

B.A. in American Studies

OSU-Cascades

Sample Academic Plan |

	Fall		Winter		Spring		Summer
Year 1	WR 121z: English Comp MTH 105z: Bacc Core Math ALS 199: FY Transitions Bacc Core: Fitness HHS 231 SPAN 111: 1 st Yr Spanish	4 4 2 2 4	WR 323 – English Comp Bacc Core: Speech ENG 253: Intro American Lit PAC 100 level- Fitness SPAN 112: 1 st Yr Spanish	3 4 4 1 4	Bacc Core: Cultural Diversity BC: Physical Sci ENG 254: Intro American Lit SPAN 113: 1 st Yr Spanish	3 4 4 4	
	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	15	
	Academic & Career Opportunities Year 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Do Cascades Edge Career Development tasks each term <input type="checkbox"/> Check out resources for student wellness, time management and study skills <input type="checkbox"/> Considering Law School? Check out Pre-Law Planning information osucascades.edu/american-studies/pre-law-planning <input type="checkbox"/> Considering teaching? Talk with your advisor about planning for MAT. 					
Year 2	Bacc Core: Bio Science PS 201 or other AMS LD elective HST 201: US History SPAN 211: 2 nd Yr Spanish	4 4 4 4	HST 202: US History CLA Core: Fine Arts CLA Core: Social Science SPAN 212: 2 nd Yr Spanish	4 3 3 4	Free Elective Bacc Core: Additional Science Free Elective SPAN 213: 2 nd Yr Spanish	4 4 3 4	
	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	
	Academic & Career Opportunities Year 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Complete Cascades Edge Year 2 Career Development <input type="checkbox"/> Research study abroad opportunities and integrate into academic plan if interested <input type="checkbox"/> Think about adding a minor or double major to fill elective requirements <input type="checkbox"/> Create Pre-Law plan or grad school if applicable. 					
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Year 3	AMS 350 – American Culture	4	Specialty Option Course	4	Specialty Option Course	4		
	Specialty Option Course	3	Bacc Core: Social Process & Inst.	4	CLA Core: Nonwestern Culture	4		
	Specialty Option Course	4	Synthesis: Sci., Tech Society	3	CLA Core: Additional Course	4		
	Free Elective	4	CLA Core: Humanities	4	Free Elective	4		
Total Credits		15	Total Credits		14	Total Credits		16
Academic & Career Opportunities Year 3		<input type="checkbox"/> Continue Cascades Edge Career & Self Development activities. <input type="checkbox"/> Take LSAT, GRE, Praxis or Graduate/Professional tests at the end of Spring term. <input type="checkbox"/> Create CAS account if applying to Law Schools						
Year 4	ENG 445: Personal Essay, WIC	4	ENG 387: Am. Culture Lit/Arts Specialty Option Course Free Elective upper division	4	ENG 388 : Am. Culture Lit/Arts	4		
	AMS 450: Pragmatism & American Culture	4			AMS 406 – AMS Portfolio	2		
	ENG 386: Am. Culture Lit/Arts	4			Specialty Option Course	4		
	Free Elective	4			Free Elective – upper division	4		
Total Credits		16	Total Credits		12	Total Credits		14
Academic & Career Opportunities Year 4		<input type="checkbox"/> Take LSAT, GRE, Praxis or Graduate/Professional tests in Fall term for application cycle Connect with Dr. Browne WINTER about Portfolio requirement <input type="checkbox"/> Apply to grad school by deadlines (if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Complete Year 4 Career Development activities. <input type="checkbox"/> Update linked in with Cascades Edge Badge info <input type="checkbox"/> Plan for Commencement Ceremony and celebrations in June!						

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	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	
	Academic & Career Opportunities Year 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Complete Cascades Edge Year 2 Career Development <input type="checkbox"/> Learn about Undergraduate Research opportunities <input type="checkbox"/> Research study abroad opportunities and integrate into academic plan if interested <input type="checkbox"/> Think about adding a minor or double major to fill elective requirements <input type="checkbox"/> Create Pre-Law plan or grad school if applicable. 					
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