# 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.

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

All new first-year students are required to take HUM 101 First-Year Seminar in the Humanities during the fall semester of their initial year of enrollment. Students who do not pass the course during the fall semester will be required to retake it during the spring semester of their first-year of enrollment.

Course	Title	Hours
HUM 101	First-Year Seminar in the Humanities	3

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

Two one-credit hour courses, First Year Interaction Seminar (FYI 101) and any Physical Education (PHED) course.

Course	Title	Hours
FYI 101	First-Year Interaction Seminar	1
Physical Education	n, (PHED 100-level)	1

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

Foreign language placement is determined by the faculty of the Department of Modern Languages, Literatures & Cultures and is typically based on the student's previous level and quantity of foreign language study. The requirement is met by successfully completing a course sequence (101/102) **OR** one 200-level course as noted below. *Please note introductory-level Chinese (CHIN 101/102) and Arabic (ARBC 101/102) language courses meet everyday and are 5 credit hours each.* 

Course	Title	Hours
Select one of the following:		10 or 4
ARBC 101 & ARBC 102	Beginning Active Arabic and Beginning Active Arabic	
ARBC 201	Intermediate Active Arabic	
ARBC 202	Intermediate Active Arabic	
Select one of the following:		10 or 5
CHIN 101 & CHIN 102	Beginning Active Chinese and Beginning Active Chinese	
CHIN 201	Low Intermediate Chinese	
CHIN 202	Low Intermediate Chinese	
Select one of the following:		6 or 3

FREN 101 & FREN 102	Beginning Active French and Beginning Active French	
FREN 201	Intermediate Active French	
FREN 202	Intermediate Active French	
Select one of the	he following:	6 or 3
GER 101 & GER 102	Beginning Active German and Beginning Active German	
GER 201	Intermediate Active German	
GER 202	Intermediate Active German	
Select one of the	Select one of the following:	
SPAN 101 & SPAN 102	Beginning Active Spanish and Beginning Active Spanish	
SPAN 200	Communication & Culture	
SPAN 201	Intermediate Active Spanish	
SPAN 202	Intermediate Active Spanish	

## **ENGLISH, 6 Credit Hours**

ENGL 102 Seminar in Literature and Composition is required of all students and one 200-level English (ENGL) literature course (excluding ENGL 260).

Course	Title	Hours
ENGL 102	Seminar in Literature and Composition	3
English 200-level		3
Select one of the fo	ollowing:	
ENGL 200	Introduction to Literary Study	
ENGL 201	English Literature to 1800	
ENGL 202	English Literature Since 1800	
ENGL 203	Survey of American Literature	
ENGL 204	Survey of World Literature	
ENGL 205	Introduction to the Study of Film	

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

This requirement is met by completing one of the three- or four-credit options below.

Course	Title	Hours
Art History (ARTH	f), 200-or 300-level course	3
Studio Art (ARTS	), 200-level course	3
Music (MUS), 200	)-level course (except for MUS 220)	3
Theatre (THEA), course	200-level (except THEA 210), 385 or 390	3
THEA 210		4
Applied Music co	urses:	4
MUS 100	Men's Glee Club	
MUS 101	Wofford Singers	
MUS 102	Women's Choir	
MUS 150	Concert Band	
MUS 151	String Ensemble	
MUS 260	Private Instruction	
MUS 301	Chamber Singers	
MUS 302	Instrumental Chamber Music	
MUS 351	Wofford Concert Orchestra	

### **CULTURES & 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'.

#### **SOCIAL SCIENCE, 3 Credit Hours**

One three-credit hour course from the following options:

Course	Title	Hours
ANTH 201	Introduction to Archaeology and Physical Anthropology	
ANTH 202	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology and Communications	
ANTH 225	Human Ecology	
ANTH 300	Ethnography	
ANTH 310	Ethnographic Film	
ANTH 311	Ecological Anthropology	
ANTH 312	Medical Anthropology	
ANTH 313	Cultures of Southeast Asia and Oceania	
ECO 201	Principles of Microeconomics	
ECO 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	
EDUC 200	Foundations of Education	
ENVS 201	Introduction to Environmental Social Science	
ENVS 313	Sustainable Food Systems	
GOV 202	Foundations of American Politics	
INTL 203	Foundations of World Politics	
INTL 260	Comparing States & Societies	
SOC 210	Introduction to Sociology	
SOC 215	Social Problems	
SOC 240	Race and Ethnicity	
SOC 250	Sex & Gender Across Cultures	
SOC 302	Environmental Sociology	
SOC 315	Sex, Gender and the Family	
SOC 320	Social Psychology	
SOC 326	Social Inequalities & Stratification	
SOC 340	The Development of Sociological Theory	
SOC 346	Globalization & Society	

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

One 100-level History (HIST) course.

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

One 200-level Religion (REL) course.

#### PHILOSOPHY, 3 Credit Hours

One Philosophy (PHIL) at any level.

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

One Mathematics (MATH) at any level.

#### **NATURAL SCIENCE, 7-8 Credit Hours**

The natural science requirement is met by successfully completing two courses, either two lab science courses *OR* one lab science and one science in context course. Lab science courses give students hand-on experience in doing science while science in context courses explore features that make science an important way of understanding the natural world in contemporary society.

Course	Title	Hours
Lab Science Cours	ses	
BIO 150	Biological Inquiry (with lab)	
BIO 212	Introduction to Genetics & Molecular Biology (with lab)	
BIO 214	Introduction to Cellular Biology (with lab)	
CHEM 104	Chemistry: Concepts & Methods (with lab)	
CHEM 123	General Chemistry I (with lab)	
CHEM 124	General Chemistry II (with lab)	
COSC 150	Scientific Investigations Using Computation (with lab)	
ENVS 150	Introduction to Earth System Science (with lab)	
ENVS 160	Introduction to Sustainability Science (with lab)	
ENVS 203	Introduction to Environmental Science (with lab)	
PHY 104	Physics: Concepts & Methods (with lab)	
PHY 121	General Physics I (with lab)	
PHY 122	General Physics II (with lab)	
PHY 141	Physics for Science & Engineering I (with lab)	
PHY 142	Physics for Science & Engineering II (with lab)	
PSY 104	Psychology: Concepts & Methods (with lab)	
PSY 150	Introduction to Psychological Science (with lab)	
PSY 230	Biological Psychology (with lab)	
Science in Contex	t Courses	
BIO 103	Biology: Science in Context	
CHEM 103	Chemistry: Science in Context	
ENVS 103	Environmental Studies: Science in Context	
ENVS 160	Introduction to Sustainability Science (with lab)	
PHY 103	Physics: Science in Context	
PHY 202	Energy	
PSY 103	Psychology: Science in Context	

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