FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE (1 course required)
Students with fewer than 30 transfer credits only.

High-school-earned college credit does not exempt FTIC students from this requirement.

__SLS 1501 First Year Experience (1 cr)

COMMUNICATION (2 three-credit courses required)
These are Gordon Rule courses. Must earn “C” or better.

__ENC 1101 Writing and Rhetoric I (3 cr)
__ENC 1102 Writing and Rhetoric II (3 cr)*

HUMANITIES (2 three-credit courses required, one from Group One and one from Group Two.)

Humanities – Group One (State Required):
One course must be from the following list.

__ARTH 2000 Exploring Art (3 cr) – GL
__HUM 1020 Introduction to Humanities (3 cr)
__LIT 1000 Introduction to Literature (3 cr)
__MUL 1010 Music Literature/Music Appreciation (3 cr)
__PHI 2010 Introduction to Philosophy (3 cr) – GRW
__THE 2000 Theatre Appreciation (3 cr) – GL

Humanities – Group Two (FIU Required):
One course must be from the following list.

__APH 2000 African Civilizations (3 cr) – GRW/GL
__AMH 2041 Origins of American Civilization (3 cr) – GRW
__AMH 2042 Modern American Civilizations (3 cr) – GRW
__ARC 2701 History of Architecture I (3 cr) – GRW
__EPU 2011 Western Civ.: Early European Civilization (3 cr) – GRW
__EPU 2021 Western Civ.: Medieval to Modern Europe (3 cr) – GRW
__EPU 2030 Western Civ.: Europe in the Modern Era (3 cr) – GRW
__ENG 2012 Approaches to Literature (3 cr)* – GRW
__HUM 3214 Ancient Classical Culture & Civilization (3 cr) – GRW
__HUM 3306 History of Ideas (3 cr) – GRW
__IDS 3309 How We Know What We Know (3 cr) – GRW/GL
__LALH 2020 Latin American Civilization (3 cr) – GRW
__PHI 2063 Classics in Phil.: Intro. to the History of Phil. (3 cr) – GRW
__PHI 2600 Introduction to Ethics (3 cr) – GRW
__POT 3013 Ancient & Medieval Political Theory (3 cr) – GRW
__REL 2111 Religion: Analysis and Interpretation (3 cr) – GRW/GL
__SAC 3200 Rhetorical Comm.: A Theory Civil Discourse (3 cr) – GRW
__SAC 3271 Rhetoric & Public Address (3 cr) – GRW
__WOH 2001 World Civilization (3 cr) – GRW

MATHEMATICS (2 three-credit courses required, one from Group One and one from Group Two.) These are Gordon Rule courses. Must earn “C” or better. Students who successfully complete a mathematics course in Group Two for which a course in Group One is an immediate prerequisite shall be considered to have completed Group One and will take two mathematics courses from Group Two. However, ONE OF THE TWO MATHEMATICS COURSES MUST HAVE A MAC, MGF, OR MTG PREFIX.

Mathematics – Group One (State Required):
One course must be from the following list.

__MAC 1105 College Algebra (3 cr)*
__MAC 2311 Calculus I (4 cr)*
__MGF 1106 Finite Math (3 cr)
__MGF 1107 Math of Social Choice & Decision Making (3 cr)
__STA 2023 Statistics for Business & Economics (3 cr)

Mathematics – Group Two (FIU Required):
One course must be from the following list.

__CGS 2518 Data Analysis (3cr)
__COP 2210 Introduction to Programming (4 cr)
__COP 2250 Programming in Java (3 cr)
__MAC 1140 Pre-Calculus Algebra (3 cr)* Credit cannot be received for both MAC 1140 and Pre-calculus Algebra & Trigonometry/MAC 1147
__MAC 1114 Trigonometry* (3 cr) Credit cannot be received for both MAC 1114 and Pre-calculus Algebra & Trigonometry/MAC 1147
__MAC 1147 Pre-Calculus Algebra & Trigonometry (4 cr)*
__MAC 2233 Calculus for Business (3 cr)*
__MAC 2312 Calculus II (4 cr)*
__MAC 2313 Multivariable Calculus (4 cr)*
__MTG 1204 Geometry for Education (3 cr)
__PHI 2100 Introduction to Logic (3 cr)
__STA 2122 Statistics for Behavioral & Social Sciences (3 cr)
__STA 3111 Statistics I (3 cr)
__STA 3145 Statistics for the Health Professions (3cr)

SOCIAL SCIENCE (2 three-credit courses required, one from Group One and one from Group Two.)

Social Science – Group One (State Required):
One course must be from the following list.

__AMH 2020 American History 1850 to Present (3 cr) – GRW
__ANT 2000 Introduction to Anthropology (3 cr) – GL
__EUC 2013 Principles of Macroeconomics (3 cr)
__POS 2041 American Government (3 cr)
__PSY 2012 Introduction to Psychology (3 cr)
__SYG 2000 Introduction to Sociology (3 cr) – GL

Social Science – Group Two (FIU Required):
One course must be from the following list.

__AFA 2004 Black Popular Cultures: Global Dimensions (3 cr) – GRW/GL
__AMH 3560 The History of Women in the U.S. (3 cr) – GRW
__ANT 3212 World Ethnographies (3 cr) – GL
__ANT 3241 Myth, Ritual and Mysterism (3 cr) – GL
__ANT 3451 Anthropology of Race & Ethnicity (3 cr)
__ASN 3410 Intro to East Asia (3 cr) – GRW/GL
__COM 3461 Intercultural/Interracial Communication (3 cr) – GL
__CPO 2002 Introduction to Comparative Politics (3 cr)
__CPO 3103 Politics of Western Europe (3 cr) – GRW
__CPO 3304 Politics of Latin America (3 cr)
__DEP 2000 Human Growth & Development (3 cr)
__EUC 2023 Principles of Microeconomics (3 cr)
__ECO 3003 Comparative Economic Systems (3 cr)*
__ECS 3021 Women, Culture, and Economic Develop. (3 cr)* – GL
__EDF 3521 Education in History (3 cr)
__EGL 1033 Technology, Human and Society (3 cr) – GL
__EVR 1017 The Global Environment & Society (3 cr) – GL
__GEA 2000 World Regional Geography (3 cr) – GL
__GEO 2000 Introduction to Geography (3 cr)
__IDS 3163 Global Supply Chains & Logistics (3cr) – GL
__IDS 3183 Health Without Borders (3cr) – GL
__IDS 3301 The Culture of Capitalism and Global Justice (3 cr) – GL
__IDS 3315 Gaining Global Perspectives (3 cr) – GL
__IDS 3333 Div. of Meaning: Language, Culture, and Gender (3cr) – GL
__INP 2002 Intro. Industrial/Organizational Psychology (3 cr)
__INR 2001 Introduction to International Relations (3 cr)
__INR 3081 Contemporary International Problems (3 cr) – GRW/GL
__LBS 3001 Introduction to Labor Studies (3 cr) – GL
__POT 3302 Political Ideologies (3 cr)
__REL 3308 Studies in World Religions (3 cr) – GRW/GL
__SOP 3004 Introductory Social Psychology (3 cr)
__SOP 3015 Social and Personality Development (3 cr)
__SPC 3210 Communication Theory (3 cr) – GRW
__SYD 3804 Sociology of Gender (3 cr)
__SYG 2010 Social Problems (3 cr) – GL
__SYG 3002 Basic Ideas of Sociology (3 cr)
__SYP 3000 The Individual in Society (3 cr)
__WST 3015 Intro to Global Gender & Women’s Studies (3 cr) – GL
__WST 3641 LGBT and Beyond: Sexualities in Gl. Persp. (3 cr) – GL

NATURAL SCIENCE (2 three-credit courses required, one from Group One and one from Group Two. Lecture and Lab must be taken together.)

Natural Science – Group One (State Required):
One course and lab must be from the following list.

__AST 1002 & AST 1002L Descriptive Astronomy (3,1 cr)
__BSC 1010 & BSC 1010L General Biology I (3,1 cr)
__CHM 1020 & CHM 1020L Chemistry for Liberal Studies (3,1 cr)
__CHM 1045 & CHM 1045L General Chemistry I (3,1 cr)*
__EVR 1001 & EVR 1001L Intro. To Environ. Sciences (3,1 cr) – GL
__ESC 1000 & ESC 1000L Intro. To Earth Science (3,1 cr)
__PHY 1020 & PHY 1020L Understanding the Physical World (3,1 cr)
__PHY 2048 & PHY 2048L Physics with Calculus I (4,1 cr)*
__PHY 2053 & PHY 2053L Physics without Calculus I (4,1 cr)*
__BSC 1085 & BSC 1085L Anatomy and Physiology I (3,1 cr)

Natural Science – Group Two (FIU Required):
One course and lab must be from the following list.

__AST 2003 & AST 2003L Solar System Astronomy (3,1 cr)
__BOT 1010 & BOT 1010L Introductory Botany (3,1 cr)

*These courses have pre-requisites; please check the catalog or with an advisor.

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Students who transfer to FIU with fewer than 60 credits must earn at least 9 courses and their effective semester, visit http://goglobal.fiu.edu to entering FIU must complete two Discipline one Discipline GLOBAL LEARNING (GL) REQUIREMENT

- Enc 1101 & ENC 1101L General Biology II (3,1 cr)
- BSC 1011 & BSC 1011L Human Biology (3,1 cr)
- CHM 1033 & CHM 1033L Survey of Chemistry (4,1 cr)*
- CHS 350 & CHS 350L Survey of Forensic Science (3,1 cr)
- EVR 3011 & EVR 3011L Ecology of South Florida (3,1 cr)
- GEO 3510 & GEO 3510L Earth Resources (3,1 cr) – GL
- GLY 1010 & GLY 1010L Physical Geology (3,1 cr)
- GLY 1101 & GLY 1101L History of Life (3,1cr)
- GLY 3039 & GLY 3039L Environmental Geology (3,1 cr)
- HUN 2000 & HUN 2000L Found. of Nutritional Sci. (3,1 cr)
- IDS 3211 & IDS 3211L Global Climate Change (3,1 cr) – GL
- _IDS 3212 & IDS 3212L_ The Global Scientific Revolution and Its Impact on Quality of Life (3,1 cr) – GL
- _IDS 3214 & IDS 3214L_ Coastal Environment from the Bay to the World (3,1 cr) - GL
- _MET 2010 & MET 2010L_ Meteor. Atmos. Physics (3,1 cr)
- _MCB 2000 & MCB 2000L_ Intro. Microbiology (3,1 cr) – GL
- _OCC 3014 & OCE 3014L_ Oceanography (3,1 cr) – GL
- _PCB 2061 & PCB 2061L_ Introductory Genetics and Lab (3,1 cr)*
- _PCB 2099 & PCB 2099L_ Found. of Human Physiol. (3,1 cr)
- _PHY 2049 & PHY 2049L_ Physics with Calculus II (4,1 cr)*
- _PHY 2054 & PHY 2049L_ Physics without Calculus II (4,1 cr)*
- _ARY 2050_ Art History Survey I (3 cr)
- _ARY 2051_ Art History Survey II (3 cr)
- _COM 3404_ Nonverbal Communication (3 cr) – GRW
- _COM 3417_ Communication in Film (3 cr) – GRW/GL
- _CRW 2001_ Introduction to Creative Writing (3 cr)*
- _DAA 1100_ Modern Dance Techniques I (3 cr)
- _DAA 1200_ Ballet Techniques I (3 cr)
- _ENL 3504_ British Literature to 1660 (3 cr)*
- _ENL 3506_ British Literature Since 1660 (3 cr)*
- _IDS 3336_ Artistic Expression in a Global Society (3 cr) – GL
- _MUS 2116_ Evolution of Jazz (3 cr)
- _SAP 2608_ Public Speaking (3 cr)
- _TPP 2100_ Introduction to Acting (3 cr)

*These courses have pre-requisites; please check the catalog or with an advisor.

**IMPORTANT NOTES**

Only these courses meet the University Core Curriculum (UCC) requirements, and all must be taken for a letter grade. Pre-professional (i.e. pre-law, pre-med, etc.) requirements are available at the Academic Advising Center website listed below. Students are ultimately responsible for meeting with advisors to discuss academic and career goals, course planning, academic policies and procedures, and opportunities for engagement at the University. Students are encouraged to meet with advisors should they have any questions about the UCC requirements or any of the notes included below.

**GORDON RULE REQUIREMENT**

Courses in the following areas are considered Gordon Rule: Communication, Mathematics, and courses designated as GRW. A grade of “C” or better is required in these courses.

**GORDON RULE with WRITING (GRW) REQUIREMENT**

Students are required to demonstrate college-level writing skills through six semester hours of Gordon Rule Writing-designated courses (GRW). To fulfill this requirement, students can select any two GRW-designated courses in the University Core Curriculum. These courses can be from the same or different categories.

**COMMUNICATION**

Placement into ENC 1101 will be based on unweighted high school grade point average (GPA). Students with an unweighted high school GPA below 3.0 will be required to take ENC 1930 Essay Writing prior to enrollment in ENC 1101.

Transfer Students

**Students with more than 30 transfer credits may be able to substitute the following for ENC 1101 ENC 1102**

- ENC 2304 College Writing for Transfer Students (3 cr)
- ENC 3213 Professional and Technical Writing (3 cr)
- ENC 3311 Advanced Writing and Research (3 cr)
- ENC 3314 Writing Across the Curriculum (3 cr)

**GLOBAL LEARNING (GL) REQUIREMENT**

Freshmen must complete one Global Learning (GL) Foundation course and one Discipline-Specific course. Transfers who meet UCC requirements prior to entering FIU must complete two Discipline-Specific courses. Transfers who do not meet UCC requirements prior to entering FIU must take one GL Foundation course and one Discipline-Specific course. For an updated list of courses and their effective semester, visit http://goglobal.fiu.edu.

**SUMMER ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENT**

Students who transfer to FIU with fewer than 60 credits must earn at least 9 credits during one or more summer semesters to be eligible for graduation.

**ARTS (1 three-credit course required)**

Required course must be from the following list.

- _ARY 2050_ Art History Survey I (3 cr)
- _ARY 2051_ Art History Survey II (3 cr)
- _COM 3404_ Nonverbal Communication (3 cr) – GRW
- _COM 3417_ Communication in Film (3 cr) – GRW/GL
- _CRW 2001_ Introduction to Creative Writing (3 cr)*
- _DAA 1100_ Modern Dance Techniques I (3 cr)
- _DAA 1200_ Ballet Techniques I (3 cr)
- _ENL 3504_ British Literature to 1660 (3 cr)*
- _ENL 3506_ British Literature Since 1660 (3 cr)*
- _IDS 3336_ Artistic Expression in a Global Society (3 cr) – GL
- _MUS 2116_ Evolution of Jazz (3 cr)
- _SAP 2608_ Public Speaking (3 cr)
- _TPP 2100_ Introduction to Acting (3 cr)

**EXEMPTIONS**

a) Transfer Students:

Transfer students with an AA from a FL public college automatically meet the UCC. All others may be required to complete UCC courses.

b) Natural Science:

Transfer students who completed one or both science courses without labs at another institution prior to admission to FIU will be deemed to have satisfied the Natural Science requirement.

c) Honors College:

Students in the Honors College who have satisfied designated Honors Courses will be deemed to have met sections of the UCC & GL requirements. Visit http://honors.fiu.edu for course equivalencies.

**WHO IS MY ASSIGNED ADVISOR?**

Login to https://my.fiu.edu and look for the My_eAdvisor Student Dashboard icon. Use My_eAdvisor to find and message your assigned advisor as well as make appointments and view advisor notes.

**MYMAJOR**

MyMajor (http://mymajor.fiu.edu) provides in-depth information on all FIU undergraduate majors, admissions criteria, career opportunities, and department contact information. MyMajor includes Major Maps, or programs of study, that show students what they need to take to graduate in a timely manner.

**PANTHER DEGREE AUDIT**

A PDA is an unofficial copy of a student’s academic progress that may be obtained from https://my.fiu.edu.

**ACADEMIC WARNING AND PROBATION**

The “warning” and “probation” status has serious implications on academic progress, financial aid, and scholarships. Students must meet with an advisor immediately if placed on Academic Warning or Probation.

**EXCESS CREDIT HOUR SURCHARGE**

A surcharge is assessed for each credit attempted in excess of 110% of the minimum required for your degree. This typically means students can attempt up to 12 additional credits before incurring double tuition. Visit http://onestop.fiu.edu for additional information.