



PennState

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS 45 credits

CONNECTING
CURIOSITY
&
CAREER

FOUNDATIONS

Writing, speaking, and quantification courses help develop the foundations to set forth oral and written arguments persuasively and apply mathematical and statistical skills in solving real-world problems.

15 credits total required and all must be completed with a grade of C or better. Credits completed at other institutions do not transfer unless a C or better was earned and therefore are acceptable.

Writing/Speaking

9 credits

ENG 15

3 cr.

+

CAS 100

3 cr.

+

EET 212W

3 cr.

Quantification

6 credits

MATH 210

3 cr.

+

MATH 211

3 cr.

BREADTH OF KNOWLEDGE

Each Knowledge Domain provides a unique framework to examine the world. **15 credits** total required.

No Inter-Domain courses; no Move 3 or World Language substitutions.

Humanities

GH

3 cr.

+

Arts

GA

3 cr.

+

Social &
Behavioral
Sciences

GS

3 cr.

+

Natural
Sciences

PHYS X50

3 cr.

+

Health &
Wellness

GHW

3 cr.

INTEGRATIVE STUDIES

Just as each Knowledge Domain provides a unique perspective to examine the world, there is additional value in being able to identify and synthesize information across domains.

Select **6 credits** of either Inter-Domain coursework or Linked courses. Must select one or the other. Linked courses should be verified as an approved pair using the Linked Course search tool in LionPATH.

Inter-Domain

+

3 cr.

3 cr.

—or—

Linked

PHIL 233Z

3 cr.

STS 245Z

3 cr.

EXPLORATION

Select additional courses to explore or satisfy other academic goals such as minors, certificates, etc.

Select **9 credits** that may include up to 6 credits of GN and up to 3 credits of the other domains (GH, GA, GS, GHW). If a GN course is not listed in the Integrative Studies section, 3 credits of GN must be selected here.

PHYS X51 + **EMET GN3** + **G_**
3 cr. 3 cr. 3 cr.

The General Education Knowledge Domain requirement (including Breadth of Knowledge, Integrative Studies, and Exploration) is: 9 credits GN, 6 credits GA, 6 credits GH, 6 credits GS, 3 credits GHW. Flexibility of the requirements, including upper-level substitution, world language substitution, or Move-3, can be discussed with your adviser. These substitutions require both approval by the college of graduation and a manual update to your degree audit.

ADDITIONAL UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

9–12 credits required

United States Cultures

US

3 cr.

May double count in General Education, major, B.A. requirement, or elective.

International Cultures

IL

3 cr.

May double count in General Education, major, B.A. requirement (except Other Cultures), or as an elective. Study abroad courses often satisfy this requirement.

Writing Across the Curriculum

EET 212W

3 cr.

Typically prescribed in courses required for a major.

First-Year Experience

WAIVED

0–3 cr.

Requirement depends on which campus you first enrolled.