.

Arabic 1101.01, 1101.02, 1102.01, 1102.02, 1103.01, 1103.02, 1113
American Sign Language 1101, 1101.02, 1102, 1102.02, 1103, 1103.02

Bosnian, Croatian, Serbian 1101, 1102, 1103

Chinese 1101.01, 1102.01, 1102.51, 1103.01, 2141.01, 2141.02

Czech 1101, 1102, 1103

French 1101.01, 1101.61, 1102.01, 1102.61, 1103.01, 1103.21, 1103.61

German 1101.01, 1101.02, 1102.01, 1102.02, 1103.01, 1103.02

Greek 1101, 1102, 1103

Hebrew 1101.01, 1102.01, 1103.51

Hindi 1101, 1102, 1103

Italian 1101.01, 1101.03, 1101.71, 1102.03, 1102.71, 1103.01, 1103.03, 1103.71, 5101

Japanese 1101.01, 1101.02, 1101.51, 1101.61, 1102.01, 1102.02, 1102.51, 1102.61, 1103.01, 1103.02, 1103.51, 1103.61, 2141

Korean 1101.01, 1101.51, 1101.61, 1102.01, 1102.51, 1102.61, 1103.01, 1103.51, 1103.61

Latin 1101.01, 1102.01, 1102.55, 1103, 1890

Modern Greek 1101, 1102, 1103

Persian 1101, 1102, 1103

Polish 1101, 1102, 1103

Portuguese 1101.01, 1102.01, 1103

Quechua 5501.01, 5501.51 (AU24 and earlier), 5502.01, 5502.51 (AU24 and earlier), 5503.01, 5503.51 (AU24 and earlier)

Romanian 1101, 1102, 1103

Russian 1101.01, 1101.51, 1101.61, 1102.01, 1102.51, 1102.61, 1103.01, 1103.51, 1103.61, 1133

Somali 1101.01, 1101.02, 1102.01, 1102.02, 1103

Spanish 1101, 1102, 1103, 1155

Swahili 1101, 1102, 1103

Swedish 1101, 1102, 1103

Turkish 1101, 1102, 1103

Ukrainian 1101, 1102, 1103

Urdu 1101, 1102, 1103

Uzbek 1101, 1102, 1103

Yiddish 1101, 1102, 1103

GENERAL EDUCATION BOOKEND SEMINARS

The GE Bookends comprise two, 1-credit courses. The opening seminar provides a strong introduction for the broad goals of the General Education program, introduces key skills, and supports sustained growth in terms of attaining program goals. The closing seminar provides opportunities for students to document and reflect on their academic and personal growth and allows for program-level assessment through structured evaluation of learning artifacts and students' responses to embedded questions within an ePortfolio.

Take each course from the following list.

General Education 1201

General Education 4001

General Education 2601.01, 2601.02*

*General Education 2601.xx is for transfer students ONLY

* General Education 4001 does not apply towards a student's upper division hour requirement.

GENERAL EDUCATION FOUNDATIONS

FOR BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA) Students: Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning or Data Analysis, 3 - 5 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to help students apply quantitative or logical reasoning and/or mathematical/statistical methods to understand and solve problems and communicate their results.

Please note that the Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning or Data Analysis Foundation requirement choices differ for BS and BA students - please make sure to choose the appropriate choice for your degree.

Choose one course from the following list.

Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics 2005

Animal Sciences 2260

Astronomy **3350 (SU25 and earlier)**

Chemistry **2210, 2210H**

Community Leadership 3537

Computer Science and Engineering 1111, 2111

Economics **3400**

Environment and Natural Resources 2000

Geography 2200, 2200.02 (SU24 and earlier)

Horticulture and Crop Science 2260

International Studies 3400

Linguistics 2001, **2051, 2051H (AU23 and earlier)**, 3802, **3802H**

Mathematics 1116, 1120, 1121, 1130, 1131, 1140, 1141, 1148, 1149, **1150, 1151, 1152, 1156, 1161.01, 1161.02, 1181H**

Philosophy 1500, 1501, **1520, 2500**

Physics **3700**

Political Science **3780, 3780H, 4781**

Public Health Bio 2210, **2210H**

Sociology **3549**

Statistics 1350.01, 1350.02, 1430.01, 1430.02, **1430H, 1450.01, 1450.02, 2450.01, 2450.02, 2480.01, 2480.02, 3450.01, 3450.02, 3470.01, 3470.02, 4202, 5301, 5302**

FOR BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BS) Students: Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning or Data Analysis, 5 - 8 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to help students apply quantitative or logical reasoning and/or mathematical/statistical methods to understand and solve problems and communicate their results.

Please note that the Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning or Data Analysis Foundation requirement choices differ for BS and BA students - please make sure to choose the appropriate choice for your degree.

Take Mathematics 1151, or 1140 and 1141, or equivalent. Note that if you choose 1140 rather than 1151, both 1140 and 1141 must be successfully completed in order to fulfill the category. [Additional note: if you do not place into Mathematics 1151 (or 1140) via placement test or based on transfer credit, you must take the prerequisite course work prior to enrolling in 1140 or 1151.]

Writing and Information Literacy, 3 hours

Art Education 2367.02 (SU23 and earlier), 2600, **2600H**, 2700

Comparative Studies 2367.02 (SP23 and later), 2367.04 (SP23 and later), **2367.04H** (SP23 and later), 2367.07 (SP23 and later), 2367.08 (SP23 and later), **2367.08H** (SP23 and later)

Dance 2367, **2367H**

Education, Teaching and Learning 2367

English 1110.01, **1110.01H**, 1110.02, **1110.02H**, 1110.03

Engineering 1300

Nursing 2367

Philosophy 2367

Theatre 2367.01, **2367.01H (SU24 and earlier)**, 2700

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Literary, Visual and Performing Arts, 3 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to help students analyze, interpret, and evaluate major forms of human thought, cultures, and expression; to demonstrate capacities for aesthetic and culturally informed understanding; and to experience the arts and reflect on that experience critically and creatively.

Choose one course from the following list.

African American and African Studies 2009 (SP25 and later), 2101, 2251, 2253, 2270, 2281, 2288, 2367.01, 2367.04
 Arabic 2701, 3705
 Art 2100, **2100E**, 2300, **2300E (SU23 and earlier)**, 2555, **2255H**, 3002
 Art Education 1600, 2600, **2600H**
 Chinese 2451, **4402**, **4403**, **4404**, **4405**
 Classics 1101, **1101H**, 2220, **2200H**, 2221, **2221E**, 3203
 Comparative Studies 1100, **1100H**, 2101, **2101H**, **2102.01H** (SP23 only), 2103, **2103H** (SP23 and later), 2104, **2104H**, 2105, 2301, 3603, 3606, 3607, 3608, 3686
 Consumer Science: Fashion & Retail 2370
 Dance 2401, 2500
 Design 3505
 East Asian Languages and Literatures 3405, 3446
 English 2201, **2201H**, 2202, **2202H**, 2220, **2220H**, 2260, **2260H**, 2261, **2261H**, 2262, 2263, 2265 (SP26 and later), 2266 (SP26 and later), 2267 (SP26 and later), 2268 (SP26 and later), 2269, 2275, 2280, **2280H**, 2281, 2290, 2291, 2367.02, **2367.02H**, 2464, 3372
 Ethnic Studies 3605, **3605H**
 Film Studies 2271
 French 1801, 2801
 German 2251, 2254.01, 2254.02, 2256
 Hebrew 2700, **2700H**, 3704
 History of Art 2001, **2001H**, 2002, **2002H**, 2003, **2003H**, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2101, 2901, 3002, 3010, **3010H**, 3205, 3211, 3521, 3603, 3605, **3605H**, 3611, 3901, **4421**, **4605**, **4630**, **4810**, **4820**, **4825**
 History 2007 (SP25 and later), 2009 (SP25 and later), 2221, **2221E**, 2270, 2680, **3218**
 Italian 2053, 2055, 2056, 3051 (SU25 and earlier)
 Japanese 2451, 2452
 Jewish Studies 2700, **2700H**, 3205, 3703, 3704
 Korean 2451
 Landscape Architecture 2600
 Linguistics 3502
 Modern Greek 2680, 3710
 Medieval and Renaissance Studies 2888
 Music 2031, 2250, 2251, **2251E**, **2251H**, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2288 (SU23 and earlier), 3342, 3343, 3344, 3345, 3347, 3348, 3349, 3360
 Near Eastern Languages and Cultures 2680
 Persian 2701
 Philosophy 2120, 2450, 2455, **2470H**
 Physics **3201H**
 Portuguese 2335
 Religious Studies 2102.01, **2102.01H (SU24 and later)**, 2102.02, 3666, 3679
 Russian 2250.01, 2250.99, **2250H**, 3460.01, 3460.99, 3470.01, 3470.99
 Slavic Languages and Literatures 2345 (AU24 and earlier) 2345.10 (SP25 and later), 2345.30 (SP25 and later), 3310 (SP25 and later)
 Spanish 2320, 2330, 2380, 2520 (SU23 and earlier)
 Theatre 2100, **2100H**, 2211, **2341H**, 2811
 Teaching and Learning Education 2368, 3300, 3356, **3356E**, 3368
 Turkish 2701
 Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies 2215, 2230, 2317, 2367.03, 2367.04

Historical and Cultural Studies, 3 hours

The goal of courses in Historical Studies is to help students investigate and analyze, critically, historical ideas, events, persons, material culture, and artifacts to understand how they shape society and people. The goal of courses in Cultural Studies is to help students evaluate significant cultural phenomena and ideas to develop capacities for aesthetic and cultural response, judgment, interpretation, and evaluation.

Choose one course from the following list.

African American and African Studies 1111, 1121 (AU24 and earlier), 1122 (AU24 and earlier), 2080, 2081, 2285, 2301, 2302, 2303
 Anthropology 1100, 2241
 Arabic 2241
 Art Education 2550
 Arts and Sciences 2400, **2400E**, 2798.03 (su25 and later), **4870**
 Bioethics 2000, 2010
 Chinese 2231, 2232
 Classics 2201, **2201H**, 2202, **2202H**, 2205, 2221, **2221E**, 2222, 2301, 2798.02, 3000, 3212, **3215**, 3220, 3401, 3404, 3408, 3720
 Community Leadership 3535
 Comparative Studies 2220, 2242, 2264, 2281, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2340, 2350, **2350H**, 2360, 2367.04 (SP23 and later), **2367.04H** (SP23 and later), 2367.07 (SP23 and later), 2367.08 (SP23 and later), 2367.08 (SP23 and later), **2367.08H**, 3302, **3302E**
 Consumer Sciences: Fashion and Retail Studies 2374
 Dance 3401, 3402
 East Asian Languages and Literatures 1231, 2284
 Economics **4130**, **4140**
 English **1167H**, 2264, 2270, **2270H**, 2282, 3271, 3364, 3378
1167H only Honors if taken at OSU, EM credit does not count towards Honors hours
 Engineering **5797.13**, **5797.18**
 Environment and Natural Resources 3470, **3470E**
 Entomology **3797.01E**, **3797.02E**
 Educational Studies: Philosophy and History of Education 3410
 Ethnic Studies 2242, 2321, 2323
 French 2802
 German 2350
 Hebrew 2241, **2241H**
 History of Art 2001, **2001H**, 2002, **2002H**, 2003, **2003H**, 2005, 2301
 History 1102, 1151, 1152, 1211, 1212, 1681, 1682, 2001, **2001H**, 2002, **2002H**, 2010, 2015, 2040 (SU23 and earlier), 2066, 2070, 2071, 2080, 2081, 2100, 2105, 2110, 2111, 2115, 2120, 2125, 2201 (SP25 and earlier), 2202, 2203, 2204, **2204H**, 2206 (SP25 and earlier), 2210, 2211, 2213, 2221, **2221E**, 2240, 2250, 2251, 2270, 2271, 2275, 2280, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2350, 2352, 2353, 2392, 2401, 2402, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2475, 2500, 2550, 2610, 2620, 2630, 2641, 2650, 2651, 2680, 2700, 2705, 2720, 2750, **2750E (AU23 and earlier)**, **2750H**, 2752, 2797.02, **3006**, **3106**, **3210**, **3211**, **3212**, **3214**, **3215**, **3218**, **3219** (SP23 and later), **3220** (SP23 and later), **3227**, **3231**, **3260**, **3276**, **3277**, **3282 (SP25 and earlier)**, **3355**, **3404**, **3405**, **3426**, **3450**, **3475 (AU23 and earlier)**, **3505**, **3570 (SP25 and earlier)**, **3575** (SP23 and later), **3641**, **3642**, **3702**, **3720**, **4870**
 Health and Rehabilitation Sciences 2530
 International Studies 3350 (AU23 and earlier)
 Islamic Studies 2350 (SU23 and earlier), 2351, 3205, 3355
 Japanese 2231
 Jewish Studies 2201, 2241, 2242, **2242H**, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2475, 2516 (SU24 and earlier), 3210, **3210H**, **3450**, **3505**
 Kinesiology: Sport Industry and Sport Management 2210, 2211
 Korean 2231, 2797
 Landscape Architecture 2367, **2367E** (SP23 and later)
 Linguistics 3601, 3606 (au23 and later), 3901
 Modern Greek 2000, 2100, 2240
 Medieval and Renaissance Studies 2211 (SP23 and later), 2215, 2516 (AU23 and earlier), 2610, 2618, 2666
 Near Eastern Languages and Cultures 2211, 2241, 2680, 3111
 Persian 2241
 Philosophy 1100, **1100H**, 1300, **1300H**, 1332, 2120 (sp24 and after), 2455, 2670, 2680, 2850
 Pharmacy 2420, 3420, 3530
 Political Science **4123**
 Portuguese 2330, 2331
 Public Affairs 2500, **2500H**
 Religious Studies 2222, 2370, **2370H**, 2670, 3210, **3210H**, 3666, 3671
 Russian 2335.01, 2335.99, 2345, 3490.01 (SU23 and earlier), 3490.99
 South Asia Studies 2220, 3671
 Slavic Languages and Cultures 2230.01, 2230.99, 3333.01, 3333.99
 Spanish 2150, 2151, 2242, 2332
 Turkish 2241

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Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies 1110, **1110H**, 2260, 2282, 2305, 2327, 2400, 2750, **2750H**
Yiddish 2241

Natural Sciences, 4 - 5 hours

The goal of courses in the category is to engage students in theoretical and empirical study within the natural sciences, to help students gain an appreciation of the modern principles, theories, methods, and modes of inquiry used generally across the natural sciences, and to help students discern the relationship between the theoretical and applied sciences while appreciating the implications of scientific discoveries and the potential impacts of science and technology.

Choose a three-credit hour course and combine it with the same department's one-hour lab or choose a 4- or 5-hour course from the following list.

Three-credit hour courses:

Animal Sciences 2200.01 (take 2200.02 as lab)
Earth Sciences 1105, 1108, 1110, 1110S, **1110H (SU23 and earlier)**, 1121, 1151 (take 1200 as lab)
Entomology 1350 (take 1351 as lab), 2101 (take 2102 as lab)
Environment and Natural Resources 2100 (take 2101 as the one-hour lab), 3000 (take 3001 as the one-hour lab)
Horticulture and Crop Science 2200 (take 2206 as lab)

One-hour labs:

Animal Sciences 2200.02
Earth Sciences 1200
Entomology 1351, 2102
Environment and Natural Resources 2101, 3001
Horticulture and Crop Science 2206

Four and Five-hour courses:

Anthropology 2200, **2200H**
Astronomy 1101
Biology 1101, 1110, 1112 **1113.01, 1113.02, 1113E, 1113H, 1114.01, 1114.02, 1114E, 1114H**
Chemistry 1101, **1110, 1208, 1210, 1220, 1250, 1610, 1620, 1910H, 1920H**
Earth Sciences 1121H
Entomology 1101, 1111
Evolution, Ecology and Organismal Biology 2511
Food Science and Technology 1200
Geography 1900, **1900H**
Horticulture and Crop Science 2202, **2202E**
Human Nutrition 2410
Microbiology **4000.01, 4000.02**
Molecular Genetics 1101 (SU25 and earlier), 1103 (SP25 and later)
Physics 1106.01, 1107.01, 1125, **1200, 1250, 1250H, 1260, 1270**

Social and Behavioral Sciences, 3 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to help students analyze and apply theoretical and empirical approaches within the social and behavioral sciences, critically, including modern principles, theories, methods, and modes of inquiry and to enable students to recognize the implications of social and behavioral scientific findings and their potential impacts.

Choose one course from the following list.

Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics 2001, **2001H**
African American and African Studies 1101, 2218
Animal Sciences 2367
Anthropology 1100, 2201, **2201H**, 2202, **2202H**, 3419, 3420, 3597.01, 3597.02
Business Administration: Management and Human Resources 2500
Communication 1100, 1101
Consumer Sciences 2910
City and Regional Planning 3500

Consumer Sciences: Consumer and Family Financial Services 2260
Consumer Sciences: Fashion and Retail Studies 2372, 2375
Economics 1100.01, 1100.02, 2001.01, **2001.03H**, 2002.01, **2002.03H**, 2376.02
Education: Teaching and Learning 3160
Environment and Natural Resources 2300
Geography 2100, 2400, **2400H**, 2500 (AU22 only), 2750, **2750H**, 3600, **3600H (SU23 and earlier)**, 3701, 3800 (SU23 and earlier), **5601 (SU23 and earlier)**
Human Development and Family Science 2200, 2400, 2410
History 2700
International Studies 2050, 2100, 2200, 2250 (SU23 and earlier), 2500, 2501 (SP23 only), 2580, 2800, **2800H (SU23 and earlier)**, 3350 (AU23 and earlier), 3850
Linguistics 1100 (AU22 only), 2000, **2000H**, 2501 (SP23 and later), 3701, **3701E, 3701H**
Near Eastern Languages and Cultures 2200
Political Science 1100, **1100H**, 1165, 1200, 1300, 2300, 2367, 2400, **2400H**, 3220, 3225, 3596, **4120, 4123, 4150**
Psychology 1100, **1100E, 1100H**, 2500, 3371, **3371E, 3371H**
Public Affairs 2110
Rural Sociology 1500
Slavic Languages and Cultures 3800 (AU23 and earlier)
Sociology 1101, **1101H**, 1102, 2202, 2209, 2202, 2210, 2320, 2345, **2367.01H, 2367H** (su25 and later), 2367.02, 2370, 3380
Social Work 1120, 1130, **1130H**
Spanish 2389
Speech and Hearing Science 3330, **3330H**, 3350
Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies 1110, **1110H**, 2260

Race, Ethnicity and Gender Diversity, 3 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to engage students in a systematic assessment of how historically and socially constructed categories of race, ethnicity, and gender, and possibly others, shape perceptions, individual outcomes, and broader societal, political, economic and cultural systems and to empower students to recognize and compare a range of lived experiences of race, gender and ethnicity.

Choose one course from the following list.

African American and African Studies 1101, 1112, 2009 (SP25 and later), 2080, 2081, 2201, 2218, 2270, 2275, 2281, 2295, 2367.04
Anthropology 1101, 2210, 2241
Arabic 2241, 3705 (SP25 and later)
Art Education 2600, **2600H**, 2700
City and Regional Planning 3510
Classics 3205, **3215** (SP23 and later)
Comparative Studies 1100, **1100H, 2101H**, 2105 (sp24 and later), 2264, 2281, 2301 (SP23 and later), 2121, 2322 (SP23 and later), 2323 (sp24 and later), 2340 (SP24 and later), 2343 (su25 and later), 2345 (sp25 and later), 2350, **2350H**, 2381, 2995
Consumer Science: Fashion & Retail 2372
Dance 2500, 3500 (SU23 and earlier)
Educational Studies: Higher Education and Student Affairs 2577
Educational Studies: Philosophy and History of Education 3206
English 2176, 2221, 2264, 2270, **2270H**, 2281, 2282, 2381, 2581
Ethnic Studies 2242, 2321, 2323 (sp24 and later), 2340, 3311, 3605, **3605H**
French 2804
German 3317, **3317H (sp25 and later)**
Hebrew 2700, **2700H (SP25 and later)**, 3704
History of Art 2007, 2009 (SP25 and later), 3010, **3010H**, 3205, 3605, **3605H**
History 2001, **2001H**, 2046, 2080, 2081, 2455, 2610, 2620 (SP23 and later), **3106, 3215 (sp23 and later), 3231** (SP23 and later), **3620, 3641, 3642**
Human Development and Family Science 3440
International Studies 2220
Italian 2056 (au23 and later), 2057
Jewish Studies 2455, 2700, **2700H (SP25 and later)**, 3205, 3704
Linguistics 3601, 3606 (au23 and later)
Music 2245 (au24 and later)
Near Eastern Languages and Cultures 1125, 2200, 2241
Philosophy 1420
Political Science 1910, 3147
Psychology 1375
Public Affairs 2170

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Religious Studies 2370, **2370H**
Russian 3750 (au24 and later)
Slavic Languages and Literatures 2995.99
South Asia Studies 2230
Sociology 1101 (AU23 only), **Sociology 1101H (AU23 only)**, 1102
(SP24 and later), 2309 (SP23 and later), 2380, 2463
Social Work 1140
Spanish 2242 (SP23 and later), 2381
Teaching and Learning Education 2050, 3005, 3368
Theatre 2700
Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies 1110, **1110H**, 2215, 2230,
2260, 2282, 2305, 2306, 2317, 2327 (SP23 and later), 2340,
2367.04, 2381, 2400, 2900 (au24 and later)

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All Themes courses must be honors-quality.
All of the following listed are considered honors-quality.

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GE THEMATIC PATHWAYS

All students must complete the Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World theme and choose one additional theme. Note that additional themes and courses continue to be developed. Students will have the option of choosing one 4-hour high impact practice course or two 3-hour courses to complete each theme.

Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World, 4 or 6 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to help students analyze concepts of citizenship, justice, and diversity at a more advanced and in-depth level than in the Foundations component. More specifically:

- **Successful students will integrate approaches to understanding citizenship for a just and diverse world by making connections to out-of-classroom experiences with academic knowledge or across disciplines and/or to work they have done in previous classes and that they anticipate doing in future.**
- **Successful students will explore and analyze a range of perspectives on local, national, or global citizenship and apply the knowledge, skills and dispositions that constitute citizenship.**
- **Successful students will examine notions of justice amid difference and analyze and critique how these interact with historically and socially constructed ideas of citizenship and membership within society, both within the United States and around the world.**

Choose two 3-hour courses, or one 4-hour course, from the following list. Note that, if you choose two 3-hour courses, the two courses **must** come from different departments.

3 credit hour courses:

African American and African Studies 3083 (sp24 and later), 3084 (au24 and later), 4610 (su23 and later), 4921
Anthropology 5624, 5626 (SP23 and later)
City and Regional Planning 4597
Classics 3222, 3224
Communication 2367H (AU23 and later)
Comparative Studies 4021 (SP25 and later), 4822 (sp24 and later), 4921
Educational Studies: Philosophy & History 5440 (SP25 and later)
Geography 5502 (SP3 and later)
German 3254H
Health and Rehabilitation Science 4000 (SP23 and later), 4590 (sp23 and later)
History 3001 (SP25 and later), 3002, 3014, 3017, 3025, 3083, 3084, 3105 (SP25 and later), 3213, 3213H, 3216, 3222, 3224, 3245, 3250 (au24 and later), 3265 (SP23 and later), 3270 (au24 and later), 3351, 3480 (sp24 and later), 3501, 3561 (SP23 and later), 3570 (SP25 and later), 3590, 3595, 3670, 3676, 3680, 3705 (AU23 and earlier), 3712, 5255
History of Art 4630 (AU24 and later)
International Studies 4873
Jewish History 3480
Music 3364E
Philosophy 5440 (SP25 and later)
Psychology 3900
Religious Studies 3680, 4873
Teaching Education and Learning 5005
Women's Gender and Sexuality Studies 4403 (SP25 and later), 4921

4 credit hour courses:

Anthropology 5525 (SP26 and later)
Engineering 2301
English 2276H (sp24 and later)
Geography 2400.02
German 3456, 3798.02
Linguistics 4602
Near Eastern Languages and Cultures 3025
Philosophy 2332.02 (SP25 and later), 2338
Public Affairs 3210
Slavic 3320.02, 3711 (SP25 and later), 3456 (AU25 and later)
South Asian Studies 3025, 3456 (AU25 and later)
Sociology 3200.02, 4462
Theatre 3711 (SP25 and later)
Turkish 3797 (sp23 and later)
Yiddish 3399 (sp24 and later)

Second Theme, 4 or 6 hours

Choose two 3-hour courses or one 4-hour course (where 4-hour courses are available) from one of the following themes.

Health and Wellbeing, 4 or 6 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to help students analyze health and well-being at a more advanced and deeper level than in the Foundations component. More specifically:

- **Successful students will integrate approaches to health and well-being by making connections to out-of-classroom experiences**

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with academic knowledge or across disciplines and/or to work they have done in previous classes and that they anticipate doing in the future

- **Successful students will explore and analyze health and well-being through attention to at least two dimensions of well-being (e.g., physical, mental, emotional, career, environmental, spiritual, intellectual, creative, financial, etc.)**

Choose two 3-hour courses, or one 4-hour course, from the following list. Note that, if you choose two 3-hour courses, the two courses **must** come from different departments.

3 credit hour courses:

African American and African Studies 5650
Anthropology 4706 (AU23 and later), 5601, 5602 (SU23 and later), 5700 (SP23 and later), 5702 (SP23 and later)
Communication 4736 (SP23 and later), 4737 (SP23 and later)
Food, Science and Technology 4597.01
History 3307 (AU25 and later), 3701 (AU23 and later), 4706 (AU23 and later)
Medicine, (College of) 4660, 4660E
Public Health 2010H
Sociology 5450
Speech and Hearing Science 4530

4 credit hour courses:

Comparative Studies 4645
History 3708
Kinesiology 2995
Music 2032S, 3010
Nursing 3798
Pharmacy 3708
Public Health 3010
Sociology 4629 (au23 and later)

Lived Environments, 4 or 6 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to help students analyze "Lived Environments" at a more advanced and in-depth level than in the Foundations component. More specifically:

- **Successful students will integrate approaches to understanding lived environments by making connections to out-of-classroom experiences with academic knowledge or across disciplines and/or to work they have done in previous classes and that they anticipate doing in future.**
- **Successful students will explore a range of perspectives on the interactions and impacts between humans and one or more types of environments (e.g., agricultural, built, cultural, economic, intellectual, natural) in which humans live.**
- **Successful students will analyze a variety of perceptions, representations and/or discourses about environments and humans within them.**

Choose two 3-hour courses, or one 4-hour course, from the following list. Note that, if you choose two 3-hour courses, the two courses must come from different departments.

3 credit hour courses:

Environment & Natural Resources 3500H
Health and Rehabilitation Sciences 4600 (AU22 only), 4700 (SP23 and later)
History 3040, 3072
History of Art 4798.03
Teaching Education and Learning 4303

4 credit hour courses:

African American and African Studies 2367.07S
Agricultural Communication 2330
Art 3011
Earth Sciences 2911, 5242
English 2367.07S
Evolution, Ecology and Organismal Biology 2911
Food, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences 3797.05
German 3352
History 2911
History of Art 3905, 4798.04 (SP26 and later)
International Studies 3905
Knowlton 2310
Molecular Genetics 3011
Music 3352
Russian 3360
Slavic 3370 (SP26 and later)

Migration, Mobility and Immobility, 4 or 6 hours

The goal of courses in this theme is to help students analyze "Migration, Mobility, and Immobility" at a more advanced and in-depth level than in the Foundations component. More specifically:

- **Successful students will integrate approaches to understanding the issues involved in migration, mobility, and immobility by making connections to out-of-classroom experiences with academic knowledge or across disciplines and/or to work they have done in previous classes and that they anticipate doing in future.**

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- **Successful students will explore and analyze a range of perspectives on migration, mobility, and immobility, including causes and effects, personal or group experiences, or artistic expression.**
- **Successful students will explain a variety of scholarly or artistic approaches to understanding mobility and immobility, and analyze how texts, perceptions, representations, discourses, or artifacts represent these concerns.**

Choose two 3-hour courses, or one 4-hour course, from the following list. Note that, if you choose two 3-hour courses, the two courses must come from different departments.

3 credit hour courses:

African American and African Studies 3086 (SP23 and later)
Comparative Studies 4597.02, 4597.03 (AU23 and later)
History 3070 (AU23 and later), 3086 (SP23 and later), 3254 (SP23 and later), 3376, 3465 (SU25 and earlier), 3500 (SP25 Only)
History of Art 4240 (SP25 and later)
Jewish Studies 3465
Social Work 5004 (SP23 and later), 5005 (SP23 and later), 5030 (SP23 and later)
Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies 4404

4 credit hour courses:

Sociology 3200.02

Number, Nature, Mind, 4 or 6 hours

The goal of courses in this theme is to help students analyze the ideas embodied within "Number, Nature, Mind" at a more advanced and in-depth level than in the Foundations component. More specifically:

- **Successful students will integrate approaches to understanding the ideas embodied within "Number, Nature, Mind" by making connections to out-of-classroom experiences with academic knowledge or across disciplines and/or to work they have done in previous classes and that they anticipate doing in future.**
- **Successful students will experience and examine mathematics as an abstract formal system accessible to mental manipulation and/or mathematics as a tool for describing and understanding the natural world.**

Choose two 3-hour courses, or one 4-hour course, from the following list. Note that, if you choose two 3-hour courses, the two courses must come from different departments.

3 credit hour courses:

History 3711
Linguistics 4052

4 credit hour courses:

Physics 2100 (AU24 and later)

Origins and Evolution, 4 or 6 hours

The goal of courses in this theme is to help students analyze "Origins & Evolution" at a more advanced and in-depth level than in the Foundations component.

- **Successful students will integrate approaches to understanding the issues involved in origins and evolution by making connections to out-of-classroom experiences with academic knowledge or across disciplines and/or to work they have done in previous classes and that they anticipate doing in the future.**
- **Successful students will appreciate the time depth of the origins and evolution of natural systems, life, humanity, or human culture, and the factors that have shaped them over time.**
- **Successful students will understand the origins and evolution of natural systems, life, humanity, or human culture, and the factors that have shaped them over time.**

Choose two 3-hour courses, or one 4-hour course, from the following list. Note that, if you choose two 3-hour courses, the two courses must come from different departments.

3 credit hour courses:

Anthropology 5609

4 credit hour courses:

History 3704
Microbiology 3704

Sustainability, 4 or 6 hours

The goal of courses in this category is to help students analyze sustainability at a more advanced and in-depth level than in the Foundations component. More specifically:

- **Successful students will analyze sustainability at a more advanced and in-depth level than in the Foundations component.**
- **Successful students will integrate approaches to sustainability by making connections to out-of-classroom experiences with academic knowledge or across disciplines and/or to work they have done in previous classes and that they anticipate doing in future.**
- **Successful students will analyze and explain how social and natural systems function, interact, and evolve over time; how human**

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well-being depends on these interactions; how actions have impacts on subsequent generations and societies globally; and how human values, behaviors and institutions impact multifaceted potential solutions across time.

Choose two 3-hour courses, or one 4-hour course, from the following list. Note that, if you choose two 3-hour courses, the two courses must come from different departments.

3 credit hour courses:

Anthropology 4597.03H
Comparative Studies 4420
History 3700 (SP25 and later), 3706
Plant Pathology 4321
Public Health: Environmental Health Science 4325 (su25 and later)
Spanish 4542 (sp24 and later)

4 credit hour courses:

Agricultural, Environmental and Development Economics 2501
Agricultural Systems Management 3586 (SP25)
Anthropology 3050
Civil Engineering 3530
Earth Sciences 2911, 3530
Environmental Engineering 3600 (SP25 and later)
Environment and Natural Resources 2501, 2501E
Evolution, Ecology, and Organismal Biology 2911
Food Science and Technology 3110
Geography 3755, 3900.02 (au24 and later)
German 3354.02 (AU25 and later)
History 2911
Horticulture and Crop Science 3586 (SP25 and later)
Scandinavian 3354.02 (AU25 and later)

Traditions, Cultures, and Transformations, 4 or 6 hours

The goal of courses in this theme is to help students analyze "Traditions, Cultures, and Transformations" at a more advanced and in-depth level than in the Foundations component. More specifically:

- **Successful students will integrate approaches to understanding lived environments by making connections to out-of-classroom experiences with academic knowledge or across disciplines and/or to work they have done in previous classes and that they anticipate doing in future.**
- **Successful students will engage in a systematic assessment of how cultures and sub-cultures develop and interact, historically or in contemporary society.**
- **Successful students will engage in a systematic assessment of differences among societies, institutions, and individuals' experience within traditions and cultures.**

Choose two 3-hour courses, or one 4-hour course, from the following list. Note that, if you choose two 3-hour courses, the two courses must come from different departments.

3 credit hour courses:

African American and African Studies 3080 (AU25 and later), 4342 (SP23 and later), 4571
Classics 3217, 3223
Comparative Studies 3130H (sp24 and later)
History 3015, 3080, 3088, 3217 (AU23 and later), 3223, 3227 (SP23 and later), 3229 (SP23 and later), 3230, 3232, 3245 (SP23 and later), 3247, 3251 (au24 and later), 3253 (sp24 and later), 3282 (SP25 and later), 3475, 3552 (SP25 and later), 3640, 3798.06
Religious Studies 4342 (sp25 and later)
Slavic 4595 (SP25 and later)
South Asia Studies 5241 (SP25 and later)

4 credit hour courses:

Music 3360 (su24 and after)
Near Eastern Languages and Cultures 3804 (SP26 and later)
Theatre 3130H (sp25 and later), 5798.03 (5 credit hours)