



Sample 4-Year Graduation Plan

| Year One: Semester One      | Credits: |
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| ENGH 101 (100) or COMM 101  | 3        |
| MATH 106                    | 3        |
| Global History              | 3        |
| ARAB 110, Elementary Arabic | 6        |
| CHSS 100 or 101 (optional)  | 1        |
|                             | 15-16    |

| Year One: Semester Two                 | Credits: |
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| ENGH 101 (100) or COMM 101             | 3        |
| Philosophy or Religious Studies course | 3        |
| Natural Science with a lab             | 4        |
| ARAB 201, Intermediate Arabic I        | 3        |
| Social/Behavioral Science              | 3        |
|  | 16       |

| Year Two: Semester One           | Credits: |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Global Understanding             | 3        |
| Natural Science without a lab    | 3        |
| ARAB elective (RELI or GOVT)     | 3        |
| ARAB 202, Intermediate Arabic II | 3        |
| Social/Behavioral Science        | 3        |
|                                  | 15       |

| Year Two: Semester Two   | Credits: 15 |
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| ARAB elective (ARAB 325, 360, 365, or 370)                     | 3           |
| ARAB 300 Advanced Arabic or ARAB 330, Reading & Conversation I | 3           |
| Elective or minor course                                       | 3           |
| Arts requirement   | 3           |
| Non-Western Culture  | 3           |
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| Year Three: Semester One            | Credits: |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| ARAB 331, Reading & Conversation II | 3        |
| ARAB 300-level core course option   | 3        |
| HIST 390                            | 3        |
| Elective                            | 3        |
| Elective or minor course            | 3        |
|                                     | 15       |

| Year Three: Semester Two                     | Credits: |
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| ARAB 300-level core course option            | 3        |
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| ENGH 302                                     | 3        |
| Elective or minor course                     | 3        |
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| CHSS/UNIV Career Readiness course (optional) | 0-1      |
|  | 15-16    |

| Year Four: Semester One  | Credits: |
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| ARAB 390, Translation Methods: Arabic to English                           | 3        |
| ARAB 420, Survey of Arabic Literature or ARAB 430, Advanced Arabic Grammar | 3        |
| Elective or minor course   | 3        |
| Elective or minor course   | 3        |
| Elective or minor course   | 3        |
|  | 15       |

| Year Four: Semester Two                              | Credits: |
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| ARAB 440, Topics in Arabic Religious Thought & Texts | 3        |
| FRLN 385, Multilingualism, Identity, & Power         | 3        |
| Elective   | 3        |
| Elective   | 3        |
| Elective or minor course                             | 3        |
|  | 12-15    |

**Degree Notes**

**THIS IS A SAMPLE SCHEDULE.** Students are not expected to hold themselves to this example. This should be used as a framework for the completion of undergraduate coursework; the University Catalog is the official reference for program information.

You need a C or better in each course in order for it to count for your major.

You need 120 credits for your B.A. degree, with 45 upper-division credits and 30 required credits for your Arabic concentration.

Students in Foreign Languages are encouraged to minor in a complementary subject during their time at GMU.

While study abroad is not required, it is highly recommended.

For advising information, visit <https://mcl.gmu.edu/undergraduate/advisingundergrad>. Questions? Contact: Ms. Xi Chen, Foreign Language Undergraduate Advisor, [xchen8@gmu.edu](mailto:xchen8@gmu.edu)

|                       | Required (Y/N) | Recommended (Y/N) |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| <b>Concentration:</b> |                |                   |
| <b>Minor:</b>         | N              | Y                 |
| <b>Internship:</b>    | N              | Y                 |



