
Dorothy F. Schmidt College of Arts and Letters
Bachelor of Arts (BA)

--- FOUNDATIONS OF WRITTEN COMMUNICATION ---
(6 credit hours required – Writing Across the Curriculum - WAC)
Grade of “C” or higher is required in each course
___ ENC 1101......College Writing I (REQUIRED)
___ ENC 1102......College Writing II

--- THE FOLLOWING COURSES BELOW MAY BE SUBSTITUTED FOR ENC 1102: ---

___ ENC 1939+.....Honors Composition for Science

--- English Department ---
___ ENC 1930+.....University Honors Seminar in Writing (Permit Only)
___ ENC 1939+.....Special Topic: College Writing
___ ENC 2452+.....Honors Composition for Science

--- Anthropology Department ---
___ ANT 1471+.....Cultural Difference in a Globalized Society

--- History Department ---
___ HIS 2050+......Writing History

--- Nursing Department (Department Permission Required) ---
___ NSP 1195+.....Being Cared For: Reflections from Other Side of Bed

--- FOUNDATIONS OF SCIENCE & THE NATURAL WORLD ---
(6 credit hours required - One of the courses must have a lab)
Student must take 2 of the following courses; 1 must be from group A.
The second course may be from group A or group B.

Group A
------For Non-Science Majors------
___ Biology Department
____ BSC 1005 & L
____ Life Science (3 cr. incl. Lab)
___ Chemistry Department
____ CHM 1020C
____ Contemporary Chemical Issues
___ Geosciences Department
____ ESC 2000 Blue Planet (online)
____ EVR 1001
____ Env. Science and Sustainability
___ Physics Department
____ AST 2002
____ Intro. to Astronomy (P/F)

------For Science Majors------
___ Biology Department
____ BSC 1010 & L & D
____ Biological Principles
____ (4 cr. Incl. Lab & Dis)
____ BSC 2085 & L
____ Anatomy & Physiology 1 (4 cr. Incl. Lab) *
___ Chemistry Department
____ CHM 2045 & L
____ General Chemistry 1
____ (4 cr. Incl. Lab) $
___ Physics Department
____ PHY 2048 & L
____ General Physics 1
____ (5 credits incl. Lab) **
____ PHY 2053
____ College Physics 1 (4 credits)

Group B
------For Non-Science Majors------
___ Anthropology Department
____ ANT 2511 & L
____ Intro to Biological Anthropology (4 cr. Incl. Lab)
___ Chemistry Department
____ CHM 2083
____ Chemistry in Modern Life (P/F)
___ Engineering Dean Department
____ EETG 2831
____ Nature: Inter. of Sci., Eng., & the Humanities
___ Geosciences Department
____ GLY 2010C
____ Physical Geol. (4 cr. incl. Lab)
____ GLY2100
____ History of Earth and Life
____ MET 2010 & D
____ Weather and Climate
___ Physics Department
____ PSC 2121 ...... Physical Science

------For Science Majors------
___ Biology Department
____ BSC 1011 & L & D
____ Biodiversity (4 cr. incl Lab & Dis)
___ Chemistry Department
____ CHM 2032 & L
____ Chem. for Health Sciences
____ (4 credits including Lab)

--- FOUNDATIONS OF MATHEMATICS & QUANTITATIVE REASONING ---
(6 credit hours required – Grade of “C” or higher is required)
Student must take 2 of the following courses; 1 must be from group A.
The second course may be from group A or group B.

--- PRETEST IS REQUIRED BEFORE TAKING YOUR FIRST MATH COURSE ---

Group A
___ MGF 1106 ...... Math for Liberal Arts 1
___ MGF 1107 ...... Math for Liberal Arts 2
___ MAC 1105 ...... College Algebra
___ STA 2023 ...... Introductory Statistics (RECOMMENDED)
___ MAC 2311...... Calculus with Analytic Geometry 1 (4 credits)
or any mathematics course for which one of the above courses is the direct prerequisite

Group B
___ MAC 1140...... Precalculus Algebra
___ MAC 1114...... Trigonometry
___ MAC 1147...... Precalculus Algebra & Trigonometry (5 credits)
___ MAC 2233...... Methods of Calculus
___ MAC 2312...... Calculus with Analytic Geometry 2 (4 credits)

--- Philosophy Department ---
___ PHI 2102 ......... Logic

Note: Students must take at least one course with the prefix MAC or MGF.

--- FOUNDATIONS OF SOCIETY & HUMAN BEHAVIOR ---
(6 credit hours required)
Student must take 2 of the following courses; 1 must be from group A.
The second course may be from group A or group B.

Group A
___ History Department
____ AMH 2010 ...... United States History Since 1877 (P/F)
___ Anthropology Department
____ ANT 2000 & D. Introduction to Anthropology
___ Economics Department
____ ECO 2013...... Macroeconomic Principles §
___ Political Science Department
____ POS 2041 ...... Government of the United States
___ Psychology Department
____ PSY 1012 ...... Introduction to Psychology
___ Sociology Department
____ SYG 1000 ...... Sociological Perspectives

Group B
___ History Department
____ AMH 2020 ...... United States History to 1877 (P/F)
___ Economics Department
____ ECO 2023...... Microeconomic Principles §
____ ECP 2002 ...... Contemporary Economic Issues
___ Exceptional Student Education Department
____ EEX 2091 ...... Disability and Society
___ Geosciences Department
____ EVR 2017 ...... Environment and Society
___ Public Administration Department
____ PAD 2258 ...... Changing Environment of Soc., Bus., & Gov't
___ Sociology Department
____ SYG 2790 ...... Race, Class, Gender, and Sexuality
____ SYG 2010 ...... Social Problems
___ Urban & Regional Planning Department
____ URP 2051 ...... Designing the City
### Foundations in Global Citizenship

(6 credit hours required)

Student must choose two (2) courses from among the following:

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<td>ANT 2410</td>
<td>Culture and Society</td>
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<td>Curriculum, Culture &amp; Education Department</td>
<td>EDF 2854</td>
<td>Educated Citizen in Global Context</td>
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<td>GEA 2000</td>
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<td>LIN 2607</td>
<td>Global Perspectives on Language (online course)</td>
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<td>SYP 2450</td>
<td>Global Society</td>
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<td>Social Work Department</td>
<td>SOW 1005</td>
<td>Global Perspectives of Social Services</td>
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<td>WOH 2012 &amp; D</td>
<td>History of Civilization 1 (WAC) ++</td>
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<td>WOH 2022</td>
<td>History of Civilization 2</td>
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### Students Assume Responsibility for Meeting All Graduation Requirements

Course selections should be made in consultation with an academic advisor.

### Foundations of Humanities

(6 credit hours required)

Student must take 2 of the following courses; 1 must be from group A. The second course may be from group A or group B.

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<td>Theatre &amp; Dance Department</td>
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<td>Culture &amp; Architecture</td>
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<td>Theatre &amp; Dance Department</td>
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<td>Appreciation of Dance</td>
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<td>School of Communication &amp; Multimedia Studies</td>
<td>FIL 2000 &amp; D</td>
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<td>Languages, Linguistics, &amp; Comparative Literature Department</td>
<td>LIT 2100</td>
<td>Introduction to World Literature</td>
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<td>English Department</td>
<td>LIT 2010</td>
<td>Interpretation of Fiction (WAC) ++</td>
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<td>LIT 2070</td>
<td>Interpretation of Creative Nonfiction (WAC) ++</td>
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### Legend

- + ENC 1101 is a prerequisite.
- ++ Two Foundations of Written Communications classes are required before taking this course.
- § Sophomore standing (30 credits earned) is a requirement to take this course.
- * Nursing majors are required to take this course in their first semester.
- ** MAC 2311 is a prerequisite for this course. If a lab is needed, then take General Physics 1 Lab (PHY 2048 Lab).
- *** MAC 1105 and MAC 1114 are prerequisites for this course. If a lab is needed, then take General Physics 1 Lab (PHY 2048 Lab).
- ‡ Co-requisite of College Algebra (MAC 1105) or a prerequisite of Introductory Chemistry (CHM 1025).
- WAC (WAC) Writing across the curriculum course.

### Writing Across the Curriculum (WAC)/Gordon Rule

Students must attain grades of “C” or higher. 12 credits of writing (WAC) and 6 credits of mathematics are required.

**Please note:** Students must take four (4) WAC courses. Two (2) courses are to be taken from Foundations of Written Communication. We strongly recommend the two additional WAC courses come from these courses: PHI 2010, WOH 2012, LIT 2010, LIT 2030, LIT 2040 and LIT 2070. See advisor for additional details.

### Elective Credits

The number of elective credits allowed varies by major. Please consult with an academic advisor to determine the number of elective credits required for your major. Certain majors do not allow any electives.

### P/F

Certain designated undergraduate courses may be taken for a letter grade of pass (P) or fail (F). Students must indicate the grade option preferred when registering; otherwise, a letter grade will be given. The maximum credit available to any student on the P/F option is one course per term with a maximum of 12 credits during a student’s entire course of study. This option is not available for courses in the student’s major, for students on probation, or for Engineering majors.

### Go to MyFAU to:

- Check e-mail
- See FAU Announcements

### FAU Self-Service:

- Course schedules
- Registration (drop/add classes) and withdrawals
- Student records and financial aid
- Tuition payments
- The University Course Catalog

[http://myfau.fau.edu](http://myfau.fau.edu)
FOREIGN LANGUAGE (4 - 8 credits, 1 or more courses in the same language) - REQUIRED FOR MAJOR
Students with more than one year of a foreign language in high school should enroll in the second half of the beginners foreign language class (ARA/CHI/FRE/GER/HBR/ITA/JPN/LAT/SPN 1121) or a higher level course. Proficiency for a first-level course can be earned by successfully completing a second-level course. For questions related to this requirement, consult an academic advisor. CLEP exam credits meet this requirement: see the catalog.

NOTE: Native Speakers of a foreign language must consult the Languages, Linguistics, and Comparative Literature Department regarding this requirement.

NOTE: Honors Seminars SHALL BE ACCEPTED AS MEETING THE GORDON RULE WRITING REQUIREMENT. See the University Advising Services Office for details.

FREE ELECTIVES (37 credits, 12 or more courses)
Free electives are courses in any college, any department, including Social Science, not previously taken needed to meet the 120 credits required for graduation.

| 44 credits | Intellectual Foundations Program and Foreign Language |
| 37 credits | Free Electives |
| 39 credits | IDS: Social Science Major Requirements |
| 120 CREDITS | TOTAL |

NOTE: See the catalog for specific requirements, course descriptions, and additional information. The requirements for some core curriculum & other courses may be satisfied by passing the appropriate AP or CLEP exam. Check with your advisor and college.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS
Interdisciplinary Studies: Social Science majors are advised through the Office of Student Academic Services and are strongly encouraged to work closely with the advisors and/or program director when choosing major courses and electives so that the major can be completed in a timely manner.

Office of Student Academic Services
Location: Arts and Humanities Building (AH) Room 213
Phone: (561) 297-3800 or (954) 236-1101
Website: http://www.fau.edu/artsandletters/social-science-ba.php

A total of 39 credits are required, exclusive of general education courses; 30 of these credits must be upper-division. At least 12 credits of upper-division courses must be in a single discipline. No more than 18 credits may be taken in any one area. Students choose a primary area of concentration and develop a plan of study in consultation with the program director.