



COMMON CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS

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The whole team provides support for new first-year students and new transfer students from July until the start of the fall quarter.

Check out the additional information and resources on the [New Student Registration website](#).

OVERVIEW

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FIRST-YEAR
SEMINAR (FSEM)

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WRITING AND
RHETORIC

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LANGUAGE

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AI: NATURAL

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AI: SOCIETY

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SI: NATURAL

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SI: SOCIETY

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ADVANCED
SEMINAR
(ASEM)

COMMON CURRICULUM (52-60 CREDITS)

YEAR 1	<u>FIRST-YEAR SEMINAR (FSEM)</u>	4 CREDITS
	<u>FIRST-YEAR WRITING & RHETORIC (WRIT 1122 & WRIT 1133)</u>	8 CREDITS
YEAR 1 OR 2	<u>LANGUAGE</u>	4-12 CREDITS
	WAYS OF KNOWING:	
	• <u>SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY: NATURAL & PHYSICAL WORLD (SI: NATURAL)</u>	12 CREDITS
ANY	• <u>SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY: SOCIETY & CULTURE (SI: SOCIETY)</u>	8 CREDITS
MAJOR?	• <u>ANALYTICAL INQUIRY: NATURAL & PHYSICAL WORLD (AI: NATURAL)</u>	4 CREDITS
ANY	• <u>ANALYTICAL INQUIRY: SOCIETY & CULTURE (AI: SOCIETY)</u>	8 CREDITS
YEAR 3+	ADVANCED SEMINAR (ASEM)	4 CREDITS

FIRST-YEAR SEMINAR (FSEM)



ONE 4-CREDIT
FALL QUARTER
COURSE



TOPIC-BASED:
CHECK OUT THE
COURSE
DESCRIPTIONS
HERE



FIRST-TIME FIRST-
YEAR STUDENTS



TRANSFER STUDENTS

FIRST-YEAR WRITING & RHETORIC



TWO 4-CREDIT COURSES
(TYPICALLY
WRIT 1122 IN WINTER,
WRIT 1133 IN SPRING)



TRANSFER STUDENTS:
WRIT 1533



TOPIC-BASED



HONORS SEQUENCE
AVAILABLE

LANGUAGE

RUSSIAN

FRENCH

SPANISH

ITALIAN

ARABIC

GERMAN

HEBREW

JAPANESE

CHINESE

SPANISH
FOR
HERITAGE
SPEAKERS

LANGUAGE: TWO OPTIONS

OPTION 1:



ONE YEAR OF COLLEGE-
LEVEL COURSES IN THE
SAME LANGUAGE
SEQUENCE (E.G., ITAL
1001, ITAL 1002, ITAL
1003)

OPTION 2:



ONE COLLEGE-LEVEL
COURSE 2000-LEVEL
OR HIGHER
(AP/IB SCORES DO NOT
FULFILL LANGUAGE
REQUIREMENTS)

KEEP IN MIND



IF YOU COMPLETED 2
YEARS OF HIGH
SCHOOL LANGUAGE
STUDY, YOU SHOULD
NOT TAKE 1001.

LANGUAGE PLACEMENT

- THE PLACEMENT IS ONE TOOL TO HELP YOU FIND THE BEST MATCH FOR YOUR BACKGROUND.
 - You can take the French, German, Russian, and Spanish placements up to 5 times within a 7-day window.
 - The Center for World Languages and Cultures (CWLC) recommends students take the French and Spanish placement 2-3 times. The highest score will be the one that determines placement.
 - Other language placements cannot be taken more than once.
 - **ADDITIONAL TOOLS TO CONFIRM PLACEMENT INCLUDE:**
 - The Director of the Center for World Languages and Cultures (CWLC@du.edu)
 - Completing language advising during Discoveries Orientation the week before fall classes begin.
 - Meeting with the professor for your class in week 1
 - **PLAN FOR LANGUAGE COURSES IN YEAR 1 OR 2**
 - **THINK CREATIVELY ABOUT ALL YOUR LANGUAGE OPTIONS**
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SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY: NATURAL & PHYSICAL WORLD (SI: NATURAL)



THREE COURSES IN THE
SAME SEQUENCE (12
TOTAL CREDITS)



SCIENCE COURSES WITH
BOTH LECTURES AND LABS



SEARCH BY THE SI:
NATURAL ATTRIBUTE

SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY: SOCIETY & CULTURE (SI: SOCIETY)



8 TOTAL CREDITS
FROM TWO DIFFERENT
DISCIPLINES REQUIRED



SOCIAL SCIENCES



SEARCH BY THE SI:
SOCIETY ATTRIBUTE

ANALYTICAL INQUIRY: NATURAL & PHYSICAL WORLD (AI: NATURAL)



4 CREDITS REQUIRED
COMPLETE THE MATH
ADVISING TOOL



MATH 1951 REQUIRED: BIOL,
CHEM, PHYS, ENGR, COMP (BS),
ENVI (BS: JUNIOR YEAR)



MATH 1200 OR MATH 1951
REQUIRED FOR BUSINESS



MATH 1150 POPULAR FOR
NON-SCIENCE MAJORS
(WINTER OR SPRING OF
ANY YEAR)



LOGIC OPTIONS
FOR PRE-LAW:
MATH 2050/PHIL 2160
PHIL 2040



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ANALYTICAL INQUIRY: SOCIETY & CULTURE (AI: SOCIETY)



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DISCIPLINES REQUIRED



ARTS AND HUMANITIES



SEARCH BY THE AI:
SOCIETY ATTRIBUTE

ADVANCED SEMINAR (ASEM)



ONE 4-CREDIT COURSE



CAPSTONE



JUNIOR OR SENIOR YEAR
(90+ CREDITS)



QUESTIONS?

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