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General Education Program Spring 2020

All students seeking a bachelor's degree except BGS students are required to complete this 55-hour program. This program has two major components: Foundation Studies and Liberal Arts. General Education requirements specific to a Bachelor or General Studies degree (B.G.S) can be found on-line at http://www.fhsu.edu/bgs/.

I. Foundation Studies (18 hours required)

A) Analysis and Communication (15 hours required)

A student in required to take the following courses:

ENG 101 English Composition I ENG 102 English Composition II COMM 100 Fundamentals of Oral Communication

A student must complete 3 hours of each of these areas:

MATH 101 Liberal Arts Mathematics or

MATH 110 College Algebra

MATH 130 Pre-Calculus Mathematics

B) Personal Well-Being (3 hours required)

HHP 200 Personal Wellness

II. Liberal Arts (37 hours requred)

A) International Studies (6 hours required)

A student must complete 2 of the 3 courses:

ENG 125 World Literature and the Human Experience HIST 111 Modern World Civilization GSCI 110 World Geography

B) Distribution (28 hours required)—Course areas used to complete requirements under International Studies allow a student to take only 1 additional course in that area under distribtion for General Education credit.

Humanities

(9 hours required with no more than 2 courses in 1 area)

Art

180 Fundamentals & Appreciation of Art

201 Survey of Art History I

202 Survey of Art History II

280 Approaches to Creativity

Communication Studies

125 Introduction to Motion Pictures

318 Introduction to Organizational Communication

English

125 World Literature and the Human Experience

126 Introduction to Literature

327 Literature Matters

Interdisciplinary Studies

333 Exploration in the Humanities

350 Diversity in the U.S.

Modern Languages

Beginning 1 course in any language **

112 Great Works in Translation

Music & Theatre

120 Introduction to Theatre

161 Listening to Music

391 Jazz

Philosophy

100 General Logic

120 Introduction to Philosophy

340 Introduction to Ethics

Mathematics and Natural Sciences

(10 hours; with no more than 2 courses

in 1 area; 1 hour must be laboratory credit)

Biological Sciences

100 Human Biology

102 Lab Experiences in Biology*

200 Humans and the Environment

300 Human Heredity

Chemistry

100 Chemist's View of the World

105 Introduction to the Chemistry Lab*

112 General Chemistry I and Lab*

114 General Chemistry II and Lab*

Geosciences

100 Introduction to Geology

101 Elements of Physical Geography

102 Introduction to Geology Laboratory*

340 Environmental Geology

Mathematics and Computer Science

234 Analytic Geometry & Calculus I

250 Elements of Statistics

331 Calculus Methods

Physics

102 Physical Science

103 Physical Science Laboratory*

208 Elementary Meteorology

students earning the B.A. Degree.

309 Descriptive Astronomy

** May not be used as General Education for

*Course fulfills 1-hour lab requirements

Italics denotes general education courses requried for the teacher education program.

INF 101 Introduction to Computer Information Systems

Social and Behavioral Sciences

(9 hours; with no more than 2 courses in 1 area)

Economics/Finance

ECON 201 Principles of Economics: Micro ECON 202 Principles of Economics: Macro

FIN 205 Theory & Practice of Personal Finance

History

110 World Civilization to 1500

130 United States History to 1877

131 United States History Since 1877

Interdisciplinary Studies

350 Diversity in the U.S.

Political Science

101 American Government

105 Current Political Issues

230 Introduction to International Relations

Psychology

100 General Psychology

300 Abnormal Psychology

340 Social Psychology

Sociology

140 Understanding Society: Introductory Sociology

355 Sociology of Death and Dying

388 Sociology of the Family in America

C) Upper-Division Integrative Course (3 hours required. These 3 hours will also count towards fulfilling the University's upper-division requirement.)

IDS 390 Technology in Society IDS 300 Economic Ideas & Current Issues IDS 407 Global Challenges IDS 400 Bioethics IDS 325 Ideal Societies in Fiction IDS 440 Conceptions of the Mind IDS 401 Ethical Issues in the Professions & Business IDS 326 Literature & the Environment IDS 468 Political Communication

IDS 402 U.S. Human Geography: Issues for the 21st Century IDS 499 Global Environmental Issues IDS 360 Social Justice: Action & Policy

IDS 405 Heritage: Society, Science and Culture Since 1700 Revised 10/31/19