

REQUIRED CORE

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A. ENGLISH COMPOSITION (2 courses, based on placement)*Select one from:*

- ☐ ENG 100 English Composition I: Integrated Reading and Writing
- ☐ ENG 110 Composition I: Fundamentals of Composition and Rhetoric
- ☐ ENG 111 Composition I: Composition and Rhetoric I

AND*Select one from:*

- ☐ ENG 112 Composition II: Composition and Rhetoric II
- ☐ ENG 114 Composition II: Written Composition and Prose Fiction
- ☐ ENG 115 Composition II: Written Composition and Drama
- ☐ ENG 116 Composition II: Written Composition and Poetry
- ☐ ENG 113 Composition II: Writing About Literature

B. MATHEMATICAL & QUANTITATIVE REASONING (1 course, based on placement)

3 Credits:

- ☐ MTH 21.5 A Mathematical World with Algebra
- ☐ MTH 23.5 Probability and Statistics with Algebra
- ☐ MTH 28.5 College Algebra and Elementary Trigonometry

- ☐ MTH 21 A Mathematical World
- ☐ MTH 23 Probability and Statistics
- ☐ MTH 28 College Algebra and Elementary Trigonometry

4 Credits:

- ☐ MTH 30 Pre-Calculus Mathematics
- ☐ MTH 31 Analytic Geometry and Calculus I

C. LIFE & PHYSICAL SCIENCES (1 course)

3 Credits:

- ☐ AST 111 Stellar Astronomy
- ☐ BIO 19 Food, Sex and Death (Selected Topics in Biology)
- ☐ CHM 13 Chemistry and the Environment
- ☐ CHM 110 Contemporary Chemistry
- ☐ PHY 110 Concepts of Physics

4 Credits:

- ☐ BIO 11 General Biology I
- ☐ BIO 21 The Human Body
- ☐ BIO 23 Human Anatomy and Physiology I
- ☐ BIO 120 Biology I: Molecules, Cells, and Genes
- ☐ CHM 11 General College Chemistry I
- ☐ CHM 17 Fundamentals of General Chemistry
- ☐ ENV 11 Introduction to Environmental Health
- ☐ ESE 11 Earth Systems Science: The Earth
- ☐ ESE 12 Earth Systems Science: The Atmosphere
- ☐ ESE 13 Earth Systems Science: The Ocean
- ☐ PHY 11 College Physics I
- ☐ PHY 31 University Physics I

FLEXIBLE CORE

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A. WORLD CULTURE & GLOBAL ISSUES**(1 course)**

- ☐ ANT 11 Introduction to Anthropology
- ☐ ARB 111 Beginning Arabic I
- ☐ ARB 112 Beginning Arabic II
- ☐ COMM 28 African-American and Puerto Rican Rhetoric
- ☐ COMM 34 Intercultural Communication
- ☐ ECO 15 History of Economic Thought
- ☐ ECO 71 Economics of Developing Areas
- ☐ ENG 148 Afro-Caribbean Literature
- ☐ FILM 91 World Cinema
- ☐ FRN 111 Beginning French I
- ☐ FRN 112 Beginning French II
- ☐ FRN 113 Intermediate French Language and Culture
- ☐ FRN 121 Language and Civilization of France
- ☐ FRN 123 Francophone Caribbean Culture
- ☐ GEO 10 World Regional Geography
- ☐ GEO 33 Human Dimensions of Climate Change
- ☐ HIS 10 History of the Modern World
- ☐ HIS 11 Introduction to the Modern World
- ☐ HIS 31 Latin American History
- ☐ HIS 35 History of Africa
- ☐ HIS 39 History of The Caribbean
- ☐ HIS 46: The Cold War: The Road to Armageddon
- ☐ ITL 111 Beginning Italian I
- ☐ ITL 112 Beginning Italian II
- ☐ ITL 113 Intermediate Italian Language & Culture
- ☐ ITL 121 Language and Civilization of Italy
- ☐ JPN 111 Beginning Japanese I
- ☐ JPN 112 Beginning Japanese II
- ☐ PHL 90 Introduction to Religion
- ☐ POL 31 Comparative Government
- ☐ POL 71 Politics of Developing Areas
- ☐ POL 72 International Politics
- ☐ POR 111 Beginning Portuguese I
- ☐ POR 112 Beginning Portuguese II
- ☐ SOC 11 Introduction to Sociology
- ☐ SOC 32 Sociology of the City
- ☐ SOC 92 Religion and Society
- ☐ SPN 108 Spanish for Health Professions
- ☐ SPN 110 Introductory Spanish for Heritage Speakers
- ☐ SPN 111 Beginning Spanish I
- ☐ SPN 112 Beginning Spanish II

- ☐ SPN 113 Intermediate Spanish Language and Culture
- ☐ SPN 117 Advanced Spanish Composition
- ☐ SPN 120 Advanced Spanish Grammar
- ☐ SPN 121 Spanish Language and Culture
- ☐ SPN 122 Latin American Language and Culture

B. US EXPERIENCE IN ITS DIVERSITY**(1 course)**

- ☐ COMM 20 Public Speaking and Critical Listening
- ☐ CRJ 11 Introduction to Criminal Justice
- ☐ ECO 12 Macroeconomics
- ☐ ENG 147 Latino Literature
- ☐ ENG 150 U.S. Literature and Thought I
- ☐ ENG 151 U.S. Literature and Thought II
- ☐ ENG 153 The Black Writer in American Literature
- ☐ ENG 154 Black Poetry
- ☐ HIS 20 The American Nation: The Development of a People
- ☐ HIS 23 Social and Intellectual History of Modern America
- ☐ HIS 24 The History of American Foreign Relations
- ☐ HIS 29 History of Women in the United States
- ☐ HIS 37 African-American History
- ☐ HIS 51 History of New York City
- ☐ HSC 10 Human Services and Social Welfare Institutions
- ☐ MEST 60 Introduction to Mass Communication
- ☐ POL 11 American National Government
- ☐ POL 41 Civil Rights in America Since 1954

C. CREATIVE EXPRESSION**(1 course)**

- ☐ ART 11 Introduction to Art History
- ☐ ART 12 Introduction to Art History: Africa, the Americas, Asia and the Middle East
- ☐ ART 55 Modern Art
- ☐ ART 56 Graphic & Digital Design History
- ☐ COMM 26 Oral Interpretation of Literature
- ☐ ENG 121 Introduction to Creative Writing
- ☐ ENG 135 Popular Culture and Literature

- ___ ENG 161 Shakespeare
- ___ FILM 61 Introduction to Film
- ___ FRN 122 Readings in Modern French
- ___ ITL 122 Readings in Modern Italian
- ___ ITL 23 Dante's Divine Comedy
- ___ ITL 124 Italian Culture through Cinema
- ___ MUS 11 Introduction to Music
- ___ MUS 12 Introduction to Music: A Multi-Cultural Survey of World Music
- ___ SPN 124 Don Quijote and Other Cervantes Masterpieces
- ___ SPN 125 Generation of 1898
- ___ SPN 130 Literature and Culture of Puerto Rico
- ___ SPN 131 Literature and Culture of the Spanish Caribbean
- ___ THEA 70 Introduction to Theater
- ___ THEA 75 Introduction to Acting

D. INDIVIDUAL & SOCIETY

(1 course)

- ___ COMM 11 Fundamentals of Interpersonal Communication
- ___ COMM 22 Small Group Discussion
- ___ ECO 11 Microeconomics
- ___ ECO 31 Labor Economics
- ___ ENG 156 Children's Literature
- ___ ENG 157 Introduction to Women's Literature
- ___ ENG 181 Asian American Literature
- ___ HIS 14 The Individual and Society in Medieval History
- ___ HIS 28 Women: The Historical Perspective
- ___ MEST 64 Social Media Communication
- ___ MEST 96 Television, Society and the Individual
- ___ PHL 11 Introduction to Philosophy
- ___ POL 51 Urban Politics
- ___ POL 69 Introduction to Politics
- ___ PSY 11 Introduction to Psychology
- ___ PSY 22 Social Psychology
- ___ PSY 31 Abnormal Psychology
- ___ PSY 40 Life Span Development
- ___ PSY 41 Psychology of Infancy and Childhood
- ___ PSY 42 Psychology of Adolescence and Adulthood
- ___ PSY 43 Psychological Development During Maturity and Aging
- ___ SOC 31 Race and Ethnic Relations
- ___ SOC 34 Social Deviance
- ___ SOC 35 Introduction to Social Work

- ___ SOC 36 Sociology of Sex Roles
- ___ SOC 37 Social Inequality

E. SCIENTIFIC WORLD

(1 course)

3 Credit Courses:

- ___ AST 112 Planetary Astronomy
- ___ BIO/CHM/PHYS 100 Sustainability, Energy, and the Green Economy
- ___ BIO 20/HLT 20 Aspects of Human Sexuality
- ___ BIO 27/PSY 27 Introduction to Behavioral Neuroscience
- ___ BIO 150 Biology, Bioethics and Law
- ___ CHM 20 Introduction to Nanoscience
- ___ CSI 30 Discrete Mathematics I
- ___ GIS 11 Introduction to Geographic Information Systems
- ___ GIS 12 Introduction to Remote Sensing
- ___ PHY 14 Physics Through Film

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- ___ PHY 12 College Physics II
- ___ PHY 32 University Physics II

AND

One additional course from sections A through E.

Check your degree program for specific details and requirements.

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