

B.A. in American Studies

OSU-Cascades

Sample Academic Plan |

	Fall		Winter		Spring		Summer
First Year	WR 121 – English Comp MTH 105 – BC Math ALS 199 – U Engage Bacc Core: Fitness SPAN 111 – 1 st Yr Spanish	3 3 2 2 4	WR 222 – English Comp Bacc Core: Speech ENG 253 – Intro American Lit PAC - Fitness SPAN 112 – 1 st Yr Spanish	3 3 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	14	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	
	Co-Curricular and Academic Opportunities First Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in FY campus read and FY experiences • Check out resources for student wellness, time management and study skills • Attend club meetings of interest • Attend a campus workshop • Pre-Law students consider applying for 3+3 Law program, must decide in First Year 					
Second Year	Bacc Core: Bio Science PS 201 or other AMS LD elective HST 202 – US History SPAN 211 – 2 nd Yr Spanish	4 4 4 4	HST 203 – US History CLA Core: Fine Arts CLA Core: Social Science SPAN 212 – 2 nd Yr Spanish	4 4 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	
	Co-Curricular and Academic Opportunities Second Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check out Career Development Center resources • Learn about Undergraduate Research opportunities • Attend campus events (try at least 1 per term) • Research study abroad opportunities and integrate into academic plan if interested • Think about adding a minor or double major to fill elective requirements 					

Third Year	AMS 350 – American Culture Viet. Free Elective Free Elective – upper division Free Elective	4 3 4 4	AMS upper division elective Bacc Core: Social Process & Inst. Synthesis: Sci., Tech Society CLA Core: Humanities	4 4 3 4	AMS upper division elective CLA Core: Nonwestern Culture CLA Core: Additional Course Free Elective	4 4 4 4	
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	14	Total Credits	16	
	Co-Curricular and Academic Opportunities Third Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to work with Career Development Center to determine career or graduate school goals. • Plan your experiential education experiences: internship, leadership, volunteer, research, writing • Research grad schools and prep application process 					
Fourth Year	ENG 445 – Personal Essay, WIC AMS 311 – Special Topics ENG 386 – Am. Culture Lit/Arts Free Elective	4 4 4 4	ENG 387 – Am. Culture Lit/Arts AMS upper division elective Free Elective – upper division Free Elective	4 4 4 4	ENG 388 – Am. Culture Lit/Arts AMS 406 – AMS Portfolio Upper Div Elective Free Elective – upper division	4 1 4 4	
	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	13	
	Co-Curricular and Academic Opportunities Fourth Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connect with Dr. Browne about Portfolio requirement • Apply to grad school by deadlines (if applicable) • Begin post grad job search, develop resume, continue connecting with Career Development Center • Plan for Commencement Ceremony and celebrations in June! 					

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Second Year	Bacc Core: Bio Science PS 201 or other AMS LD elective Bacc Core: Western Culture Free Elective	4 4 4 4	HST 203 – US History Comp Sci – B. Sci requirement CLA Core: Social Science Free Elective	4 4 3 4	CLA Core: Fine Arts Bacc Core: Additional Science Diff, Power, Discrimination Free Elective	4 4 3 4	
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	Co-Curricular and Academic Opportunities Second Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check out Career Development Center resources • Learn about Undergraduate Research opportunities • Attend campus events (try at least 1 per term) • Research study abroad opportunities and integrate into academic plan if interested • Think about adding a minor. Minor courses can double count with CLA and Bacc Core (ART, COMM, Sustainability, and Political Science, Writing online...) 					

Third Year	AMS 350 – American Culture Viet. Free Elective – upper division Free Elective College of Sci – B. Sci req	4 4 4 3	AMS upper division elective Bacc Core: Social Process & Inst. Synthesis: Sci., Tech Society CLA Core: Humanities	4 4 3 4	AMS upper division elective CLA Core: Nonwestern Culture CLA Core: Additional Course Free Elective	4 4 4 4	
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