FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY – INTELLECTUAL FOUNDATION PROGRAM 2018 – 2019

All courses are three (3) credits unless otherwise indicated. Course selections should be made in consultation with an academic advisor.

Bachelor in Early Care & Education (BECE)

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:

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

Note: Students must take four Writing-Across-the-Curriculum (WAC) courses, two of which must be taken from Foundations of Written Communication.

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

Biology Department
____ BSC 1005 & L
Life Science (3 cr. incl. Lab)

Chemistry Department
____ CHM 1020C
Contemporary Chemical Issues

Geosciences Department
____ ESC 2000
The Blue Planet (online)
____ EVR 1001
Env. Science and Sustainability

Physics Department
____ AST 2002
Intro. to Astronomy (P/F)

Group B

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
____ ETR 2831
Nature: Inter. of Sci., Eng., & the Humanities

Geosciences Department
____ GYL 2010C
Physical Geol. (4 cr. incl. Lab)
____ GYL 2100
History of Earth and Life
____ MET 2010 & D
Weather and Climate

Physics Department
____ PSC 2121
Physical Science

(D) = Discussion, (L) = Lab
Courses indicating a (D) or (L) are linked with a lecture, a lab, and/or a discussion. If you select one of these courses, you must register for the lecture, lab, and/or discussion. You must attend the lecture, lab, and/or discussion.

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
____ 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 1141....... 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

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 2020 & D ........ 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

Exceptional Student Education Department
____ EEX 2091............. Disability and Society

Geosciences Department
____ EVR 2017............... Environment and Society

Languages, Linguistics, & Comparative Literature Department
____ LIN 2001............. Introduction to Language (online course)

Public Administration Department
____ PAD 2258............... Changing Environment of Soc., Bus., & Gov’t

Sociology Department
____ SYD 2790............. Race, Class, Gender, and Sexuality
____ SYG 2010............... Social Problems

Urban & Regional Planning Department
____ URP 2051............. Designing the City
Student must choose two (2) courses from among the following:

**Anthropology Department**
- ANT 2410: Culture and Society

**Curriculum, Culture & Education Department**
- EDF 2854: Educated Citizen in Global Context

**Geosciences Department**
- GEA 2000: World Geography

**Political Science Department**
- INR 2002: Introduction to World Politics

**Languages, Linguistics, & Comparative Literature Department**
- LIT 2010: Interpretation of Fiction (WAC) ++
- LIT 2030: Interpretation of Poetry (WAC) ++
- LIT 2040: Interpretation of Drama (WAC) ++
- LIT 2070: Interpretation of Creative Nonfiction (WAC) ++
- LIT 2090: Interpretation of Film (WAC) ++
- LIT 2100: Introduction to World Literature (WAC) ++
- LIT 2200: Foundations of Written Communication (WAC) ++

**Sociology Department**
- SYP 2450: Global Society

**Social Work Department**
- SOW 1005: Global Perspectives of Social Services

**History Department**
- WOH 2012 & D: History of Civilization 1 (WAC) ++
- WOH 2022: History of Civilization 2

**Arts and Humanities**

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**Legend**

+ - ENC 1101 is a prerequisite.
++ - Two Foundations of Written Communications courses 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.

**WAC 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.

**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 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:**

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**
FOREIGN LANGUAGE

All admitted undergraduate students must satisfy the statewide foreign language admission requirement. Students must complete a two-year foreign language sequence in high school or the equivalent proficiency at the college or university level. American Sign Language satisfies the criteria of foreign language for the purpose of this requirement.

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

| 36 credits | Intellectual Foundations Program |
| 30 credits | Early Care & Education Major |
| 33-36 credits | Non-Restricted Electives including Foreign Language |
| 18-21 credits | Upper-Division Electives |
| 120 CREDITS | TOTAL |

Early Care & Education Major

**NOTE:** To be admitted to the Early Care & Education program, students must do the following:
1. Have a minimum **GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale** on the lower division undergraduate general education component or have completed requirements for a baccalaureate degree with a minimum GPA of 2.5 from any college or university accredited by a regional accredited institution.
2. Meet the general university requirements for admission.
3. Complete FAU’s Intellectual Foundations Program or an AA Degree from a Florida State University or College.
4. Be programmed by an assigned advisor.
5. Be approved for admission by the College of Education.

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

A “C” or better in ALL education courses is required along with a minimum grade point average of 2.5 as well as an overall GPA of 2.5. No major course can be taken pass/fail. All course selections should be made in consultation with an advisor.
MAJOR COURSES, COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS and ELECTIVES

EARLY CARE & EDUCATION (30 credits, 10 courses)

Core Courses (21 credits, 7 courses)
- EEX 3201 Typical/Atypical Child Development, Birth – Age 8 (3 credits)
- EEX 3226 Assessment of All Young Children (3 credits)
- EEC 3214 Designing and Implementing a Blended Curriculum: Birth to Age Eight (3 credits)
- EEX 4112 Language Development and Intervention in Young Children (3 credits)
- EEX 3754 Building Family, Community and School Partnerships (3 credits)
- EEX 3606 Positive Behavior Supports in Inclusive Early Childhood Settings (3 credits)
- EEC 4313 Blended Early Childhood Methods: Birth -5 (3-4 credits)

Reading & College of Education Courses (9 credits, 3 courses)
- LAE 4353 Language Arts and Literature Birth – Grade 8 (3 credits)
- RED 4308 Reading Development I: Birth – Grade 3 (3 credits)
- EDF 3430 Educational Measurement and Evaluation (3 credits)

NON-RESTRICTED ELECTIVE COURSES (33-36 credits)
Courses in any college, any department, including Education, needed to meet the 120 credits required for graduation. If Foreign Language courses have not been completed previously, they must be taken as part of the Non-Restricted Electives.

UPPER DIVISION ELECTIVE COURSES (18-21 credits)
Recommended electives will be selected with consultation with an academic advisor.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

Students registered in Education courses must purchase “Live Text” which is an on-line tool that will be used to track individual student competency mastery (CAs) in initial certification programs. For detailed information, please visit:
http://www.coe.fau.edu/livetext/default.htm

Field experience is a required component of some Education courses. All students requiring a field experience placement must have evidence of current security clearance. For detailed information, please visit:
http://www.coe.fau.edu/students/oass/fieldexperience/default.aspx