

PROGRAM:	Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies (GSWS)
Course Plan to Complete a:	B.A. Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies <i>(example of a humanities emphasis)</i>

[Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies, B.A. \(Catalogue\)](#)

Year 1							
Fall				Spring			
Prefix	Course #	Course Name (catalogue)	Credits	Prefix	Course #	Course Name (catalogue)	Credits
GSWS	001*	D2:Gender Sexuality Women's Study (social science distribution)	3	GSWS 042/ENGS 042		Women in Literature	3
		TAP Seminar	3	GSWS 035/THE 041		History of Costume	3
		Distribution	3-4			Distribution	3-4
		Distribution	3			D1 Diversity	3
		Elective	3			Elective	3
			15-16				15-16
Year 2							
Fall				Spring			
Prefix	Course #	Course Name (catalogue)	Credits	Prefix	Course #	Course Name (catalogue)	Credits
GSWS	100*	Gender and Feminism(s)	3	GSWS 105/POLS 119		D2:LGBT Politics and History	3
GSWS 142/ENGS 158**		19th-Century Women's Writing	3	GSWS 120/PHIL 170**		Feminism: Theories and Issues	3
		Distribution	4			Distribution/Sustainability	3
		D2 - Diversity (Non-European Cultures)	3			Distribution	3
		Elective	3			Elective	3
			15-16				15
Year 3							
Fall				Spring			
Prefix	Course #	Course Name (catalogue)	Credits	Prefix	Course #	Course Name (catalogue)	Credits
GSWS	191*	Internship	3	HLTH	140	Issues in Women's Health	3
	1XX**	GSWS approved elective	3	1XX**		GSWS approved elective	3
ENGS	169**	Queer Topics in Lit & Cult Studies	3			Minor	3
		Minor	3			Minor	3
		Distribution	3			Elective	3
			15				15
Year 4							
Fall				Spring			
Prefix	Course #	Course Name (catalogue)	Credits	Prefix	Course #	Course Name (catalogue)	Credits
GSWS 258/POLS235**		Gender and Law	3	GSWS	200*	Senior Seminar	3
		Minor	3			Minor	3
		Minor	3			Elective	3
		Elective	3			Elective	3
		Elective	3			Elective	3
			15				15

Notes:

>This model 4-year academic plan is weighted toward the Humanities.

>The English Department course, "Queer Topics in Literary and Cultural Studies" (ENGS 169) is one of many options that fulfills the GSWS recommendation for additional theoretical or methodological training for students in traditional disciplines --to enhance their expertise in either humanities or social science methods beyond the training offered in the GSWS required curriculum.

Major = 30 credits including

***CORE (15 credits):** GSWS 001, GSWS 100, GSWS 105, GSWS 200, and GSWS 191 or 192.

****Concentration:** 15 approved GSWS credits of which 4 courses are at or above the 100-level

Cross-Listed Courses: Many GSWS courses are cross-listed with courses in other disciplines. Cross-listed courses on this sample academic plan include:

- GSWS 035 cross-listed with THE 041 [this course could count toward the fine arts distribution requirement]
- GSWS 042 cross-listed with ENGS 042 [this course could count toward the literature distribution requirement]
- GSWS 105 cross-listed with POLS 119 [this course could count toward the social science distribution requirement]
- GSWS 120 cross-listed with PHIL 170 [this course could count toward the humanities distribution requirement]
- GSWS 142 cross-listed with ENGS 158
- GSWS 258 cross-listed with POLS 235 [this course could count toward the social sciences distribution requirement]

Distribution Requirements: B.A. degrees in the College of Arts and Sciences require completion of 7 distribution categories:

Fine Arts: one 3-credit course in a fine arts discipline

Foreign Language: two 3-credit courses in the same foreign language

Humanities: two 3-credit courses in a humanities discipline

Natural Sciences: two courses from specific departments; one course must include a lab

Literature: One 3-credit course in literature

Mathematical Sciences: One math course number 17 or higher, or Statistics 51 or higher, or Computer Science 008 or higher, or Philosophy 13, or Anthropology 113/Linguistics 163, or Linguistics 075

Social Sciences: Two 3-credit courses in social science disciplines

General Requirements:

One Diversity Category 1 course – minimum 3 credits

One Diversity Category 2 course from list of D2 Non-European Cultures courses – minimum 3 credits

One Quantitative Reasoning course–minimum 3 credits

One Sustainability Category course - minimum 3 credits

One Writing and Information Literacy course– minimum 3 credits

>>A TAP course will satisfy UVM's Writing and Information Literacy requirement and might also count toward a distribution.

>>>Sustainability courses and Diversity courses might also count toward a distribution.

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