

General Education (BVU 2018-19)

BVU Signature Skills

problem solving
integrative learning
effective communication

University Seminar: FY Experience Program

OBVU 100: University Seminar or
OBVU 200: Transfer Seminar (for students transferring in with 30-87 credit-hours)

Foundations

Mathematics (3 credit-hours)

[problem solving]

MATH 100: Algebra Review
Math ACT 18 or lower must complete MATH 050 before MATH 100
Math ACT 19-24 may begin with MATH 100
Math ACT of 25 or higher are exempt from math foundation requirement

Communication (9 credit-hours)

[effective communication]

Written Communication I (ENGL 101 + Lab [4 hrs] or ENGL 102 [3 hrs])
Written Communication II (ENGL 200)
ENGL ACT of 15 or lower must enroll in ENGL 101
English ACT of 30 or higher encouraged to explore "test-out" option
Oral Communication (COMM 100) Oral communication test-out available

Explorations

Fine Arts (3 credit-hours)

[integrative learning]

art, music, theatre

ARTD 100, 180, 185, 304
HONR 200
MUSC 101, 103, 111
THME 100, 200

Business (3 credit-hours)

[problem solving]

accounting, business, personal finance

ACCT 205
BUSN 100
FNBK 101

Interdisciplinary Capstone

IDST 400: Challenges of the 21st Century

Humanities (12 credit-hours)

[integrative learning]

4 courses from 3 different areas

COMM 180, DIGI 210, EDCO 280^W, ENGL 220, 250, 260^W, 276^G, ENGL/THME 350^W, ENGL/THME 395^W, ENGL/THME 396^G, ENGL/THME 411^G, GWST 110^G, HIST 101, 102, 111^G, 112^G, 125^G, 230^G, 235^W, 240^W, 241^G, 242^W, 284^W, 315^W, 342^G, HONR 230, PHIL 100, 110, 130, PHIL/RELI 321^W, PHIL/RELI 335^W, PHIL/RELI 336^W, PHIL/RELI 340^W, RELI 102, 111, 112^G, 122^G, SPAN 101^G, 102, 201^G, 202, 301^G, 302^W, SEDU 333^G, THME 370^G, 400^G, 470^W, 471^G, TESL 270^G

^GAt least two courses must be designated as Humanities Global Perspectives (HGP) [integrative learning].

^WAt least one course must be designated as Humanities Writing Intensive (HWI) [effective communication].

Science (9 credit-hours)

[problem solving]

Computational Science (3 credit-hours) computer science or math
CMSC 160, 181, DATA 100, HONR 221, MATH 130, 140, 141, 143, 145, 160, 161

Life Science (3 credit-hours) biology, environmental science
BIOL 103-115, 120, 142, 163, 164, 303, ENVS 103, 105, 201, HONR 222

Physical Science (3 credit-hours) chemistry, general physical science, physics
CHEM 110, 115, 151, ENVS 110, GENS 115, 130, 320, HONR 223, PHYS 101, 110, 115, 201, 211

Social Science (9 credit-hours)

[effective communication]

3 courses from 3 different areas

COMM 280, 355^C, CRIM 101, 102^C, ECON 205, ECON 206, EDCO 245, EDCO 246, HONR 210, HMSV 351, PSCN 110, 115^C, PSCN 245^C, PSPA 165, 320, 360, PSYC 100, PSYC/SOCI 111^C, SCWK/SOCI 100^C, SCWK 200^C, 255^C, 351, 355, SOCI 101, 355)

^CAt least one course must be designated as Critical Thinking and Writing (CTW).