

# General Education and College of Arts & Sciences Requirements

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## Fundamental Academic Skills

<u>English &amp; Writing (9 hours)</u>	<u>Public Speaking (3 hours)</u>	<u>Mathematics (3 hours)</u>	<u>College Requirement: Quantitative Literacy (3 hours)</u>	<u>College Requirement: Foreign Language (16 hours)</u> <i>(For B.A. students only)</i>
<b>ENGL 1150/1154</b> – English Composition I (3) <b>ENGL 1160/1164</b> – English Composition II (3) <b>ENGL 2160</b> - Honors Composition: Reasoning and Research (3) <b>**Beyond English Composition I &amp; II, the 3<sup>rd</sup> writing course taken will depend on the student's major**</b>	<b>CMST 1110</b> – Public Speaking Fund. (3) OR <b>CMST 2120</b> – Argumentation and Debate (3)	<b>MATH 1310</b> – Intermediate Algebra (3) (Optional if math ACT sub score is 23 or higher)	The course taken for this requirement depends on the student's major, but is usually statistics, college algebra, or logic.	For <u>BA</u> students, 16 credits of college work in one foreign language, American sign language, or equivalent. Successful completion of four years of a single language in high school will satisfy this requirement. 1.                      2.                      3.                      4.

Humanities/Fine Arts	Social Sciences	Natural & Physical Sciences
The humanities and fine arts seek to help students understand, analyze, and explore the human condition. Studying the humanities and fine arts thus contributes to personal growth and well-being as well as to living in and contributing to various communities.	Understanding the complex dynamics that make up the world, particularly the challenges, problems, and factors that lead to social stability and change is essential for contributing to and living in contemporary society.	Understanding the nature of scientific inquiry and the operation of the natural, physical, and technological world is essential for making personal and public policy decisions.
<b>University Gen Ed.'s = 9 Credits from at least 2 different disciplines</b> College Requirements of 3 credits from a 3 <sup>rd</sup> discipline AND both HIST 1000 and HIST 1010. <b>Total = 18 credits</b>	<b>University Gen Ed.'s = 9 Credits from at least 2 different disciplines</b> College Requirement of 3 credits from a 3rd discipline <b>Total = 12 credits.</b>	<b>University Gen Ed.'s = 7 Credits from 2 different disciplines (1 must have a lab)</b> College Requirement of 4 credits lecture and Lab. <b>Total = 11 credits.</b>
<b>1. (UNO Gen. Ed.)</b>	<b>1. (UNO Gen. Ed.)</b>	<b>1. (UNO Gen. Ed.) (must have lab)</b>
<b>2. (UNO Gen. Ed.)</b>	<b>2. (UNO Gen. Ed.)</b>	<b>2. (UNO Gen. Ed.) (with or without a lab)</b>
<b>3. (UNO Gen. Ed.)</b>	<b>3. (UNO Gen. Ed.)</b>	3. College Requirement w/Lab:
4. College Requirement:	4. College Requirement:	
5. College Requirement: HIST 1000 (Global Diversity)		
6. College Requirement: HIST 1010 (Global Diversity)		

## Global and US Diversity (6 credits)

<b>US Diversity:</b> (Can also use courses for HFA or SS) Courses in this category focus on significant cultural, economic, historical, political, and/or sociological aspects of one or more underrepresented groups in the United States.	<b>(UNO Gen. Ed.) US Diversity:</b>	<b>Notes:</b> Minimum grade required for each course is "C-". Minimum 120 credits required to graduate. Please see a Dean's Office advisor once per semester after 91 earned credits.
<b>Global Diversity:</b> (Can also use courses for HFA or SS) Courses in this category focus on significant cultural, economic, geographical, historical, political, and/or sociological aspects of one or more countries or nations (including indigenous nations) other than or in comparison to the United States.	<b>(UNO Gen. Ed.) Global Diversity:</b> For A&S students, World Civilizations I and/or II counts as Global Diversity	