# General Education Requirements

These requirements are intended to promote breadth of knowledge, integration of disciplinary perspectives, and understanding of diverse cultures. Wofford's program seeks to develop skills in reading, written and oral communication, use of technology, critical thinking, creative expression, numerical reasoning, problem solving, and collaborative and independent learning. The college identifies these competencies as vital to intellectual and personal growth. While these competencies are developed in all courses in the curriculum, they are the explicit focus of general education courses.

Courses which meet General Education requirements are listed below. The same course may not be used to satisfy more than one General Education requirement, but can be used to satisfy major requirements.

#### **CULTURES AND PEOPLES, 3 Credit Hours**

Courses meeting this requirement focus on the study of cultures other than European and European-settler cultures, or the interaction between and comparison of European and non-western cultures. A complete list of approved Cultures & Peoples course can found on the Registrar's website (http://www.wofford.edu/registrar/CulturesAndPeoples) . On the schedule, these courses are designated with the attribute of 'CP'.

#### **ENGLISH, 6 Credit Hours**

- ENGL 102 Seminar in Literature and Composition AND
- One 200-level English (ENGL) course (excluding ENGL 260)

#### **FINE ARTS, 3-4 Credit Hours**

This requirement is met by completing one of the following options:

One Art History (A	ARTH) course at the 200-or 300-level	3
One Studio Art (A	RTS) course at the 200-level	3
One Music (MUS)	course at the 200-level (except for MUS 220)	3
,	EA) course at the 200-level (except EA 385 or THEA 390	3
Select four semes	ster hours from the following courses:	4
MUS 100	Men's Glee Club	
MUS 101	Wofford Singers	
MUS 102	Women's Choir	
MUS 103	Group Classical Guitar	
MUS 150	Concert Band	
MUS 151	String Ensemble	
MUS 260	Music Laboratory	
MUS 301	Chamber Singers	
MUS 302	Instrumental Chamber Music	
MUS 351	Wofford Concert Orchestra	
THEA 210	Stagecraft	

#### **FOREIGN LANGUAGES, 3-10 Credit Hours**

Foreign language placement is made by the faculty of the Department of Modern Languages, Literatures & Cultures and is normally determined by the student's previous level and amount of foreign language study. The requirement is met by successfully completing a course sequence

(101/102) or one 200-level course as noted below. Arabic is offered periodically. Students may use the Arabic sequence (identified in the class schedule as MLLC 280/281, Modern Standard Arabic I and II) to fulfill the foreign language requirement. BOTH MLLC 280 and 281 are required to complete the requirement. Please note introductory-level Chinese (CHIN 101/102) and Arabic (MLLC 280/281) language courses meet everyday and are 5 credit hours each.

#### **HISTORY, 3 Credit Hours**

This requirement is met by:

,	Select one of the following:		
	HIST 100	History of Ancient and Medieval Western Civilization to 1350	
	HIST 101	History of Early Modern Western Civilization to 1815	
	HIST 102	History of Modern Western Civilization Since 1815	

#### **HUMANITIES 101, 3 Credit Hours**

Every new freshman is required to take HUM 101 Freshman Seminar in Humanities during the fall semester of their initial year of enrollment. Students who do not pass the course during the fall semester of their freshman year will be required to retake it during the spring semester of their freshman year.

#### **MATHEMATICS, 3 Credit Hours**

Any three-credit hour course in Mathematics (MATH).

### PHILOSOPHY, 3 Credit Hours

Any three-credit hour course in Philosophy (PHIL).

#### **WELLNESS, 2 Credit Hours**

Two one-credit hour courses with one credit hour of First Year Interaction Seminar (FYI 101) in the fall semester and one-credit hour of Physical Education (PHED).

#### **RELIGION, 3 Credit Hours**

One 200-level Religion (REL) course.

## NATURAL SCIENCE, B.A. DEGREE, 8 Credit Hours

The natural science requirement is met by successfully completing a two-course sequence(i.e. PHY 121/122) from the Bachelor of Science track *OR* by taking one life science and one physical science chosen from the following:

#### **Life Sciences**

BIO 104	Biology: Concepts & Methods (with lab)	4
BIO 150	Biological Inquiry (with lab)	4
BIO 151	Biological Development (with lab)	4
BIO 212	Introduction to Genetics & Molecular Biology (with lab)	4
BIO 214	Introduction to Cellular Biology (with lab)	4
COSC 150	Scientific Investigations Using Computation	4
PSY 104	Psychology: Concepts & Method	4
PSY 150	Introduction to Psychological Science (with lab)	4
PSY 200	Experimental Methods (with lab)	4
PSY 230	Biological Psychology (with lab)	4
PSY 300	Learning & Adaptive Behavior (with lab)	4
PSY 310	Cognitive Science (with lab)	4
PSY 315	Sensation & Perception (with lab)	4
ENVS 150	Introduction to Earth System Science (with lab)	4
ENVS 151	Analyzing & Modeling Earth Systems (with lab)	4
ENVS 203	Introduction to Environmental Science (with lab)	4
<b>Physical Sciences</b>		
CHEM 104	Chemistry: Concepts & Methods (with lab)	4
CHEM 123	General Chemistry I (with lab)	4
CHEM 124	General Chemistry II (with lab)	4
COSC 150	Scientific Investigations Using Computation	4
PHY 104	Physics: Concepts & Methods (with lab)	4
PHY 121	General Physics I (with lab)	4
PHY 122	General Physics II (with lab)	4
PHY 141	Physics for Science & Engineering I (with lab)	4
PHY 142	Physics for Science & Engineering II (with lab)	4

ENVS 150	Introduction to Earth System Science (with lab)	4
ENVS 151	Analyzing & Modeling Earth Systems (with lab)	4
ENVS 203	Introduction to Environmental Science (with lab)	4

## NATURAL SCIENCE, B.S. DEGREE, 16 Credit Hours

This requirement is met by successfully completing four courses, two twocourse sequences from different departments (i.e. CHEM 123/124 and PHY 121/122), chosen from the following list:

BIO 150	Biological Inquiry (with lab)	4
BIO 151	Biological Development (with lab)	4
BIO 212	Introduction to Genetics & Molecular Biology (with lab)	4
BIO 214	Introduction to Cellular Biology (with lab)	4
ENVS 150	Introduction to Earth System Science (with lab)	4
ENVS 151	Analyzing & Modeling Earth Systems (with lab)	4
CHEM 123	General Chemistry I (with lab)	4
CHEM 124	General Chemistry II (with lab)	4
PHY 121	General Physics I (with lab)	4
PHY 122	General Physics II (with lab)	4
PHY 141	Physics for Science & Engineering I (with lab)	4
PHY 142	Physics for Science & Engineering II (with lab)	4
PSY 150	Introduction to Psychological Science (with lab)	4
PSY 200	Experimental Methods (with lab)	4
PSY 230	Biological Psychology (with lab)	4
PSY 300	Learning & Adaptive Behavior (with lab)	4
PSY 310	Cognitive Science (with lab)	4
PSY 315	Sensation & Perception (with lab)	4

Note that some science courses have prerequisites or require permission of instructor.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Students earning credit through AP, CLEP, IB, etc. for BIO 101/102 or ENVS 110/111 may apply those hours to either the BA or BS natural science general education requirement.