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CORE CURRICULUM & GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST

# NEVADA STATE UNIVERSITY

*SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS, SCIENCES & BUSINESS*

# CORE CURRICULUM & GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

## CORE CURRICULUM

*Please refer to the **Nevada State (NS) catalog for the full list of courses** that can satisfy each of the Core Curriculum requirements below.*

### ENGLISH.....3-8 CREDITS

*NS students can be placed into English courses by submitting ACT or SAT scores OR by completing the English Directed Self-Placement survey. Students often take Composition I during their first semester at NS and Composition II during the second semester. Students who complete Composition II will satisfy the full Core English requirement.*

- ☐ _____ | *Composition I Course*..... *Credits:* _____
- ☐ ENG 102 | *Composition II Course*..... *Credits:* 3

### STUDY AND TECHNOLOGY SKILLS.....0-3 CREDITS

*Transfer students with 30+ transferable college credits can waive this requirement.*

- ☐ _____ | *College Success Course*..... *Credits:* _____

### MATHEMATICS.....3-4 CREDITS

*NS students can be placed into Core Math courses by submitting ACT or SAT scores OR by completing the Math Directed Self-Placement survey. Please see your degree outline and/or consult an Academic Advisor regarding your specific major requirements.*

- ☐ _____ | *Math Core Course*..... *Credits:* _____

### NATURAL SCIENCES.....7-8 CREDITS

*Two science courses are required, at least one of which must include an associated laboratory (often a co-requisite 1-credit course).*

- ☐ _____ | *Natural Science Core Course*..... *Credits:* _____
- ☐ _____ | *Natural Science Core + Lab Course(s)*..... *Credits:* _____

### SOCIAL SCIENCES.....3 CREDITS

- ☐ _____ | *Social Sciences Core Course*..... *Credits:* 3

### FINE ARTS.....3 CREDITS

- ☐ _____ | *Fine Arts Core Course*..... *Credits:* 3

### HUMANITIES.....6 CREDITS

- ☐ _____ | *Humanities Core Course*..... *Credits:* 3
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### CONSTITUTION.....3-6 CREDITS

*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).*

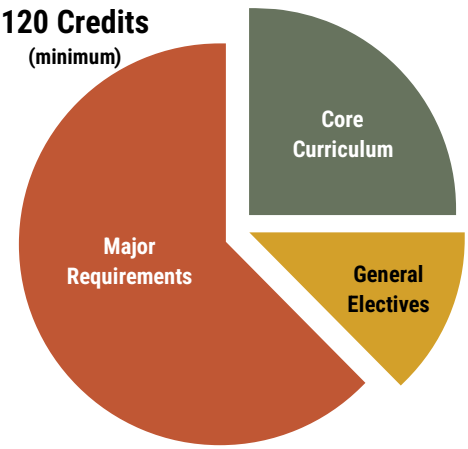
- ☐ _____ | *NV Constitution Course*..... *Credits:* _____
- ☐ _____ | *US Constitution Course*..... *Credits:* _____

### CULTURAL DIVERSITY.....3 CREDITS

- ☐ _____ | *Cultural Diversity Core Course*..... *Credits:* 3

***Certain Core and Graduation requirements may be satisfied by completing classes in your major.***

*However, a single course cannot fulfill more than one **Core** requirement. Please ask an Academic Advisor for details.*




## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

*General elective courses may be needed to complete the graduation requirements if they are not met once the Core Curriculum and Major requirements are satisfied.*

☐ **NS GPA** | Minimum 2.0 GPA from NS courses is required. For students with transfer credits, minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA (NS + Transfer) is required.

☐ **RESIDENCY RULE** | At least 30 upper division credits completed at Nevada State

CREDITS COMPLETED: _____

CREDITS REMAINING: _____

☐ **120 CREDITS** | At least 120 credits from 100 level courses or above are required

CREDITS COMPLETED: _____

CREDITS REMAINING: _____

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CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THE CORE CURRICULUM INCLUDING A FULL LIST OF ELIGIBLE COURSES

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# HUMAN HEALTH SCIENCES B.S Professional Writing Concentration

## MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (71 CREDITS)

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

### SCIENCE CORE COURSES.....29 CREDITS

- ☐ **BIOL 223A*** | *Human Anatomy & Physiology I (Lec).....* Credits: 3
- ☐ **BIOL 223L*** | *Human Anatomy & Physiology I (Lab).....* Credits: 1
- ☐ **BIOL 224A*** | *Human Anatomy & Physiology II (Lec).....* Credits: 3
- ☐ **BIOL 224L*** | *Human Anatomy & Physiology II (Lab).....* Credits: 1
- ☐ _____ | *CHEM 108* or CHEM 110*.....* Credits: 4
- ☐ **CHEM 111*** | *Chemistry for Health Sciences II.....* Credits: 3
- ☐ **NUTR 223*** | *Principles of Nutrition.....* Credits: 3

*Select one of the following four credit lecture and lab co-requisites: BIOL 189A&L or BIOL 190A&L.*

- ☐ _____ | *Fundamentals course option (Lec).....* Credits: 3
- ☐ _____ | *Fundamentals course option (Lab).....* Credits: 1

*Select one of the following four credit lecture and lab co-requisites: BIOL 251A&L* or BIOL 351A&L*.*

- ☐ _____ | *Microbiology course option (Lec).....* Credits: 3
- ☐ _____ | *Microbiology course option (Lab).....* Credits: 1

*Select one of the following three credit statistics courses: NURS 330* or STAT 391*.*

- ☐ _____ | *Statistics course option.....* Credits: 3

### UPPER DIVISION SCIENCE ELECTIVES.....18 CREDITS

*Select 18 credits from the following: BIOL306/CHEM 306, BIOL 350*, BIOL/CHEM 398L*, BIOL 409*, BIOL 411A*, BIOL 428*, BIOL 440*, BIOL 448*, BIOL 450*, BIOL 453*, BIOL 461*, BIOL 474*, BIOL 475*, BIOL 491*, BIOL 492*, BIOL 493*, BIOL 494/ENV 494, CHEM 498*, CHS 421*, HHS 300*, NRES 432*, NUTR 370*, NUTR 407*, NUTR 408*, or PBH 435*.*

***NOTE: No more than four total credit hours can come from BIOL 491, BIOL 492, BIOL 493, BIOL 494/ENV 494, or CHEM 498.***

- ☐ _____ | *Upper Division Science Elective.....* Credits: ____
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### CONCENTRATION.....24 CREDITS

*PROFESSIONAL WRITING CONCENTRATION*

- ☐ **COM 101** | *Oral Communication.....* Credits: 3

*Select seven courses from the following: ENG 201*, ENG 204*, ENG 212*, ENG 301*, ENG 302*, ENG 400A*, ENG 401A*, ENG 405A*, ENG 407A*, or ENG 407B**

- ☐ _____ | *Related Professional Writing Course.....* Credits: 3
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### GENERAL ELECTIVES.....17-34 CREDITS

*General elective courses are taken to complete the minimum 120 credits needed for graduation. General elective courses cannot double-dip with any major requirements but can be fulfilled by minor requirements. If you declare a minor or additional major, please check with your academic advisor about related policies.*

GENERAL ELECTIVE CREDITS COMPLETED: _____

GENERAL ELECTIVE CREDITS REMAINING: _____

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# Semester Planner

*This planning worksheet can help you organize coursework across multiple semesters in alignment with degree requirements.*

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