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2009-2010 Advising Guide for Liberal Studies
Option in Pre-Education (Elementary)

Important Numbers:

- 180—total number of credits required to graduate from OSU
- 60—number of upper division credits required
- 124—maximum number of credits which can be transferred from a community college
- 45 of last 75 credits must be OSU credits
- Maintain a 2.0 or better university and 2.3 major GPA (students wanting to continue into a teacher licensure program need to have at least a 3.00 GPA in the last 90 hours)

Important Notes:

- Not all the courses listed are offered each term. Check current schedule for availability.
- It is the student's responsibility to make certain that all prerequisites are met or instructor permission is granted for courses that require one or both of these conditions.
- The Liberal Studies Plan of Study **must be** pre-approved, at least 2 terms before graduation. See your advisor for details.

Liberal Studies: A Degree Overview

The Liberal Studies major allows students to design their own plan of study. This interdisciplinary approach provides greater breadth and flexibility than is available in other major programs. Students mix and match courses from any combination of all 13 departments in the College of Liberal Arts to design their own major organized around a theme. The theme is implemented by taking classes within the College of Liberal Arts departments which include: Anthropology, Art, Economics, English (including Writing), Ethnic Studies, Foreign Languages & Literatures, History, Music, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, and Speech Communication (including Theatre Arts).

As with all OSU undergraduate programs, Liberal Studies has specific degree requirements. The Liberal Studies program consists of 45 or more credits that is thematic in nature and includes at least 27 upper-division credits developed from the course offerings of two or more departments within the College of Liberal Arts. Students often include some sort of practical experiences through an internship or project as part of their major. The program of study must be approved in advance by the Liberal Studies Advisor. Students must satisfy the University Baccalaureate Core and the College of Liberal Arts Core Requirements as well. At least one Writing Intensive Course (WIC) must be completed with a grade of C or better.

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Pre-Education Option Core (this fulfills the OSU Baccalaureate Core)

No course can be used to meet more than one requirement.

Below COCC course s and OSU-Cascades courses are listed. For more options online through OSU E-campus see your advisor.

Term Completed	Institution	Area	Credits	Course	Grade
		WR I	3	<u>COCC Course:</u> WR 121, 121T	
		WR II	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> WR 122, 123, 214, 225, 227, 230, 241	
		WR III/ SP	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> Any COCC WR II course listed above not taken to satisfy WR II requirement, or SP 111, 115, 218, 219	
		Fitness	3	<u>COCC Course:</u> HHP 295	
		Mathematics	12	<u>COCC Courses:</u> MTH 211, 212 , 213	
		Comp Sci	4	<u>COCC Course:</u> CIS 120	
		Physical Science	4	<u>COCC Courses:</u> CH 104, 105, 106, 221, 222, 223; FOR 208; G 201, 202, 203; GS 104, 105, 106, 107, 108; PH 201, 202, 203, 211, 212, 213	
		Biological Science	4	<u>COCC Courses:</u> BI 101, 102, 103, 106, 211, 212, 213, 214, 234; BOT 203; FOR 208	
		Additional Lab Science	4	Choose one additional course from either Physical or Biological Science (above).	
		Fun Science	6-8	Choose two additional science courses (see advisor for suggestions). These do not need to include a lab.	
		Literature	9-12	Choose any 3 ENG classes, making sure at least one meets the OSU Bacc Core Literature and Arts requirement (at COCC, these are ENG 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 201, 202, 204, 205, 206, 253, 254, 255). Recommend: COCC ENG 221	
		Cultural Diversity	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> ANTH 226, 231, 232, 233, 283; ARH 207; GEOG 107, 202; HST 104, 105, 106, 207, 218, 258, 259, 290, 291, 292; HUM 210, 211, 212, 213, 230, 240 <u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> ENG 360	
		History	9-12	<u>COCC Courses:</u> HST 201 or 202; plus two additional HST classes at either COCC or OSU-Cascades	
		Psychology	8	<u>COCC Course:</u> PSY 201 and 202	
		Geography	8	<u>COCC Course:</u> GEOG 201 and 202 Or equivalent transfer classes to OSU's GEO 105 and 106	

		Difference, Power and Discrimination	3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> HST 201, 202, 225; SOC 212, 215 <u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> PS 363, 425	
		Human Development	3-6	Choose One of the following (a, b or c): a. OSU HDFS 311 Infant & Child Dev) and OSU HDFS 313 (see note on last page re: HDFS classes) – HIGHLY REC. b. COCC PSY 215 c. OSU-Online: PSY 350	
		Education	2-3	<u>COCC Courses:</u> ED 200, 210, 216, 219, 253 <u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> TCE 411, 416, 418, 419 (recommended) (prereqs to the OSU MAT)	
		Synthesis (6)		The two courses used to fulfill the Synthesis requirement may not be in the same department.	
		Science, Technology, and Society	3	<u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> ART 367; CSS 395; FW 350; GEO 305; PS 370; WS 340	
		Contemporary Global Issues	3	<u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> ENG 416; FOR 365; FW 325; GEO 308; HDFS 447, 471; WS 450, 480	

Liberal Arts Core modified for pre-education option students.

No course can be used to meet more than one requirement. Upper Division is recommended for progress toward 60 upper division credits.

Term Completed	Institution	Area	Credits	Course (and pre/co-requisites)	Grade
		Fine Arts	6	<u>COCC courses:</u> ART 101 115, 116, 117, 131, 132, 133, 161, 162, 163, 181, 182, 183, 191; MUS 201, 202, 203, 205; TA 141, 142, 143, 200, 207; WR 240, 241, 242, 243 <u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> ART 331,382, 415 Recommended: ART 415 (OSU-Cascades or E-campus)	
		Non-western culture	3	<u>COCC courses:</u> ART 207; HST 290, 291, 292; HUM 210, 211, 213, 240, 256 <u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> ART 465; ENG 360, 458; WS 480	
		Social Science	3	<u>COCC courses:</u> ANTH 102, 103; ECON 201, 202; GEOG 106, 107, 190, 290; HST 101, 102, 103, 201, 202; PS 201, 203, 204, 205, 206; PSY 214, 215, 216, 219; SOC 201, 206 <u>OSU-Cascades Courses:</u> COMM 318, 321, 322, 326, 412, 416, 418, 422, 425, 426, 427; PS 321, 322, 323, 363, 365, 424, 425, 429, 469	
		Choose One:	CLA B.A. CLA BS	Foreign languages: Second year proficiency at the college level (demonstrated by a C- or better in OSU 213 or COCC 203). Spanish recommended for pre-ed students. Covered by the Pre-Ed Core.	

Advising Information:

<http://www.osucascades.edu/academics/liberalstudies>

College of Liberal Arts departments include:

OSU-Cascades on-campus Departments

Art

English

Political Science

Speech Communication

Spanish

Women Studies (occasional on-campus courses offered)

Liberal Studies students may choose to incorporate online OSU courses into their plan of study, although not required.

OSU Online Possibilities

Art	Anthropology	Economics	English (including Writing)	Ethnic Studies	Foreign Languages	History
Music	Philosophy	Political Sci	Psychology	Sociology	Women Studies	

Recommended electives for Pre-Education Option students (unless already taken elsewhere):

LS 406 (1-6 credits): Volunteering in the Schools – 5 classroom experiences are recommended before entering a licensure program. At least one in grades K-2, one in grades 3-5, one at the middle school level, and (for those wanting early childhood) at least 90 hours in a pre-school setting.

HDFS 311, 431, and 330 are not required for admission to the OSU-Cascades MAT-Elementary Program, but are required by TSPC prior to Early Childhood Education/Elementary Education licensure. Take these as electives within your LS degree if you have space available. HDFS 311 can be used to partially meet your Human Development requirement in the Pre-Ed core.

Required classes for admission to OSU's MAT-Elementary program, which can be used as LS electives:

- TCE 411 Educational Psychology, (or COCC ED 253)
- TCE 416 Foundations of Education, (or COCC ED 216)
- TCE 499 Civil Rights in Education (or a TSPC workshop)
- TCE 419 Multicultural Issues in Education (or COCC ED 219)

Required exams for entrance into OSU MAT -Elementary:

CBEST - see <http://www.cbest.nesinc.com/> for more information.

ORELA - see <http://www.orela.nesinc.com/> for more information.

Protecting Student and Civil Rights in the Educational Environment Exam - see http://www.orela.nesinc.com/OR6_whats_new.asp#w1

For additional OSU MAT information, go to <http://www.osucascades.edu/academics/education/>