



Eureka College

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

2015-2016 CATALOG

GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

CURRENT

1. _____ Complete at least 124 semester hours of coursework.¹ _____
2. _____ Maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0.² _____
3. _____ Maintain a minimum grade point average of 2.0 in the major. _____
4. _____ Maintain a minimum grade point average of 2.0 in the minor. _____

ACADEMIC SKILLS (9-10 hrs.)

A) Mathematics (3-4 hrs.)

1. _____ MAT121 or above, KIN265 (KIN majors only), or CSC 135 or CSC 165

B) Written Communication (6 hrs.)

1. _____ ENG103W – Academic Writing and Research (3 hrs.)
2. _____ ENG301W – Advanced Academic Writing and Research (3 hrs.)

WAYS OF KNOWING (26 hrs.)

A) The Fine and Performing Arts (4-6 hrs.) – *One theory course and one applied course, in different disciplines, from ART, MUS³, and THA*

1. _____ (Theory)
2. _____ (Applied)

¹ A student cannot receive semester hour credit toward graduation for a course more than one time. However, a course may fulfill both a general education requirement and a requirement for a major or minor. MAT095R and ENG095R do NOT apply toward these hours.

² Some majors have special GPA requirements. See your Catalog year of reference.

³ A student who satisfactorily completes two entire academic year enrollments in one of the following – Chorale, Chamber Singers, Private Instruction in Voice, Piano, or Strings – will be deemed to have fulfilled the requirement of one applied course in Music.

B) The Humanities (6 hrs.)

1. _____ One 3-hr. literature course to be selected from: ENG115, ENG272, ENG274, ENG310W, FRE304, FRE305, SPA303, THA282W, THA283W, or any literature course numbered ENG221-233 _____
2. _____ One course in PHI or REL⁴ (3 hrs.) _____

C) The Sciences (4 hrs.)

1. _____ One laboratory course in Life Science (BIO) or Physical Science (CHM, EVS, PHS, or PHY) (4 hrs.) _____

D) The Social Sciences (6 hrs.)

1. _____ EDU227W – Educational Psychology *or* PSY101 – General Psychology *or* SOC102 – Principles of Sociology (3 hrs.) _____
2. _____ ECO111, ECO112, PSC150, PSC250, or any course in HIS _____ (3 hrs.)

E) Wellness (2 hrs.)

1. _____ HED170 – Wellness (2 hrs.)

KNOWLEDGE INTEGRATION (12 hrs.)

A) Civilization & Culture⁵ (6 hrs.)

1. _____ IDS261W – Western Civilization & Culture I (3 hrs.)
2. _____ IDS262 – Western Civilization & Culture II (3 hrs.)

B) Freshman and Senior Seminars (4 hrs.)

1. _____ IDS101 – First Year Seminar⁶ (3 hrs.)
2. _____ IDS490W – Senior Seminar⁷ (3 hrs.)

⁴ History & Political Science (Political Science track) majors may use PSC320W. This requirement is not covered by the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI).

⁵ The Civilization and Culture requirement is not covered by the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI).

⁶ First Year Seminar is not required for transfer students.

⁸ The Senior Seminar requirement is not covered by the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI).

GLOBAL AWARENESS (6+ hrs.) – *Select one of the following three options:*

A) Foreign Language – *Select French, Ancient Greek, or Spanish* (6 hours)

1. _____ FRE115 – Introductory French I (3 hrs.)
2. _____ FRE120 – Introductory French II (3 hrs.)

or

1. _____ GRK224 – Ancient Greek I (3 hrs.)
2. _____ GRK225 – Ancient Greek II (3 hrs.)

or

1. _____ SPA115 – Introductory Spanish I (3 hrs.)
2. _____ SPA120 – Introductory Spanish II (3 hrs.)

B) Two courses from the following (6 hrs.)

_____	ART101W	Art Appreciation	(3 hrs.)
_____	BUA310	International Business	(3 hrs.)
_____	CHM350	Environmental Chemistry	(3 hrs.)
_____	COM330	Intercultural Communication	(3 hrs.)
_____	ENG272	Non-Western Literature	(3 hrs.)
_____	GEO105	World Geography	(3 hrs.)
_____	GEO110	Cultural Geography	(3 hrs.)
_____	HIS123	World History I	(3 hrs.)
_____	HIS124	World History II	(3 hrs.)
_____	HIS341	History of Latin America	(3 hrs.)
_____	HIS342	History of the Middle East	(3 hrs.)
_____	HIS343	History of Sub-Saharan Africa	(3 hrs.)
_____	HIS344	History of Eastern Asia	(3 hrs.)
_____	MUS150	Music Cultures in the U.S.	(3 hrs.)
_____	PSC261	Comparative Government	(3 hrs.)
_____	PSC263	International Relations	(3 hrs.)
_____	REL129	Western Religions	(3 hrs.)
_____	REL131	Asian Religions	(3 hrs.)
_____	SOC105	Cultural Anthropology	(3 hrs.)
_____	SOC306	Minority Peoples in the U.S.	(3 hrs.)

C) International/Cultural Study (6+ hrs.) – *Approved international or cultural study. See your academic advisor for more information.*

OTHER GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

1. _____ Each student will complete a major consisting of a minimum of 32 semester hours, including 12 semester hours at the 300-level⁸.

2. _____ Each student will complete either (a) a declared minor in a department other than the major; or (b) at least 12 semester hours at the 200-level or above not required for or elective to the major.

3. _____ Each student will complete 6 Writing courses, designated with a “W” at the end of the course ID.

_____	ENG103W	Academic Writing and Research	(3 hrs.)
_____	ENG301W	Advanced Academic Writing and Research	(3 hrs.)
_____	IDS261W	Western Civilization and Culture I	(3 hrs.)
_____	IDS490W	Senior Seminar	(3 hrs.)
_____	_____	Upper-division course in the major	(3 hrs.)
_____	_____	Elective chosen in consultation with faculty advisor	(3 hrs.)

4. _____ The student must have met all financial obligations to Eureka College (*see the Business Office for information relating to your financial obligations to the College*).

5. _____ The student must have an Application for Graduation on file in the Records Office by the deadline established by the Records Office (*due no later than midterm of the semester in which you plan to graduate*).

NOTES:

⁸ Twelve of the 32 hours must be Eureka College course work as described by the various discipline areas. Six of the 300-level hours must be completed at Eureka College.