

|  | **School of Humanities and Global Studies** |
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**American Studies -** Recommended Four-Year Plan (Fall 2021)  
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.

| **First Year** | | | | | |
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| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** |
| **Gen Ed:** HNRS 101- Honors First Year Seminar | 4 |  | **Gen Ed:** HNRS 201- Honors Studies in the Arts & Humanities | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed: CRWT 102-Critical Reading & Writing II | 4 |  | Gen Ed: Scientific Reasoning | 4 |  |
| **Gen Ed**: HNRS 110- Honors Social Science Inquiry | 4 |  | Gen Ed/Major: Historical Perspectives-  AMER 225 Introduction to American Studies (WI) | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed: Quantitative Reasoning | 4 |  | School Core: Language I\* or Elective | 4 |  |
| Career Pathways: PATH HG1 – Career Pathways Module 1 | **Degree Rqmt.** |  |  |  |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

| **Second Year** | | | | | |
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| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** |
| School Core: Language II\* or Elective | 4 |  | **Gen Ed:** HNRS 325 – Honors Values and Ethics Seminar | 4 |  |
| Gen Ed: Select 1-Systems, Sustainability, and Society OR Culture and Creativity | 4 |  | **Gen Ed**: HNRS 220 – Honors Global Awareness Seminar | 4 |  |
| Major: AMER 214 Native Americans | 4 |  | Major: Elective 1 | 4 |  |
| Elective | 4 |  | School Core: Language III | 4 |  |
| Career Pathways: PATH HG2 – Career Pathways Module 2 | **Degree Rqmt.** |  | Career Pathways: PATH HG3 – Career Pathways Module 3 | **Degree Rqmt.** |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

| **Third Year** | | | | | |
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| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** |
| Major: Elective 2 | 4 |  | Major: Elective 4 | 4 |  |
| Major: Elective 3 | 4 |  | Major: 300-level Writing Intensive (WI) | 4 |  |
| Major: 300-level Writing Intensive (WI) | 4 |  | Elective/Second Major/Minor | 4 |  |
| Elective/Second Major/Minor | 4 |  | Elective/Second Major/Minor | 4 |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

| **Fourth Year** | | | | | |
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| **Fall Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** | **Spring Semester** | **HRS** | **✓** |
| Major: Elective 5 | 4 |  | Major: AMER/ARHT 313 Museums in America | 4 |  |
| HNRS 499 – Honors Independent Study (2 or 4 credit)\*\*\* | 4 |  | Elective/Second Major/Minor | 4 |  |
| Elective/Second Major/Minor | 4 |  | Elective/Second Major/Minor | 4 |  |
| Elective/Second Major/Minor | 4 |  | Elective/Second Major/Minor | 4 |  |
| **Total:** | 16 |  | **Total:** | 16 |  |

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

\*If Needed

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

\*\*\*While we recommend students take the “Honors Independent Study” (HNRS 499) Fall of their senior year, they are free to take it anytime junior year, senior year, or summer between those two years.