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 + .... Special Topic: College Writing
___ 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
___ AST 2002
    Intro. to Astronomy
___ BSC 1005 & L
    Life Science (3 cr. w/Lab)
___ CHM 1020C
    Contemp. Chemical Issues
___ ESC 2000
    The Blue Planet (online)
___ EVR 1001
    Env. Sci. and Sustainability

Group B
___ ANT 2511 & L
    Intro to Biological Anthropology (4 cr. w/ Lab)
___ ETG 2831
    Nature: Inter. of Sci., Eng., & the Humanities
___ GLL 2010C
    Physical Geol. (4 cr. w/Lab)
___ GLL 2100
    History of Earth and Life
___ IDS 2382
    Human Mission to Mars
___ MET 2010
    Weather, Climate & Climate Change
___ 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 IN GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP**  
(6 credit hours required)  
Student must choose two (2) courses from among the following:

- **ANT 2410** .............. Culture and Society  
- **EDF 2854** .............. Educated Citizen in Global Context  
- **GEA 2000** .............. World Geography  
- **INR 2002** .............. Introduction to World Politics  
- **LAS 2000** .............. Intro to Caribbean & Latin American Studies  
- **LIN 2607** .............. Global Perspectives on Language  
- **POT 2000** .............. Global Political Theory ±  
- **SYP 2450** .............. Global Society  
- **SOW 1005** .............. Global Perspectives of Social Services  
- **WOH 2012 & D** ......... History of Civilization 1 (WAC) ++  
- **WOH 2022** .............. History of Civilization 2  
- **WST 2351** .............. Gender and Climate Change

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**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.

**Group A**

- **ARH 2000** .............. Art Appreciation  
- **MUL 2010** .............. Music Appreciation  
- **PHI 2010 & D** ......... Introduction to Philosophy (WAC) ++  
- **THE 2000** .............. Theatre Appreciation  

**Group B**

- **ARC 2208** .............. Culture & Architecture  
- **DAN 2100** .............. Appreciation of Dance  
- **FIL 2000 & D** ......... Film Appreciation  
- **HUM 2470** .............. Racism and Anti-Racism ±  
- **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 2100** .............. Introduction to World Literature  
- **SPC 2608** .............. Public Speaking ±

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**STUDENTS ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR MEETING ALL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

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

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.  
± - Starting Spring 2022 and afterwards.  
◊ - See information box below regarding Civic Literacy Requirement

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.

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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.

https://myfau.fau.edu

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

https://www.fau.edu/ugstudies/civic-literacy-requirement/

Civic Literacy Requirement

Beginning in Fall 2018, students entering a Florida public institution as a degree-seeking student for the first time needs to demonstrate civic literacy through either taking a certain course (AMH 2020 or POS 2041) or passing an assessment exam. Beginning in Summer 2021, Florida Legislature amended the statute and now requires students to complete both a civic literacy course (AMH 2020 or POS 2041) and an assessment exam.
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.

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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

NON-RESTRICTED (FREE) ELECTIVE COURSES (24 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. Highly recommended to have these courses completed prior to beginning upper division courses.

EARLY CARE & EDUCATION (33 credits, 11 courses)

Core Courses (21 credits, 7 courses)
- EEX 3201 Typical/Atypical Child Development, Birth – Age 8 (3 credits)
- EEC 3214 Designing and Implementing a Blended Curriculum: Birth to Age Eight (3 credits)
- EEX 3226 Assessment of All Young Children (3 credits)
- EEX 3754 Building Family, Community and School Partnerships (2 credits)
- EEX 3603 Positive Behavior Supports in Inclusive Early Childhood Settings (3 credits)
- EEX 4112 Language Development and Intervention in Young Children (3 credits)
- EEC 4313 Blended Early Childhood Methods: Birth -5 (4 credits)

Reading & College of Education Courses (12 credits, 4 courses)
- LAE 4353 Language Arts and Literature Birth – Grade 8 (3 credits)
- RED 4308 Reading Development I: Birth – Grade 3 (3 credits) *(Prerequisite LAE 4353)*
- EDF 3430 Educational Measurement and Evaluation (3 credits)
- TSL 4080 Introduction to TESOL (3 credits)

UPPER DIVISION ELECTIVE COURSES (27 credits)
Recommended electives will be selected with consultation with a College of Education 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: [https://www.fau.edu/education/students/livetext/students/](https://www.fau.edu/education/students/livetext/students/)

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.fau.edu/education/students/oass/fieldexperience/](http://www.fau.edu/education/students/oass/fieldexperience/)