



<b>CERTIFICATE:</b>	General Studies Certificate
<b>CONCENTRATION:</b>	Social Sciences

Student ID (790):		Credits Required:	30
Student Name:			
Advisor Name:			

### FALL SEMESTER

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT	GRADE	NOTES
CJUS 125N	Intro to Forensic Science	3		N = Natural Science Gen Ed *Online
GEO 101/102N	Intro to Geology & Lab	4		N = Science Gen Ed (w/Lab)
PSYX 100S SOCI 101S	Intro to Psychology <b>OR</b> Intro to Sociology	3		S = Social Sciences Gen Ed
PHL 110E	Intro to Ethics	3		E = Ethics Gen Ed
WRIT 101	College Writing	3		Writing Gen Ed
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		<b>16</b>		

### SPRING SEMESTER

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT	GRADE	NOTES
M115	Probability & Linear Mathematics	4		Math Gen Ed
ANTY 101HX	Anthropology	3		H = Historical Studies Gen Ed X = Cultural & International Diversity Gen Ed
PSCI 201SY	Intro to American Government	3		S = Social Sciences Gen Ed Y = Democracy & Citizenship Gen Ed
LIT 236L	Literary Histories	3		L = Literary & Artistic Studies Gen Ed Writing II
COMX 111A	Intro to Public Speaking	3		A = Expressive Arts Gen Ed *Online
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		<b>16</b>		

#### PROGRAM INFORMATION

Students that earn a General Studies Certificate with an emphasis in Social Sciences are on a path to earning an Associate of Arts or Bachelor's Degree. General education course work prepares UM Bitterroot students to be competent, well rounded individuals who think critically, communicate effectively, and have the essential skills to thrive in today's world. Continue education at Bitterroot College pursuing a general AA, CTS in Addiction Studies or any of Missoula College Associate Degree Options. and then attend the University of Montana's following Colleges:  
 College of Humanities & Sciences where you can pursue a major in Communication Studies, Psychology, Anthropology, Speech Language Pathology, Addiction Studies, Political Science, and more.  
 College of Arts & Media where you can pursue a career in journalism, music, theater & dance, or visual & media arts.  
 Phyllis J. Washington College of Education where you can pursue studies in teaching or counseling.

#### HOW DO GENERAL EDUCATION CREDITS TRANSFER?

Students can complete a set of courses known as the MUS Core transferrable gen ed curriculum (MUS Core), consisting of 30 lower-division credits distributed across six categories. Each campus in the MUS has identified a set of classes that will satisfy the MUS Core requirements. \*Note: students may still be required to take additional general education coursework at the upper-division level.

**BONUS:** This option comes with an important bonus. Students who have not completed the entire 30-credit MUS Core general education curriculum may still use it to transfer if they have completed at least 20 of the required credits. If the student has earned at least 20 MUS Core credits, they can work with their advisor to determine whether they will complete the remaining MUS Core requirements at the new campus or if they will roll their 20 MUS Core credits into the new campus' general education program. If the student has earned less than 20 MUS Core credits, they must complete the new campus' general education program, but the MUS Core courses will be reviewed for possible transfer credit towards the new campus' general education program.

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