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|  | **School of Humanities and Global Studies** |

**American Studies -** Recommended Four-Year Plan (Fall 2020)  
The recommended four-year plan provides a blueprint for students to complete their degrees within four years. Students must meet with their major advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree. This plan assumes that no developmental courses are required. If developmental courses are needed, students may have additional requirements to fulfill which are not listed in the plan and may extend degree completion.

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| **First Year** | | | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** |
| Gen Ed: INTD 101-First Year Seminar | 4 |  | Gen Ed: Studies in Arts and Humanities | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed: CRWT 102-Critical Reading & Writing II | 4 |  | Major: HIST 102-Modern America Since 1865 | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed/Major: Historical Perspectives\*\*  HIST 101-Introduction to U.S. History I | 4 |  | Gen Ed: Quantitative Reasoning  MATH 104-Math for the Modern World recommended | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed: Social Science Inquiry | 4 |  | Gen Ed: Scientific Reasoning | 4 |  |
| Career Pathways: AIID 001 – Career Pathways  Module 1 | Degree Rqmt. |  |  |  |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

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| **Second Year** | | | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** |
| School Core: Language I\* or Elective | 4 |  | School Core: Language II\* or Elective | 4 |  |
| Major: AMER 225-Introduction to American Studies WI | 4 |  | Gen Ed: Global Awareness (Maj: America in the World course recommended) | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed (Choose 1): Culture and Creativity; Systems, Sustainability, and Society; or Values and Ethics\*\* | 4 |  | Major: American Politics & Society Course WI Choice | 4 |  |
| Elective | 4 |  | Elective | 4 |  |
| Career Pathways: AIID 002 – Career Pathways  Module 2 | Degree Rqmt. |  | Career Pathways: AIID 003 – Career Pathways Module 3 | Degree Rqmt. |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

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| **Third Year** | | | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** |
| Major: African-American Studies Course WI Choice | 4 |  | Major: Race & Ethnicity Course | 4 |  |
| Major: Gender & Sexuality Issues Course WI Choice | 4 |  | Major: American Regionalism Course | 4 |  |
| Major: American Literature Course | 4 |  | Gen Ed (Choose 1): Culture and Creativity; Systems, Sustainability, and Society; or Values and Ethics\*\*  Must be outside of HGS School | 4 |  |
| School Core: Language III\* or Elective | 4 |  | Elective | 4 |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

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| **Fourth Year** | | | | | |
| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** |
| Major: America in the World Course | 4 |  | Major: Level 400 Requirement | 4 |  |
| Major: American Artistic Expression Course | 4 |  | Elective | 4 |  |
| Elective | 4 |  | Elective | 4 |  |
| Elective | 4 |  | Elective | 4 |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

**Total Credits required:** 128 credits; **GPA:** 2.0

\*If Needed

\*\* May Double-Count in General Ed and Major

*Note: Consult with your advisor to choose three Writing Intensive courses in your major.*