

Academic Worksheet for Undergraduate Degree Requirements

This worksheet is for student planning only. It is not necessary to return this form to the Office of Academic Advising.

Freshman Seminar

- Will complete one Freshman Seminar course (3 or 4 credits) during the first year.
- Not required - entering W&M with 24 credits or more, not including AP or IB credits or other credits earned before graduation from high school.

Proficiencies

1. Foreign Language

- Will take four semesters of a new language (levels 101, 102, 201, and 202).
- Will continue with a language begun in high school. Placement determined by achievement tests taken during high school or by using the following rule: each year of a high school language equals one semester at the college level.
- Will continue with a language for which some transfer credit has been received.
- Completed fourth year level (or higher) of a language in high school.
- Awarded College Board Achievement Test score of 600 or higher (650 or higher for Latin).
- Awarded Advanced Placement Test score of 3 or better in French, German, or Spanish. (For Latin, see AP section of the catalog).
- Awarded transfer credit for the 202 level in a foreign language.
- Native language is not English. Exemption determined by the chair of Modern Languages Department at the student's request.

Courses needed (if any):

Course 1	<input style="width: 150px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	Course 2	<input style="width: 150px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>
Course 3	<input style="width: 150px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	Course 4	<input style="width: 150px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>

2. Writing

- Will take Writing 101 or a Freshman Seminar with a "W" designation.
- Awarded Advanced Placement or IB exemption from Writing 101.
- Awarded transfer credit for Writing 101.

3. Digital Information Literacy (DIL)

- Completed and passed the DIL exam on the web (<http://www.wm.edu/dil>) prior to the deadline.
- Will take INTR 160 – Digital Information Literacy in the Spring semester. *You must notify Edward Pratt, the Dean of Undergraduate Studies, prior to the DIL deadline if you intend to fulfill the requirement by taking this course. Send an email to eeprat@wm.edu.*

General Education Requirements (GERs)

Only courses approved for GER credit may be used to fulfill these requirements. GER credit is displayed in the *Undergraduate Catalog* and in the registration *Class Search* in Banner Self Service. These requirements (except GER 6) must be met with three or four credit courses. A single course may fulfill, at most, two GERs and may also be used to fulfill major, minor and/or proficiency requirements. These courses may not be taken pass/fail except for those that are only taught pass/fail, such as physical activity courses in the Kinesiology Department.

GER 1 – Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning (1 course)

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GER 2 – Natural Sciences (2 courses + 1 lab)

	2A – Physical Sciences (1 course)
	2B – Biological Sciences (1 course)
	Lab associated with one of the courses above

GER 3 – Social Sciences (2 courses)

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GER 4 – World Cultures and History (3 courses)

	4A – History and Culture in the European Tradition (1 course)
	4B – History and Culture outside the European Tradition (1 course)
	4C – Cross-Cultural Issues (1 course, or substitute an additional 4A or 4B)

Check the course combination that will fulfill the GER 4 requirement for you:

ABC ABA ABB

GER 5 – Literature and History of the Arts (1 course)

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GER 6 – Creative and Performing Arts (2 credits in the same instrument or creative/performing art)

- Exemption based on prior experience. Departments will have defined guidelines for exemptions. *All exemptions must be attempted and completed within a student's first two years in residence.*
- Will complete two credits of a GER6 course or sequence of courses in one of the creative or performance arts categories.

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GER 7 – Philosophical, Religious, and Social Thought (1 course)

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