

# UNIVERSITY-WIDE & CAS GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Student pursuing a degree in the College of Arts and Sciences must complete these five requirements. (Depending on whether you are pursuing a B.A. degree or a B.S. degree, see also the list of B.A. or B.S. requirements categories, for additional degree-specific distribution requirements.)

**Writing and Information Literacy** Take one 3-credit course from this list:

COURSE:

ENGS (001, 002) HCOL (085) Any TAP (Teacher-Advisor Program) Seminar (first-time first-year CAS students only)

**Sustainability** Take one 3-credit course from this list:

COURSE:

Any course marked **SU** in the Schedule of Courses and in the Catalogue

**Quantitative Reasoning\*** Take one course from this list:

COURSE:

Any course marked **QR** in the Schedule of Courses and in the Catalogue

\* CAS students are advised to meet this requirement with a course that will fulfill the **Mathematical Sciences distribution requirement**

**Race Relations and Ethnicity in the U.S.** Take one 3-credit course from this list:

COURSE:

Any course marked Diversity Category 1 (**D1**): Race and Racism in the U.S.

**Non-European Cultures\*** Take one 3-credit course from this list:

COURSE:

ANTH (021, 024, 028, 059, 076, 085, 089, 104, 172, 173, 174, 179)	HST (009, 010, 045, 046, 055, 063, 067, 141, 142, 144, 146, 150, 151, 240, 250, 252)
ARTH (008, 146, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 192)	LING (161)
CLAS (145)	MU (007, 014, 107)
DNCE (005, 006, 031, 033, 037, 155)	PHIL (121)
EC (040, 045)	POLS (157, 162, 167, 174, 176, 177, 270)
ENGS (060, 062, 179, 182)	REL (020, 021, 023, 029, 030, 031, 040, 132, 133, 141, 234)
ENVS (167)	SOC (112, 155, 171, 212, 272)
GEOG (050, 150)	SPAN (145, 146, 269, 294)
GRS (001, 157, 167, 200)	THE (077)
GSWS (165)	WLIT (020, 025, 109, 110, 119, 129, 145)
HSOC (089, 103)	

\* This CAS category meets UVM's requirement of Diversity Category 2 (**D2**): Diversity of Human Experience.

## KEEP IN MIND:

- Requirements may not be taken on a "pass/no pass" basis.
- Special topics courses (095, 096, 195, 196, 295, 296), as well as courses that are cross-listed with those above, may meet general and distribution requirements; check with CAS Student Services (cas@uvm.edu).
- A course used to fulfill any of the four requirements above may also be applied towards a distribution requirement.
- No course may fulfill more than one B.A. or B.S. distribution requirement, except a foreign language literature course, which would fulfill both the Foreign Language distribution requirement and the Literature distribution requirement.
- No more than three courses from the same department can be used to satisfy B.A. or B.S. distribution requirements.
- Major and minor requirements may also be used to fulfill general and B.A. or B.S. distribution requirements.
- Not all courses listed are offered every semester, or every year, so plan accordingly.
- Except where noted, only courses of 3 credits or more will satisfy B.A. or B.S. distribution requirements.

# B.A. DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS

You must complete all seven categories (only courses of 3 or more credits can fulfill these requirements):

**1 Fine Arts** Take **one** course from any of these departments:

ARTH (Any)      ARTS (Any)      DNCE (Any)      FTS (Any)      MU (Any)      THE (not Speech)

(MUE, MUL, and DNCE performance courses (1 and 2 credits each) may only satisfy this category if their cumulative credits total or are greater than 3)

**2 Foreign Language** Take **two** courses in the same foreign language at the appropriate level.\*

ASL (001,002, 051, 052, 101, 102)    CHIN    FREN    GERM    GRK    HEBR    ITAL    JAPN    LAT    RUSS    SPAN

\* Appropriate level is determined for you by the offering department. The following courses are **not** approved for this category: ASL 195, 196; CHIN 020, 095, 096; FREN 095, 096; ITAL 095, 096; JAPN 095, 096, 121, 122, 221, 222; SPAN 010, 095, 096.

**3 Humanities** Take **two** courses from this list:

ARTH (Any)      GRK (205)      PHIL (Any course except 013)  
 CLAS (015, 021, 022, 023, 024, 121, 122, 147, 150, 163)    HS (139, 180, 190, 191, 227)    POLS (041, 182, and any courses within the 140s and 240s)  
 DNCE (050)      HST (Any)      REL (Any)  
 MU (001, 005, 010, 012, 014, 015, 105, 111, 112)

**4 Literature** Take **one** course from this list:

CLAS (015, 042)      HS (017)  
 ENGS (Any course except: 001, 002, 005, 050, 051, 053, 081, 102, 103, 104, 105, 107, 108, 114, 117, 118, 119, 120, 191, 192, 211, 212)    ITAL (Any course numbered above 100)  
 FREN (Any course numbered 141 or above except: 201, 209, 292, 293)    LAT (Any course numbered above 100 except: 211, 212)  
 GERM (Any course numbered above 100 except: 122)    RUSS (Any course numbered above 100 except: 101, 121, 122, 221, 222)  
 GRK (Any course numbered above 200)    SPAN (Any course numbered 140 or above except: 201, 202, 212, 217, 290, 291, 294)  
 GSWS (042)      WLIT (Any)

\* Certain ENGS 005 courses will fulfill this requirement; contact CAS Student Services if you have questions about a particular course.

**5 Mathematical Sciences** Take **one** course from this list:

ANTH (113)      MATH (Any course numbered 017 or higher)  
 CS (Any course numbered 008 or higher)    PHIL (013)  
 LING (075, 163)      STAT (Any course numbered 051 or higher)

**6 Social Sciences** Take **two** courses from this list:

ANTH (Any)    GEOG (Any course except: 040, 140, 143, 148)    POLS (Any course except: 041, 182, and all courses within the 140s and 240s)    VS (052)  
 CRES (061)    GSWS (001)  
 CSD (094)    HSOC (054, 089, 103)    PSYS (Any course except: 111, 115, 211, 215, 216, 218)  
 EC (Any)    LING (Any)    SOC (Any)

**7 Natural Sciences** Take **two** courses from this list:

(One lab course that totals 4 credits, plus one additional course of 3-4 credits)

ASTR (Any)    BIO (Any)    GEOG (040, 140, 143, 148)    MMG (065)    PHYS (Any)  
 BCOR (Any)    CHEM (Any)    GEOL (Any)    PBIO (Any)    PSYS (111, 115, 211, 215, 216, 218)

Note: PSYS majors must take at least one Natural Sciences course outside of PSYS.