

**Bachelor of Arts in History
General Concentration
Freshman Curriculum Planning Guide and Four-Year Plan
Fayetteville State University
2026-2027**

University College Core Curriculum (General Education 38 Credits)	Course	Cr.	Term	Grade
Transitional Studies – University Studies¹ (2 Credits) <i>Select one option from (UNIV 101/102) or UNIV 110 or UNIV 111 or UNIV 112</i>		2		
Transitional Studies – Life Skills (2 Credits) <i>Select two credits from the following: ENTR 100 or FINC 100 or GEOG 110 or HEED 112 or HEED 113 or PEDU 101 or PEDU 107 or PEDU 112 or PEDU 120 or PEDU 122 or PEDU 130 or PEDU 132 or PEDU 140</i>		2		
Communication Skills – Written Communication (3 Credits) – ENGL 110	ENGL 110	3		
Information Literacy (3 Credits) – ENGL 120	ENGL 120	3		
Communication Skills – Oral Communication (3 Credits) <i>SPEE 200 Or BADM 215</i>		3		
Reasoning Skills – Critical Thinking²(3 Credits) <i>Select one from the following: PHIL 110 or PHIL 220</i>		3		
Reasoning Skills – Quantitative Reasoning³(4 Credits) <i>Select one from the following: MATH 123 or MATH 126 or MATH 127 or MATH 128 or MATH 129 or MATH 130 or MATH 131 or POLI 240 or STAT 202</i>		3		
Scientific Literacy – Natural Sciences (7 Credits)⁴ <i>Select from the following: ASTR 101/101L or ASTR 102/102L or ASTR 213 or ASTR 214 or BIOL 111/101L or BIOL 131/131L or BIOL 150/150L or BIOL 160/160L or CHEM 105/105L or CHEM 106/106L or CHEM 141/141L or CHEM 161/161L or ENEC 201/201L or ENEC 202/202L or GEOG 200 or NSCI 111/111L or NSCI 121/121L or PHYS 115/ PHYS 125L or PHYS 116/PHYS 126L or PHYS 125/125L or PHYS 126/126L</i>		4		
		3		
Scientific Literacy – Social Sciences (3 Credits) <i>CRJC 210 or ECON 211 or ECON 212 or ENEC 270/POLI 270 or GEOG 210 or HIST 212 or HIST 271 or POLI 200 or POLI 210 or POLI 220 or PSYC 210 or SOCI 210</i>		3		
Humanities and Creative Arts (3 Credits) <i>Select one from the following: ART 210 or COMM 220 or ENGL 220 or ENGL 223 or ENGL 240 or ENGL 250 or ENGL 253 or HIST 210 or HUMN 211 or HUMN 212 or HUMN 215 or MUSI 210 or MUSI 225 or MUSI 260 or PHIL 210 or RELI 215 or THEA 203</i>		3		
Global Literacy⁵ (3 Credits) <i>Select one from the following: ANTH 210 or ART 150 or ART 215 or BADM 210 or CHIN 110 or CHIN 120 or ENGL 211 or ENGL 212 or FREN 110 or FREN 120 or GEOG 220 or GBLB 200 or HIST 110 or HIST 120 or HIST 270 or PHIL 211 or POLI 230 or SOCI 150 or SPAN 110 or SPAN 112 or SPAN 120 or SPAN 122 or SPAN 211 or THEA 242 or YORU 110 or YORU 120</i>		3		
Ethics and Civic Engagement² (3 Credits) <i>Select three credits from the following: BADM 220 or CRJC 203 or EDUC 211 or ENEC 210 or ENGL 225 or ENGL 232 or ENGL 233 or (ETCE 101/102/103) or ETCE 200 or GEOG 270 or HCM 200 or HIST 211 or PHIL 120 or PHIL 212 or PHIL 250 or PNUR 210 or POLI 150 or SPTM 210 or SWRK 220</i>		3		
Foundations of American Democracy (3 Credits)² <i>Select three credits from the following: BADM 220 or ENGL 111 or HCM 200 or HIST 211 or HIST 212 or HUMN 216 or HUMN 217 or PHIL 230 or POLI 150 or POLI 210</i>		3**		

Notes

- 1 UNIV 101-UNIV 102 required for all first-time students; UNIV 110 required for transfer students with fewer than 30 transfer credits.
Students do not earn credit if requirement is waived. UNIV 111 may be required based on academic performance
 - 2 Not required for students with 60+ transfer credits. Students do not earn credit if requirement is waived
 - 3 MATH 121 may be required based on profile scores. Some core courses require a one-hour lab.
 - 4 At least one natural science class must include its associated lab. Some majors require two lab sciences, increasing requirement to 8 credits
 - 5 Not required for students with 30 or more transfer credits from a foreign institution. Students do not earn credit if the requirement is waived.
- ** The course selected may also be used to satisfy another core requirement. The credits count only once.

History Program Requirements (82 Credits)	Course	Cr.	Term	Grade
World History Survey (6 Credits) <i>HIST 110² and HIST 120²</i>	HIST 110	3		
	HIST 120	3		
African American Survey (3 Credits) <i>HIST 210²</i>	HIST 210	3		
U.S. Survey (6 Credits) <i>HIST 211² and HIST 212²</i>	HIST 211	3		
	HIST 212	3		
European Survey (6 Credits) <i>Select two: HIST 311 or HIST 312 or HIST 351 or HIST 371 or HIST 380</i>		3		
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Non-Western Courses (6 Credits) <i>Select two: HIST 270² or HIST 331 or HIST 350 or HIST 352 or HIST 353 or HIST 370 or HIST 375 or HIST 420</i>		3		
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Capstone (3 Credits) <i>HIST 490</i>	HIST 490	3		
Concentration (9 Credits) <i>May not be a course used to satisfy another History requirement. No more than one methods course – HIST 323, HIST 491 – may be taken to satisfy a Concentration. At least one course must be 400-499. Select three: HIST 300-499</i>		3		
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Major Electives (6 Credits) <i>Choose two courses from any 300 or 400 level HIST or HIPO designation.</i>				
Social Science Requirement (12 Credits) <i>Select four: ANTH 200-499 or ECON 200-499 or ENEC 210-499 or GEOG 210-499 or INTL 200-499 or POLI 200-499 or SOCI 200-499</i>	GEOG 220*	3		
	POLI 210*	3		
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Free Electives: (25 Credits)		3		
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		4		
Total Credits		120		
Transfer Credits				

Other Program Requirements

1 Minimum GPA of 2.0. Grade of C or higher in all major courses

2 If major courses are used to fulfill University College Core Curriculum requirements, must be offset an equal number of credit hours in the program.

* Indicates a course that is recommended by the program. Other courses may fulfill the requirements.

Four-Year Plan

This Plan illustrates how students can meet degree course requirements in four years. Some courses listed below may be taken in an alternate order. Courses fulfilling requirements are listed on the previous pages. For information about prerequisites and other program requirements, consult the appropriate Catalog Program of Study and an advisor. Students should work with advisor to create and update an individual plan in Degree Works.

Year 1 Fall		
Requirement	Course	Cr
University Studies	UNIV 101	1
Written Communication	ENGL 110	3
Critical Thinking		3
Quantitative Reasoning	MATH 126	4
Core Social Science		3
Life Skills		2
Total:		16

Year 1 Spring		
Requirement	Course	Cr
University Studies	UNIV 102	1
Information Literacy	ENGL 120	3
Oral Communication	SPEE 200	3
Humanities and Creative Arts		3
Global Literacy		3
U.S. Survey	HIST 211	3
Total:		16

Year 2 Fall		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Natural Science with Lab		4
Ethics and Civic Engagement		3
African American History	HIST 210	3
U.S. Survey	HIST 212	3
Major Social Science		3
Total:		16

Year 2 Spring		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Natural Science		3
World Survey	HIST 110	3
Major Elective		3
Major Social Science	POLI 210*	3
Free Elective		3
Total:		15

Year 3 Fall		
Requirement	Course	Cr
European Survey		3
World Survey	HIST 120	3
Non-Western Courses		3
Major Social Science		3
Free Elective		3
Total:		15

Year 3 Spring		
Requirement	Course	Cr
European Survey		3
Non-Western Courses		3
Major Elective		3
Major Social Science		3
Free Elective		3
Total:		15

Year 4 Fall		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Capstone	HIST 490	3
Concentration		3
Concentration		3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Total:		15

Year 4 Spring		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Concentration		3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Total:		12