

# RECOMMENDED ACADEMIC PLAN – AMERICAN STUDIES

Semester I	Semester II
ENGL 015 GWS Rhetoric and Composition or ENGL 30 GWS Honors Freshman Composition 3	Foreign Language 4
Quantification (GQ) 3	Humanities (GH) 3
Humanities (GH) 3	Arts (GA) 3
Health and Physical Activity (GHA) 1.5	Social and Behavioral Sciences (GS) 3
Foreign Language 4	Natural Sciences (GN) 3
First-Year Seminar 0-1	
14.5-15.5	16
Semester III	Semester IV
Foreign Language 4	<b>AM ST 100 Introduction to American Studies GH;US or</b> 3
Quantification (GQ) 3	<b>AM ST 100Y Introduction to American Studies GH;US</b>
CAS 100 Effective Speech (GWS) 3	ENGL 202B (GWS) Effective Writing: Writing in the Humanities 3
Arts (GA) 3	Social and Behavioral Sciences (GS) 3
Elective 3	Natural Sciences (GN) 3
Health and Physical Activity (GHA) 1.5	Bachelor of Arts Requirement: Knowledge Domain 3
17.5	15
Semester V	Semester VI
<b>AM ST Supporting Course</b> 3	<b>AM ST Supporting Course</b> 3
<b>400-level AM ST Supporting Course</b> 3	<b>AM ST Supporting Course</b> 3
Natural Sciences (Lab) (GN) 3	<b>400-level AM ST Supporting Course</b> 3
Bachelor of Arts Requirement: Other Cultures 3	Bachelor of Arts Requirement: Knowledge Domain 3
Bachelor of Arts Requirement: Knowledge Domain 3	Elective 3
15	15
Semester VII	Semester VIII
<b>AM ST 491W American Themes, American Eras</b> 3	<b>AM ST 491W American Themes, American Eras</b> 3
<b>400-level AM ST Supporting Course</b> 3	<b>400-level AM ST Supporting Course</b> 3
<b>AMST Supporting Course</b> 3	Elective 3
Elective 3	Elective 3
Elective 3	Elective 2-3
15	14-15

## Advising Notes

- **Bold type** require a grade of C or better.
- *Italics* indicates courses that satisfy both major and General Education requirements.
- **Bold Italics** indicates courses requiring a quality grade of C or better and that satisfy both major and General Education requirements.
- GWS, GHA, GQ, GN, GA, GH, and GS are codes used to identify General Education requirements.
- US, IL, and US;IL are codes used to designate courses that satisfy University United States/International Cultures requirements.
- W is the code used to designate courses that satisfy University Writing Across the Curriculum requirements.

## Academic Advising Notes:

1. AM ST supporting courses are distributed among arts, history, humanities, literature, and social sciences courses containing at least 50% American content. Students take three courses each from two areas and two courses from a third.
2. At least 12 of these credits are at the 400 level.
3. ENGL 202 B is recommended for American Studies majors.
4. AM ST 491W is to be taken as two separate offerings.
5. A minimum of 123 credits is required.

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