

Degree Worksheet

Mason Core Requirements		Course Information	Credits	Grades	
				Earned	Needed
Mason Core Foundation					
Written Communication (lower-level)	ENGH 101 (100)	3			
Oral Communication	COMM 101	3			
Quantitative Reasoning		3			
Information Technology & Computing		3			
Mason Core Exploration					
Arts		3			
Global Understanding		3			
Literature	May be satisfied by ARAB 325	3			
Natural Science Overview		3			
Natural Science with Lab		4			
Social and Behavioral Sciences		3			
Global History		3			
Mason Core Integration					
Written Communication (upper-level)	ENGH 302	3			
Synthesis/Capstone	May be satisfied by ARAB 351 or ARAB 440	3			
College Level Requirements for the BA Degree					
Philosophy or Religious Studies		3			
(PHIL 323, 324, 327, 393, 460 cannot be used to fulfill this requirement. PHIL 253, RELI 235, RELI 333, and RELI 339 cannot be used to fulfill both the PHIL/RELI requirement and the Mason Core literature requirement)					
Additional Social & Behavioral Sciences		3			
(The two courses used to fulfill the combined college and university requirements must be from different disciplines. This requirement may be fulfilled by completing any course in ANTH, CRIM, ECON, GOVT, HIST (except 100 or 125), LING, PSYC, or SOCI & these courses in GGS: 101, 103, 110, 301, 303, 304, 305, 306, 315, 316, 320, 325, 330, 357, 380)					
Foreign Language		0-12			
(Intermediate level in a single language by completing a course in a foreign language numbered 202 (or higher); or achieving a satisfactory score on an approved proficiency test; or by completing the following ASL three course sequence EDSE 115, 116, and EDSE 219; or students who are already proficient in a second language may be eligible for a waiver of this requirement)					
Non-Western Culture		3			
(Approved courses for this requirement may be found under Degree Requirements for the major listed within the University Catalog. The course used for this requirement may not simultaneously fulfill Mason Core Global Understanding)					
Major Requirements (30 credits)					
Students must complete major requirements with a minimum GPA of 2.0 and no grades of C- or D applied to the major					
Major Core Courses (24 credits)			Credits	Earned	Needed
Eight courses chosen from the following: ARAB 300, 330, 331, 351, 355, 375, 380, 390, 420, 430, 440, 498					
ARAB # 1		3			
ARAB # 2		3			
ARAB # 3		3			
ARAB # 4		3			
ARAB # 5		3			
ARAB # 6		3			
ARAB # 7		3			
ARAB # 8		3			
Elective Courses (6 credits)					
Two courses chosen from: ARAB 325, 360, 365, 470, and approved relevant courses in ANTH, ARTH, ENGH, GOVT, HIST, PHIL, RELI, or SOCI					

Elective # 1		3		
Elective # 2		3		

Degree Notes

No more than two courses (six credits) conducted in English may be used to fulfill requirements for the concentration in Arabic. All students must complete at least one course designated "writing intensive" in their majors at the 300 level or above. Students majoring in Foreign Languages-Arabic, may fulfill this requirement by successfully completing ARAB 331. Any remaining credits may be completed with elective courses to bring the degree total to 120 with 45 of these credits at the 300/400 level.