

CLS College Core Requirements

STUDENTS MUST Declare a track in the CLS Advising office in 260 Morris Hall for it to appear on their AR report

Basic guidelines:

1. Students majoring in English or in a Modern Language must earn a Bachelor of Arts degree.
2. Students majoring in other CLS programs may choose either a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science degree.
3. Language courses (e.g., FRE, CHI, SPA, MLG) used to fulfill General Education: Math/Logical Systems (category 2) may also be used to meet the BA and BS language requirements.
4. All other courses used to meet the requirements below must be in addition to the minimum 39 credits required in the General Education Program.
5. At least one course in your College Core/Degree program must be a CLS designated diversity course.
6. Applicable courses may be found on the CLS BA/BS Degree Program Option Course list on the CLS website.

Bachelor of Science- Courses used to fulfill General Education requirements will not apply

(except as noted in #3 above)

Complete four courses OUTSIDE your major DEPARTMENT

1. One must be a lab science course from the General Education list
2. One must be a social science course
3. Another social science course or General Education natural science, or math course or an approved CLS alternative (ENV201, PHL 334, PHL 339)
4. One additional course in humanities or fine arts or complete a modern language course at the 102 level or higher

Bachelor of Arts- Language Track

1. Complete CHI 202 or FRE 202 or GER 202 or RUS 202 or SPA 202 or MLG 202 or MLG 304 or ESL proficiency score of 80 or above on the La Crosse Battery of exams for non-native speakers of English. (Contact the English as a Second Language Institute for eligibility and regulations)
2. Complete TWO additional courses in humanities, social sciences or fine arts (outside your major department)

Bachelor of Arts- Humanities Track

1. Complete one modern language course at the 102 level or higher or an OIE approved semester long study abroad experience COMBINED with the INS 250, 251, 252 sequence
2. Complete **two** additional courses outside your major department from two different departments chosen from HIS, ENG or PHL
3. Complete one additional course in social sciences or fine arts

Bachelor of Arts-Fine Arts Track

1. Complete one modern language course at the 102 level or higher or an OIE approved semester long study abroad experience COMBINED with the INS 250, 251, 252 sequence
2. Complete **two** additional courses outside your major department from two different departments chosen from ART, CST, MUS or THA
3. Complete one additional course in social sciences or humanities