

**GENERAL STUDIES A.A: 611A**  
**Humanities, Arts, Communication, and Languages (HACL)**  
*(Must complete a minimum of 15 credits at the 200 level for completion of the program)*

**Total Credits: 60**  
**Catalog Editions 16-17**

Initial Placement Scores	
Reading: _____	English: _____
Math: _____	
Anticipated Completion Date: _____	

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

	COURSE	HOURS	GRADE
<b>ENGL 101 or ENGL 101A</b> (If needed for ENGL 102/103 or general elective if not)			
<b>English Foundation</b> (ENGL 102 or ENGL 103) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION FOUNDATION</b>		3	
<b>Math Foundation</b> (MATH 110 or higher) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION FOUNDATION</b>			
<b>Arts Distribution</b> (ARTD) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION</b>			
<b>Humanities Distribution</b> (HUMD) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION</b>			
<b>Behavioral &amp; Social Sciences Distribution</b> (BSSD) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION</b>		3	
<b>Behavioral &amp; Social Sciences Distribution</b> (BSSD) <i>Different discipline from other BSSD</i> <b>GED</b>		3	
<b>Natural Sciences Distribution with Lab</b> (NSLD) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION</b>		4	
<b>Natural Sciences Distribution without Lab or</b> <b>Natural Sciences Distribution with lab</b> (NSND/NSLD) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION DISTRIBUTION</b>			
<b>General Education Institutional Requirement</b> (GEIR) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION IR</b> Choose course from general education COMM, HLTH, or ARTD/HUMD. Discuss appropriate course choice with counselor/advisor			
<b>General Education Institutional Requirement</b> (GEIR) <b>GENERAL EDUCATION IR</b> Choose course from general education COMM, HLTH, or ARTD/HUMD. Students may not select two COMM, two HLTH, or two ARTD/HUMD courses to meet their General Education Institutional Requirements. Discuss appropriate course choice with counselor/advisor			

**HACL CORE COURSE SELECTION**  
**CHOOSE AT LEAST 15 CREDIT HOURS FROM:** ARTT, COMM, DANC, ENGL, FILM, GNDS, HIST, LING, MUSC, PHIL, THET or WMST | World Languages ARAB, ASLP, CHIN, FREN, GERM, HIND, ITAL, KORA, LATN, PORT, RUSS, SPAN.  
**MUST SELECT A MINIMUM OF 3 CREDIT HOURS OF HACL CORE COURSES AT THE 200 LEVEL. SEE A COUNSELOR/ADVISOR.**

**ELECTIVE COURSE SELECTION**  
**CHOOSE UP TO 11 CREDIT HOURS TO REACH COMPLETION OF 60 COLLEGE LEVEL CREDITS REFLECTING PERSONAL, ACADEMIC, AND CAREER INTERESTS.**  
**SEE A COUNSELOR/ADVISOR.**

	COURSE	HOURS	GRADE		COURSE	HOURS	GRADE
TOTAL HOURS				TOTAL HOURS			

**Graduation Requirements Overall GPA of 2.0 is required to graduate** *Only two credits of PE/PHED courses may be used as electives*

Has student completed a minimum of 15 credits at the 200 level?  Yes  No 200-level credits completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Has student completed the Global Perspectives requirement?  Yes  No Global Perspectives Course: \_\_\_\_\_

Does student have an overall 2.0 GPA?  Yes  No Overall cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Has the student completed 60 credits?  Yes  No Total credits completed: \_\_\_\_\_

***This UNOFFICIAL document is for planning purposes only and completion does not guarantee graduation.***

See an advisor to submit an Application for Graduation the semester BEFORE you intend to graduate.

## **HACL Core Advising Notes**

The Humanities, Arts, Communication and Languages Core allows students to develop an interdisciplinary course of study emphasizing the humanities and arts disciplines. The HACL Core is designed to encourage student to explore these disciplines while deepening their knowledge through a selected academic focus. For additional information, please visit the General Studies website.

In this Core, students will develop an intentional academic plan that reflects personal, academic, and career goals emphasizing the following discipline areas or individual courses:

Art (ARTT)  
Dance (DANC)  
English (ENGL)†††  
Film (FILM)  
History (HIST)  
Linguistics (LING)  
Music (MUSC)  
Philosophy (PHIL)  
Speech (COMM)  
Theatre (THET)  
Women's and Gender Studies (WMST and GNDS),  
World Languages (ARAB, CHIN, FREN, GERM, HIND, ITAL, KORA, LATN, RUSS, PORT, ASLP, SPAN)

Student may elect to take any of the following individual courses as part of their Core requirements to enhance their selected academic focus:

**Graphic Design** - GDES 116, GDES 120, GDES 134, GDES 136

**Interior Design** - IDES 101, IDES 211, IDES 212

**Integrated Studies** - ISTD 173

**Photography** - PHOT 150/L PHOT 161/L

**Television and Radio** - TVRA 134

### **In order to complete this degree, students must:**

1. Complete of a minimum of 60 Credit hours including
  - General Education Requirements- 31 Credit hours \*\*\*
  - Humanities, Arts, Communication, and Languages Core courses- at least 15 Credit hours, with a minimum of 3 credit hours at 200 level
  - Electives- Up to 11 Credit hours as needed to complete 60 Credit hours
2. Complete a minimum of 15 Credits at 200 level, with at least 3 credit hours at the 200 level from the Core
3. Have a GPA of 2.0.

\*\* Behavioral and Social Science Distribution (BSSD) courses must come from different disciplines.

\*\*\* Students must complete one Global or Cultural Perspectives designated course as part of their General Education Program.

‡ Students should attempt ENGL and MATH foundation requirements within completion of the first 24 credits of college level work or at the completion of any prerequisite or required non- credit coursework.

‡‡ Any credit hours beyond the minimum in General Education (31 Credit hours) or Core courses are counted toward elective credit hours.

‡‡‡ ENGL 102, ENGL 103, COMM 108, COMM 112 not eligible for HACL Core requirements, if used for General Education Foundation requirements. ENGL 101 and ENGL 110 cannot be used to meet HACL Core requirements.

† Two general education institutional requirement (GEIR) courses required from the following general education courses: COMM, HLTH , or one ARTD or HUMD. Students may only take one course from ARTD or HUMD to fulfill General Education Institutional Requirements.

Please Note: Exact semester credit counts may vary based on specific course selections.