**UM GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (GER)**

Beginning Autumn 2004, all UM general education courses must be taken for a traditional letter grade.

**NOTE:** Transfer students may elect an earlier catalog they have been enrolled under.

**WRITING SKILLS**

a. One English composition course, UM ENEX 101 (or E101, transfer equivalent) or score "exempt" on writing placement assessment.

b. One writing course (see Catalog for approved list) – exempt if more than 27 credits are transferred at the time of initial registration.

c. Upper-Division Writing Proficiency Assessment (taken upon completion of ENEX 101, one writing course, and 45 semester credits). Students should PASS Assessment before 1) attempting writing course for the major and 2) completing 70 credits. See the UDWPA website: www.umt.edu/writingcenter

**MATHMATICS**

At least one college math course (C grade, 2.00, or better) more advanced than intermediate algebra (above UM MATH 100 or M, transfer equivalent) or pass Mathematical Literacy Assessment (by qualification) or "exempt" with AP/CLEP score.

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE/SYMBOLIC SYSTEMS**

First year sequence of approved language courses or equivalent by exam OR an approved sequence in symbolic systems (see Catalog for approved list or FLSS, transfer equivalent).

**UPPER DIVISION CREDIT REQUIREMENT**

All students must complete 39 upper-division (UD) credits by a combination of GER, major, and elective courses.

Total UD Credits __________ Date __________ Remaining __________

**PERSPECTIVES**

At least 27 semester credits total (including transfer work evaluated by Enrollment Services). A minimum of 2 credits is required from each perspective, except for Perspective 6, Natural Sciences (N), in which 6 credits are required. A maximum of 6 credits from each perspective will count toward the GER; credit above this limit will count toward graduation but not toward General Education.

1. **Expressive Arts (A), 2-6 credits.**

2. **Literary and Artistic Studies (L), 2-6 credits.**

3. **Historical and Cultural Studies (H), 2-6 credits.**

4. **Social Sciences (S), 2-6 credits.**

5. **Ethical and Human Values (E), 2-6 credits.**

6. **Natural Sciences (N), 6 credits, including one course with laboratory experience (NL).**

**NON-WESTERN COURSE**

One "non-western" course (NW) from one of the perspectives (will count toward that perspective).

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