

General Education Curriculum

Foundation Courses Discovery Courses Frontier Course · Writing in the major Writing Writing I Capstone Writing II • Quantitative Reasoning • Quantitative Reasoning Technology • Oral Communication • Science • Ethics & Values • Diversity • Civics & Teamwork

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General Education Course Order (by semester) and Prerequisites

SEMESTER	IGED COURSE	PREREQUISITE(S)
1 st Semester	IGED 110: Foundation Writing I (Arts and Humanities) IGED 120: Foundation Quantitative Reasoning IGED 130: Foundation Oral Communication	No prerequisites
2 nd Semester	IGED 111: Foundation Writing II (Social & Natural Sciences)	IGED 110
	IGED 220: Discovery Quantitative Reasoning	IGED 120
3 rd Semester	IGED 140: Foundation Ethics	IGED 111
	IGED 210: Discovery Writing	IGED 110, 111
	IGED 250: Discovery Technology	No prerequisites
4 th Semester	IGED 260 Discovery Science & Lab	No prerequisites
	IGED 270 Discovery Diversity	IGED 210
5 th Semester	IGED 280: Discovery Civics	IGED 210
6 th Semester	IGED Courses not taken earlier	
7 th Semester	IGED 391: Frontier Capstone I*	All Foundation and Discovery Courses
8 th Semester	IGED 392: Frontier Capstone II*	All Foundation and Discovery Courses

Note: Specific IGED requirements, especially mathematics and science, vary by major. Please see your advisor for specific major requirements. If you change your major, please request a re-evaluation of your credits.

^{*}Effective Fall 2018

General Education Course Equivalencies for Transfer General Principles and Specific Examples

General Education Courses	Possible Equivalent Courses	Examples
IGED 110 Foundation Writing I	Any first semester university-level (non-developmental) writing, composition, rhetoric, or composition/rhetoric course or the equivalent.	Freshman Composition I · English Composition I · Composition and Rhetoric I · Composition & Lit. I, etc.
IGED 111 Foundation Writing II	Any second semester university-level (non-developmental) writing, composition, rhetoric, or composition/rhetoric course with research paper.	Freshman Composition II · English Composition II · Composition and Rhetoric II · Composition & Lit. II, etc.
IGED 120 Foundation Quantitative Reasoning	Any first semester university-level (non-developmental) mathematics course or the least advanced of any higher-level mathematics course accepted for transfer.	Intermediate/College Algebra (not Intro. Algebra) · General College Math · Mathematical Ideas · Mathematics for the Liberal Arts, or any of the courses specified for IGED 220
IGED 130 Foundation Oral Communication	Any introductory or higher university-level speech course or any communication studies course or any communications studies courses that required students to give specifics.	Speech Communications · Communications Studies, etc.
IGED 140 Foundation Ethics	Any course in philosophy, religious studies or related discipline that addresses questions of meaning and value from a normative perspective. Professional Ethics courses must show significant engagement with ethical theory and issues beyond those covered in professional codes of ethics.	Introduction to Philosophy, Ethics or Social Ethics · Philosophy of Religion · World Religions · Introduction to Comparative Religion · History of Philosophy Logic is not an acceptable substitute.
IGED 210 Discovery Writing	Any third semester university-level (non-developmental) writing course or any 200-level literature course <i>may</i> be accepted <i>after</i> evaluation of a writing sample by the English Department.	The English Department policy allows only third-semester writing courses to be substituted for IGED 210 without evaluation of a writing sample. Creative Writing is not an acceptable substitution.
IGED 220 Discovery Quantitative Reasoning	Any second semester university-level (non-developmental) mathematics course or the second least advance of any higher-level mathematics course accepted for transfer.	Pre-Calculus · Finite Math · Probability and Statistics · Calculus, or higher

IGED 250 Discovery Technology IGED 260 Discovery Science	Any university-level course teaching significant technological skills and engaging students in reflection on the effective and ethical use of technology in their professional and civic life. Any lecture and laboratory science class (4 credits).	Syllabi must be reviewed before substitutions can be approved. Computer Science courses are not accepted. Any laboratory science course (Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Earth Science, Astronomy, Environmental Science, Geology, Nutrition, etc.)
IGED 270 Discovery Diversity	Any course which engages students in the applications of principles and methods from the fine arts, humanities, or socials sciences to the study of human cultures and civilizations.	The following list contains courses that have been accepted (not a comprehensive list): • African-American Studies • Art History • World Cultural Geography • History of Am. Civilization • Intro. to World Civilization • Intro. to Popular Am. Culture • Intro. to Anthropology • Intro. to Sociology • U.S. History I or II • Music History • Modern Asia
IGED 280 Discovery Civics	Any university-level course which prepares students for effective participation in the public arena AND which includes a significant civic engagement component.	General Education staff must review course syllabi.
IGED 391/2 Frontier Capstone	There are no automatic substitutions for this course.	