



**COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES**  
**OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY**

**Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2014-2015**

**BACHELOR of ARTS**

**MAJOR: History**

**Minimum Overall Grade Point Average: 2.00**

**Total Hours: 123**

**(cumulative graduation/retention GPA)**

*Other GPA requirements, see below.*

<b>GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS: 40 HOURS</b>			<b>MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 51 HOURS</b>		
Area	Hours	To be selected from:			
English Composition & Oral Communication	6	ENGL 1113 or 1313; & 1213 or 1413 or 3323 (See Academic Regulation 3.5 in Catalog)	Minimum GPA <u>2.50</u> . <u>Minimum grade of "C" in all upper-division HIST courses.</u> HIST 1713; 4903 or 4993 (with Professor permission and Honors College enrollment)		
American History & Government	6	HIST 1103 and POLS 1113	30 hours of History from the three areas listed below, with 15 hours from one area, 9 hours from a second area, and 6 hours from the remaining area.		
Analytical & Quantitative Thought (A)	6	MATH 1483 or 1493 or 1513; and 3 hours designated (A)	<u>American History:</u> HIST 3133, 3333, 3613, 3623, 3633, 3643, 3653, 3663, 3673, 3683, 3693, 3753, 3763, 3773, 3783, 3793, 4063, 4153, 4163, 4173, 4253, 4273, 4353, 4453, 4463, 4483, 4493, 4503, 4513, 4523, 4543, 4553, 4563, 4573, 4583, 4593		
Humanities (H)	6	HIST 1613; and 3 hours non-HIST designated (H)	<u>European History:</u> HIST 3003, 3023, 3033, 3113, 3153, 3163, 3233, 3243, 3253, 3263, 3273, 3323, 3343, 3353, 3363, 3373, 3383, 3393, 3483, 3493, 3913, 3953, 3963, 4573		
Natural Sciences (N)	8	Courses designated (N)	<u>World History:</u> HIST 3013, 3043, 3053, 3203, 3403, 3413, 3423, 3433, 3443, 3453, 3463, 3503, 3513, 3523, 3543, 3553		
Social & Behavioral Sciences (S)	6	Courses designated (S)	HIST 3980 or 4980 (1-9 hours) or 4993 may be substituted in one or more of the above areas with consent of advisor.		
Diversity (D)	--	Course designated (D) (see note 1.b.)	15 hours from upper-division courses from the following related fields: American Studies; Art History; Economics; English; Foreign Language; Geography; Philosophy; Political Science; Psychology; Religious Studies; Sociology/Anthropology		
International Dimension (I)	--	Course designated (I) (see note 1.b.)			
Scientific Investigation (L)	--	Course designated (L) (see note 1.b.)			
Controlled Electives	2	Any course with a Gen Ed designation in any of the above areas	Students completing Teacher Education requirements may: 1) include professional education courses; 2) substitute HIST 2323 and HIST 1483 or 1493 for 6 hours upper-division HIST, leaving 24 hours to be distributed 12, 6, and 6 among American, European and World.		
<b>COLLEGE/DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS: 23 HOURS</b>			<b>ELECTIVES: 9 HOURS</b>		
Orientation	1	A&S 1111 (transfer students with 15 hours exempt)	*Students with prior credit in HIST 1103 may not earn credit in HIST 1483 or HIST 1493.		
Arts & Humanities	9	HIST 1623 and 6 additional hours non-HIST (see note 2.a.)	6 hours may need to be upper-division		
Natural & Mathematical Sciences	3	_____ (see note 2.b.)			
Foreign Languages	10	_____ (see note 3.)			
Non-Western Studies	--	_____ (see notes 1.b. & 2.c.)			
<p><u>Other Requirements:</u> See notes 1, 2 &amp; 3 on back of degree sheet  <u>Upper-Division Gen Ed:</u> 6 hours outside major department.  <u>Upper-Division Credit:</u> Total hours must include at least <u>48 hours</u> in courses numbered 3000 or above.  <u>Hours in One Department:</u> Hours in HIST in excess of 48 will be added to the minimum total of 123 required for graduation.</p>					
<p><u>Additional State/OSU Requirements</u> – At least: 60 hours at a four-year institution; 30 hours completed at OSU; 15 of the final 30 or 50% of the upper-division hours in the major field completed at OSU. Limit of: one-half of major course requirements as transfer work; one-fourth of hours earned by correspondence; 8 transfer correspondence hours.            Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation and any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation. Degrees that follow this plan must be completed by the end of Summer 2020.</p>					

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# College of Arts and Sciences

## 1. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

- a. No more than two courses (or eight hours) from the major department may be used to meet General Education and College and Departmental Requirements. The General Education Controlled Elective required English Composition, required U.S. History, required American Government, and one required MATH course do not count against the two-course maximum.
- b. The Diversity, International Dimension, Scientific Investigation and Non-Western requirements may be satisfied by courses also used to satisfy any part of a student's degree program (i.e., in General Education, College Departmental Requirements, Major Requirements or Electives).
- c. Courses in the major department may not be used to satisfy the College requirement for six hours upper-division General Education.

## 2. A&S COLLEGE/DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- a. Arts and Humanities are defined as any course carrying an (H) designation or courses from ART, HIST, MUSI, PHIL (except 1313 and 3003), REL, TH, creative writing, foreign languages (second year and above), linguistics and literature. No more than six hours may be music or theatre performance or art studio.
- b. Natural and Mathematical Sciences are defined as any course from the following prefixes: ASTR, BIOC, BIOL, BOT, CHEM, CS (except 4883), GEOL, MATH, MICR, PHYS, STAT and ZOOL; or courses from other departments that carry an (A) or (N) general education designation.
- c. Non-Western Studies Requirement for B.A. and B.F.A. (see 1.b. above). One course in Non-Western Studies from: AMIS 2013, 4013, ANTH 3443, 4223; ART 3693, 4603, 4653, 4663, 4673, 4683, 4763; CHIN 1225; ECON 4643; ENGL 3173, 3183; ENGL 3190 (African Novel; Post-Col Multi Ethnic Lit); FLL 1000 (Arabic 2; Mvskoke 2); GEOG 3053, 3753, 3763, 3783; HIST 1713, 3013, 3043, 3053, 3203, 3403, 3413, 3423, 3433, 3503, 3513, 3543, 3553; HONR 3033; JAPN 1225, 2015, 2225; MUSI 3583; PHIL 3943; POLS 3053, 3163, 3223, 3313; REL 3573, 3613, 4050 (Understanding Islam; Rel & Sects of Mid-East), 4113, 4213; RUSS 3053; SOC 4533, 4653.

## 3. FOREIGN LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

- a. The foreign language requirement for the B.A. may be satisfied by 10 hours college credit in the same language, or equivalent proficiency (e.g., passing an advanced standing examination; completing a second-year or higher college-level course in the language, etc.).
- b. The foreign language requirement for the B.S., B.M. and B.F.A. may be satisfied by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language (passing grades at second year level of study). It may also be satisfied by any of the options listed above for the B.A.
- c. In addition to a. and b., **students pursuing secondary education teacher certification** must meet novice-high foreign language proficiency by presenting a high school transcript which demonstrates two years of study of a single foreign language with no grade below B. Or, students may complete 5 hours college credit in the same language with no grade below C (or pass an advanced standing examination equivalent to 5 hours of college credit).

## 4. EXCLUSIONS

- a. Courses used to satisfy the English Composition, American History and Government requirement will not count toward the 54 hour maximum allowed from one department.
- b. Courses with ATHL or LEIS prefixes and leisure activity courses may not be used for degree credit in the College of Arts & Sciences.

## 5. TEACHER CERTIFICATION

Students can satisfy the requirements for secondary schools teaching certification while earning a B.A. or B.S. in the College of Arts & Sciences. Those interested should see their Arts and Sciences adviser and the OSU Professional Education Unit in room 325 Willard.