NEVADA STATE UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS, SCIENCES, & BUSINESS

HISTORY: PRE-LAW, B.A.

COLLEGE CORE CURRICULUM (31-42 CREDITS)

Unless otherwise noted, please refer to the Nevada State catalog for full list of Core requirements. Classes in the major requirements may be used to satisfy the Core requirements; consult an Academic Advisor for details. Note: A single course cannot fulfill more than one core requirement..

☐ ENGLISH   3-8 CREDITS

Nevada State students can be placed into English courses by submitting ACT or SAT scores or by completing the Directed Self Placement survey to better guide their placement. Students who complete Composition II will satisfy the Core Curriculum Composition requirement. Typically, students take Composition I during their first semester at the college and Composition II during the second semester.

- ☐ English Composition I (ENG 100, 101, or 116)   3-5
- ☐ English Composition II   3

☐ STUDY AND TECHNOLOGY SKILLS   0-3 CREDITS

Transfer students with 30 or more transferrable college credits or Nevada State students who complete the Nepantla Summer Bridge Program with an average GPA of 3.0 or greater will be able to waive the Study and Technology Skills Core Requirement.

- ☐ College Success (CEP 123 or ALS 101N)   2-3

☐ MATHEMATICS   3-4 CREDITS

Nevada State students can be placed into Math courses by submitting ACT or SAT scores or by completing the Math Directed Self-Placement survey to better guide their placement. Please see your degree outline and/or consult an Academic Advisor regarding your specific major requirements..

☐ NATURAL SCIENCES   7-8 CREDITS

Students are required to take two science courses, at least one of which must include an associated laboratory component.

- ☐ Natural Science Core   3-4
- ☐ Natural Science Core with Lab   4

☐ SOCIAL SCIENCES   3 CREDITS

☐ FINE ARTS   3 CREDITS

☐ HUMANITIES   6 CREDITS

Classes in the major may satisfy this requirement. Please see your degree outline and/or consult an Academic Advisor.

- ☐ Humanities Core   3
- ☐ Humanities Core   3

☐ CONSTITUTION   3-6 CREDITS

Classes in the major may satisfy this requirement. Please see your degree outline and/or consult an Academic Advisor. Completion of US and NV Constitutions required. Complete either one US Constitution course and one NV Constitution course or complete one course that fulfills both US and NV Constitutions (CH 203 or PSC 101).

- ☐ Nevada Constitution   0-3
- ☐ United States Constitution   0-3

☐ CULTURAL DIVERSITY   3 CREDITS

Classes in the major may satisfy this requirement. Please see your degree outline and/or consult an Academic Advisor.

For a full breakdown of requirements for the History: Pre-Law major, please refer to accompanying "Major Degree Checklist"

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (48 CREDITS)

ADDITIONAL GENERAL ELECTIVES (27-53 CREDITS)

TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE (120 CREDITS)

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All courses used to fulfill major requirements must be completed with a minimum C-. Grades below a C- carry no credit towards major requirements.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (48 CREDITS)

HISTORY CORE   18 CREDITS

☐ **HIST 101** | US History to 1877   3
☐ **HIST 102** | US History Since 1877   3
☐ **HIST 251** | Historical Investigation   3
☐ **HIST 401** | US Constitutional & Legal History   3
☐ **HIST 403** | Modern American Civilization   3
☐ **HIST 499**** | Senior Seminar in History   3

LAW IN CONTEXT   3 CREDITS

Pick one from this list:

☐ **BLW 302**** | Legal Environment   3
☐ **CRJ 419** | Law and Society   3
☐ **ENV 345**** | Environmental Regulations: History, Law, and Methods   3

PUBLIC SPEAKING AND SOCIAL STRUCTURES   3 CREDITS

Pick one from this list:

☐ **COM 101** | Oral Communication   3
☐ **CRJ 104** | Intro to Administration of Justice   3
☐ **SOC 101** | Principles of Sociology   3

ETHICS AND INTELLECTUAL DISCOURSE   3 CREDITS

Pick one from this list:

☐ **PHIL 101** | Intro to Philosophy   3
☐ **PHIL 102** | Critical Thinking and Reasoning   3
☐ **PHIL 311** | Professional Ethics   3
☐ **HIST 427** | Studies in European Intellectual History   3
☐ **HIST 436** | Nazi Holocaust from American Perspective   3
☐ **HIST 471** | Revolution and Reaction in Contemporary Latin America   3

ADDITIONAL HISTORY ELECTIVES   21 CREDITS

Complete 21 credits in History.
- At least twelve (12) of these credits must be at the 300-level or above.
- From these 21 credits, at least nine (9) must be selected from courses that fulfill either of the following requirements:
  - Primarily emphasize cultural and social diversity within the United States (e.g. Latinos in the American West, African-American History, US Women's History, etc.)
  - Primarily focus on non-European and non-American history (e.g. African, Asian, Middle Eastern, or Latin American history

Approved classes for either group are:

HIST 211 | History of East Asia I   3
HIST 212 | History of East Asia II   3
HIST 227 | Intro to Latin American History and Culture I   3
HIST 228 | Intro to Latin American History and Culture II 3
HIST 229 | Drugs and Security in the Americas   3
HIST 418 | American Indian Relations   3
HIST 424 | Role of Religion in US Culture   3
HIST 432 | History of Women in the US   3
HIST 433 | African-American History   3
HIST 436 | Religion and Society in Latin America   3
HIST 439 | Religion and Society in Latin America   3
HIST 439C | Slavery and Race in Latin America   3
HIST 442 | Women in Latin America   3
HIST 444 | Latinos in the American West   3
HIST 449 | History of Japan   3
HIST 450 | Modern Chinese History   3
HIST 467 | Modern Jewish History   3
HIST 470 | History of Mexico   3
HIST 471 | Revolution and Reaction in Contemporary Latin America   3
HIST 473 | History of the Andean Region   3
HIST 478 | Middle Eastern Studies   3

TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE (120 CREDITS)

☑ Check box when requirement is satisfied

**Indicates a prerequisite and/or corequisite is required. Please refer to the catalog or speak to an advisor about these requirements.

This sample degree checklist is a planning tool intended for the current academic year. Each student's situation is unique and your degree may differ from the sample presented here. It is recommended that current NS students review the Academic Requirements report in their Student Center to monitor progress toward their degree and graduation requirements. It is also strongly recommended that you meet regularly with your Academic Advisor to verify degree progression.

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CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

Summary of credit requirements for the Bachelor of Arts in History: Pre-Law

☐ **College Core Curriculum**   19-45
☐ **Major Requirements**   48
☐ **General Electives**   27-53

UPPER DIVISION ELECTIVE REQUIREMENTS

		CREDITS COMPLETED	CREDITS REMAINING
☐ **UPPER DIVISION CREDITS** | *Must be 300-400 level*	18	_____	_____

ADDITIONAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

			CREDITS COMPLETED	CREDITS REMAINING
☐ **120 CREDITS**	| *College credits earned (minimum; must be 100 level or above)*	120	_____	_____
☐ **RESIDENCY RULE**	| *Upper division credits from Nevada State (minimum)*	30	_____	_____

ADVISOR NOTES

STUDENT NOTES

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