Required Skills and Competencies
Five courses (15 credit hours) in the following:

**ENG101 College Writing** or **ENG106 Writing Intensive First-Year Seminar** or **ENG110 Advanced Placement English**

HCS100 Introduction to Human Communication

One mathematics course from **Category A** or placement in the Advanced College Level through the Mathematics Examination

HIS105 Historical Foundations of Global Cultures

HIS106 Thinking Historically in a Global Age

**Category A—Logic and Numbers for Rational Thinking**

One course (3-4 credit hours).
The mathematics course selected under Required Skills and Competencies may not be used for this requirement.

- CSC103 Overview of Computer Science
- CSC180 Microcomputer Basic
- MAT105 Mathematics for Liberal Studies
- MAT107 Mathematical Models Applied to Money
- MAT110 Fundamentals of Mathematics I
- MAT117 Applied Statistics
- MAT140A or MAT140B College Algebra
- MAT175 Precalculus
- MAT181 Applied Calculus
- MAT211 Calculus I
- PHL101 Introduction to Philosophy
- PHL102 Critical Thinking
- PHL105 Ethical Theories and Problems

Special Topics in General Education, Category A

**Humanities (two courses – different disciplines)**

- ART101 Art Appreciation
- ART231 Art History I
- ART232 Art History II
- ART233 Art History III
- ART274 Introduction to Cultural Studio
- ART339 History of American Art
- FRN101 Beginning French I
- FRN102 Beginning French II
- FRN103 Intermediate French
- FRN150 French Civilization
- FRN202 Intermediate Conversation Through the Media
- FRN204 Ideas & Cultures From the French-Speaking World
- FRN320 French for the Professions
- GER101 Beginning German I
- GER102 Beginning German II
- GER103 Intermediate German
- GER150 German Civilization & Culture
- GER203 Intermediate German Communication
- GER204 Contemporary German Culture
- GER215 German for the Professions
- IAP111 Introduction to Interdisciplinary Arts
- MUS121 Introduction to Music
- MUS227 Opera & Music Theatre
- MUS261 World Music
- SOC370 Sociology of the Arts
- SPN101 Beginning Spanish I
- SPN102 Beginning Spanish II
- SPN103 Intermediate Spanish
- SPN150 Spanish Civilization & Culture
- SPN202 Intermediate Spanish Conversation
- SPN204 Ideas & Cultures From the Hispanic-Speaking World
- SPN330 Spanish for the Professions
- SPN385 *language* Aspectos de la civilizacion hispana
- THE121 Introduction to Theater

Special Topics in General Education, Category B

*Other courses as offered may be taken in this category.*
Category C—Biological and Physical Sciences
Three courses (9 credit hours).
One course must be taken from those listed in three different disciplines.

ANT121 Physical Anthropology
BIO100 Basic Biology
BIO142 Introduction to Ecology
BIO145 Environmental Biology
BIO150 Human Biology
BIO161 Principles of Biology: Cell Structure and Function
BIO162 Principles of Biology: Organismal Diversity
BIO208 Field Biology
CHM103 Chemistry: A Cultural Approach
CHM105 Chemistry: An Observational Approach
CHM121 Chemical Bonding
ESS108 Conservation of Natural Resources
ESS110 Introduction to Geology
ESS111 Introduction to the Atmosphere
ESS210 Physical Geology
PHY108 Astronomy
PHY110 Physics for Society
PHY121 Introduction to Physics I
PHY122 Introduction to Physics II
PHY205 Intermediate Physics I

Special Topics in General Education, Category C

*Note: Students majoring in the biological or physical sciences are permitted to count one course from their major department toward satisfying this requirement. Natural science courses that carry one of the above courses as a prerequisite and required science courses for elementary education majors may also be counted toward this requirement.

Category D—Political, Economic and Geographic Sciences
Two courses (6 credit hours).
One course must be taken from those listed in two different disciplines.

ECO101 Principles of Macroeconomics
ECO102 Principles of Microeconomics
ECO113 Principles of Economics
GEO101 World Geography
GEO103 Geography of the United States and Canada
PLS100 U.S. Government and Politics
PLS141 Introduction to International Politics

Special Topics in General Education, Category D

Category E—Social and Behavioral Sciences
Two courses (6 credit hours).
One course must be taken from those listed in two different disciplines.

ANT111 Cultural Anthropology
DS100 Introduction to Disability Studies
ETH100 Introduction to Ethnic Studies
ETH101 Introduction to African American Studies
ETH102 Introduction to Latino Studies
GEO140 Cultural Geography
PSY101 General Psychology
SOC101 Introduction to Sociology: Society and Diversity
WST100 Introduction to Women’s Studies

Special Topics in General Education, Category E