

Bachelor of Arts in Intelligence Studies
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 Studies (2 Credits)¹ <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		3		
Information Literacy (3 Credits) – ENGL 120		3		
Communication Skills – Oral Communication (3 Credits) <i>Select one from the following: BADM 215 or SPEE 200</i>		3		
Reasoning Skills – Critical Thinking (3 Credits)² <i>Select one from the following: PHIL 110 or PHIL 220</i>		3		
Reasoning Skills – Quantitative Reasoning (3 Credits)³ <i>Select one from the following: MATH 123 or MATH 126 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 111/111L or BIOL 131/BIOL 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 or PHYS 116 or PHYS 125/125L or PHYS 126/126L</i>		4		
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 213 or HUMN 215 or MUSI 210 or MUSI 225 or MUSI 260 or PHIL 210 or RELI 215 or THEA 203</i>		3		
Global Literacy (3 Credits)⁵ <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 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 Engagement (3 Credits) <i>Select three credits from the following: BADM 220 or CRJC 203 or EDUC 211 or ENEC 210 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 the 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 requirement is waived.
- ** The course selected may also be used to satisfy another core requirement. The credits count only once.

Intelligence Studies Program Requirements (82 Credits)	Course	Cr.	Term	Grade
Intelligence Studies Core Courses (15 Credits)	INTL 200	3		
	INTL210	3		
	INTL 220	3		
	INTL 400	3		
	INTL 480	3		
Intelligence Studies Elective Courses (18 Credits) <i>Select 6 from the following: INTL 300 Or INTL 310 Or INTL 320 Or INTL 330 Or INTL 410 Or INTL 420 Or INTL 430 Or INTL 440 Or INTL 450 Or INTL 460 Or INTL 462 Or INTL 470 Or INTL 490</i>		3		
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History/Political Science Elective Courses (6 Credits) <i>Select 2 from the following: HIST 340 Or HIST 362 Or HIST 450 Or HIST 460 Or POLI 420 Or POLI 422 Or POLI 430 Or POLI 431 Or POLI 432</i>		3		
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Statistics Elective Course (3 Credits) <i>Select 1 from the following: SOCI 331 Or SOCI 333 Or PSYC 233 Or STAT 202 Or CRJC 315 Or POLI 240</i>		3		
Computer Skills Elective Courses (6 Credits) <i>Select 2 from the following: CSC 100 Or CSC 105 Or CSC 205 Or MIS 300 Or GEOG 314 Or GEOG 320 Or GEOG 325</i>		3		
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Area Studies Elective Courses (6 Credits) <i>Select 2 from the following: GEOG 220* Or HIPO 310 Or HIST 331 Or HIST 350 Or HIST 352 Or HIST 370 Or POLI 350 Or POLI 351 Or POLI 352 Or POLI 353</i>		3		
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Foreign Language Elective Courses (6 Credits) <i>Select 2 courses in a foreign language sequence</i>		3		
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Minor or Free Electives: (18 Credits)		3		
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		3		
Free Elective (4 credits)		4		
Total Credits		120		

Other Program Requirements

* May also satisfy a University College Core requirement. If so used, must offset by an equal number of credit hours in the program.

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
Life Skills		2
Quantitative Reasoning		3
Core Social Science		3
Humanities and Creative Art		3
Total:		15

Year 1 Spring		
Requirement	Course	Cr
University Studies	UNIV 102	1
Information Literacy	ENGL 120	3
Oral Communication	BADM 215 or SPEE 200	3
Critical Thinking	PHIL 110 or 220	3
Global Literacy		3
Intelligence Studies Core Courses	INTL 200	3
Total:		16

Year 2 Fall		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Natural Science with Lab		4
Ethics and Civic Engagement		3
Intelligence Studies Core Courses	INTL 210	3
History/Political Science Elective Courses		3
Computer Skills Elective Courses		3
Total:		16

Year 2 Spring		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Natural Science		3
Intelligence Studies Core Courses	INTL 220	3
Intelligence Studies Elective Courses		3
History/Political Science Elective Courses		3
Statistics Elective Course		3
Total:		15

Year 3 Fall		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Intelligence Studies Core Courses	INTL 400	3
Intelligence Studies Elective Courses		3
Computer Skills Elective Courses		3
Area Studies Elective Courses		3
Foreign Language		3
Total:		15

Year 3 Spring		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Intelligence Studies Core Courses	INTL 480	3
Area Studies Elective Courses		3
Foreign Language		3
Minor or Free Electives		3
Minor or Free Electives		3
Total:		15

Year 4 Fall		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Intelligence Studies Elective Courses		3
Intelligence Studies Elective Courses		3
Minor or Free Electives		3
Minor or Free Electives		3
Free Elective		4
Total:		16

Year 4 Spring		
Requirement	Course	Cr
Intelligence Studies Elective Courses		3
Intelligence Studies Elective Courses		3
Minor or Free Electives		3
Minor or Free Electives		3
Total:		12

Notes

- * Indicates a course recommended by the program. Other courses listed under the requirement may be used.