

**Degree Worksheet**

			Grades	
			Earned	Needed
Mason Core Requirements	Course Information	Credits		
<b>Mason Core Foundation</b>				
Written Communication (lower-level)	ENGH 101 (100)	3		
Oral Communication	COMM 101	3		
Quantitative Reasoning		3		
Information Technology & Computing		3		
<b>Mason Core Exploration</b>				
Arts		3		
Global Understanding	May be satisfied by Major Requirements	3		
Literature	May be satisfied by Major Requirements	3		
Natural Science Overview		3		
Natural Science with Lab		4		
Social and Behavioral Sciences		3		
Global History		3		
<b>Mason Core Integration</b>				
Written Communication (upper-level)	ENGH 302	3		
Synthesis/Capstone	May be satisfied by RUSS 353	3		
<b>College Level Requirements for the BA Degree</b>				
<b>Philosophy or Religious Studies</b>		3		
(PHIL 323, 324, 327, 393, 460 cannot be used to fulfill this requirement. PHIL 253 and RELI 235 cannot be used to fulfill both the PHIL/RELI requirement and the Mason Core literature requirement)				
<b>Additional Social &amp; Behavioral Sciences</b>		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)				
<b>Foreign Language</b>		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)				
<b>Non-Western Culture</b>		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)				
<b>Major Requirements (33 credits)</b>				
<b>Minimum GPA of 2.0</b>				
		<b>Credits</b>	<b>Earned</b>	<b>Needed</b>
RUSS 380	Advanced Russian I	3		
RUSS 381	Advanced Russian II	3		
RUSS 480 or 481	Fourth-Year Russian	3		
<b>Two courses on Russian Culture or History (6 credits)</b>				
RUSS 353 or HIST 328	Russian Civilization or Rise of Russia	3		
RUSS 354 or HIST 329	Contemp Post-Soviet Life or Modern Russia & Soviet Union	3		
<b>Two courses on Russian literature or Cinema in Translation (6 credits)</b> chosen from: RUSS 325, 326,		6		
<b>Three courses taught in Russian (9 credits)</b> chosen from: RUSS 302, 303, 310, 311, 401, 410, 481		9		
<b>One social sciences course focused on Russia (3 credits)</b> chosen from: GOVT 338, ECON 380, GGS 330. Any other topically appropriate course in a social science discipline (ANTH, ECON, GGS, GOVT, SOCI) may be used to fulfill this requirement with the prior written approval of the director.		3		

**Degree Notes**

The major writing intensive requirement may be fulfilled by RUSS 302 or 325. 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.