

**Liberal Arts and Sciences Core Curriculum Summary
Effective Fall 2005**

Area	Credit Hours (42 BA, 36 BFA)
Foundations of Communication: Knowledge and Practices	12 BA, 9 BFA
New Millennium Studies: First-Year Seminar	3
English Composition I and II	6
Oral Communication	3 (not required for BFA)
Culture, Values and Ethics	15 BA, 12 BFA (see notes)
Social Science	6
Humanities	6
Literature	3
Historical Narratives and Civic Consciousness	6
The Physical and Material World	9
Mathematics	3
Science	3
Science with lab component	3

Notes:

1. For BFA students there is no Oral Communication requirement and the Culture, Values and Ethics requirement is 12 credits (3 humanities, 3 social science, 3 literature and 3 either humanities or social science)
2. The requirement for the New Millennium Studies: the First-Year Seminar will be phased in beginning Fall 2005 (25% entering freshmen fall 2005, 50% fall 2006, etc.). Any freshman not enrolled in the first-year seminar will take a 3 hour LAS elective instead.
3. Students also satisfy requirements in U.S. Pluralism and Global Awareness and can do so in any LAS Core course labeled such.

These new requirements will be for all new students who matriculate in fall 2005 and after. Continuing students will be under the current 48-hour requirements.

Miscellaneous Additional Items Regarding New LAS Core Curriculum

1. 24 hours of LAS core credit must be completed by the attainment of 60 hours
2. Comp I and Comp II must be taken by the attainment of 45 hours.
3. BA students will take 6 hours, and BFA students 12 hours, of disciplinary history, theory or criticism courses, cultural studies courses, or courses in other disciplines, as decided upon by their respective major departments
4. At least 6 hours of LAS courses must be taken at a level of 2000 or above.
5. There is no longer a requirement that the 6 hours of social science credit be taken in two different disciplines.