

## Neumann University Core Experience

### Core Course Requirements for all Traditional Undergraduate Major Programs

Note: Requirements may be fulfilled by transcribed courses or approved equivalent experiences. Students transferring into Neumann University may meet some of the course requirements through equivalent credits accepted in transfer from regionally accredited, degree-granting institutions.

#### *Signature Courses*

<b>INT 101</b>	The Neumann Experience	1 credit
<b>THEO 104*</b>	Theological Foundations	3 credits
<b>THEO XXX</b>	One Theology course at 200 level or above	3 credits
<b>PHIL 102*</b>	Exploring Ethics	3 credits
<b>PHIL XXX</b>	Any designated PHIL course at the 200 level or above	3 credits
<b>CAPSTONE</b>	Capstone Course offered in the Major	included in major

\*Theology 104 and Philosophy 102 must be taken at Neumann University.

**SERVICE LEARNING:** Service-Learning is required within the undergraduate Core program as part of first year activities with reflection in Theology 104 and in at least one course in every major.

**Diversity-certified Course:** All first-year students entering Neumann University in Fall 2019 or after that date and all transfer students entering the class of 2023 or later are required to take one Diversity-certified course. The course may be a Core course, General Elective, or required course within the major program. Approved courses are designated as Diversity-certified.

#### *Educational Foundation in Liberal Arts*

<b>ENG 101</b>	Rhetoric and Writing I	3 credits
<b>ENG 102</b>	Rhetoric and Writing II	3 credits
<b>ENG XXX</b>	Any designated English literature course at the 100 or 200 level	3 credits

**Writing Intensive Courses:** All English 102 and Core Literature courses and one or more courses within every major are writing intensive. Writing intensive courses within the major are designated Writing Intensive.

<b>Math</b>	One of the following courses:	3 credits
	MATH 102     Introductory Statistics	
	MATH 103     College Algebra	
	MATH 106     Mathematical Decision-making	
	MATH 110     Precalculus	
	MATH 205:    Mathematical Modeling for Teachers II (for students seeking teaching certification)	
<b>Science</b>	One of the following courses:	3 credits/1 credit lab
	BIO 105/115     Principles of Biology/Lab	
	BIO 107/117     General Biology I/Lab	
	CHEM 101/111    Fundamentals of Chemistry/Lab	
	CHEM 102/112    Chemical Investigations/Lab	
	CHEM 107/117    General Chemistry I/Lab	
	ENV 105/115     Introduction to Environmental Studies/Lab	
	PHYS 105/115    Physical Science/Lab	
	PHY 107/117     Physics I/Lab	
<b>Social Sciences</b>	One of the following courses:	3 credits
	ANTHR 101        Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	
	ANTHR 102        Principles of Cultural Anthropology	
	POLSC 101        The American Political Process	
	PSYCH 101        General Psychology	
	SOC 101           Principles of Sociology	
	ECON 200         Essentials of Economics	
<b>History</b>	(Any History [ <i>HIST</i> ] course at the 100- or 200-level)	3 credits
<b>Fine Arts: Art, Music, or Theater</b>	(Any designated Art [ <i>ART</i> ], Music [ <i>MUS</i> ], Theater [ <i>THEA</i> ] course, or <i>PHIL 260, The Philosophy of Music</i> ; <i>ARTPP 180, Introduction to Arts Production and Performance</i> )	3 credits

**Language:** 3 credits (For students entering Neumann University as first year students in Fall 2019 or after that date and all transfer students entering the class of 2023 or later)

One Foreign Language course at the Elementary II level or higher or an approved Computer Science or Bioinformatics course satisfies this Core requirement. The major program may specify the language option that is most relevant to the major.

Foreign Language at the Elementary I level counts toward General Elective credit. To determine placement, refer to the Foreign Language Core Course Placement section of the Admissions portion of the Undergraduate catalog. Questions should be referred to the Academic Advisor and/or the Faculty Advisor in the major.

For alternative ways to satisfy the Foreign Language Core Requirement, refer to the Foreign Language Core Course Placement section of the Admission portion of the Undergraduate catalog. Questions should be referred to the professor who teaches the language.

**Foreign Language & Diversity:** 3 credits (For students entering Neumann University before Fall 2019)

One Foreign Language course at the Elementary II level or higher satisfies this Core requirement. Foreign Language at the Elementary I level counts toward General Elective credit. To determine placement, refer to the Foreign Language Core Course Placement section of the Admissions portion of the Undergraduate catalog.

For alternative ways to satisfy the Foreign Language Core Requirement, refer to the Foreign Language Core Course Placement section of the Admission portion of the Undergraduate catalog. Questions should be referred to the professor who teaches the language.

**TOTAL CORE CREDITS**

**41 credits**

**N.B. Course requirements for the Degree Completion Program are determined by the Division of Continuing Adult and Professional Studies.**

**(For all students entering Fall 2019; students who entered the University prior to 2019 will follow the Core in the 2018 Catalog.)**

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