

CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS FOR A NEWBERRY COLLEGE DEGREE

The candidate for a degree from Newberry College qualifies by satisfactorily completing a minimum of 126 semester hours with the proper grade-point average including specified courses, by satisfying the Communication Across the Curriculum Program requirement (page 44) and by fulfilling the Fine Arts and Lectures requirement (page 44). The degree program includes the Core Curriculum, major field requirements, electives, and the Fine Arts and Lectures requirement.

Regardless of which major is chosen, degree candidates include in their program of study specified areas of work designed to broaden training and to provide a foundation on which to build a liberal arts education.

2007 CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS FOR A NEWBERRY COLLEGE DEGREE FOR STUDENTS WHO ENTERED NEWBERRY COLLEGE ON OR AFTER AUGUST 17, 2007

The Newberry College Core Curriculum requires **52-56** semester hours of **ALL** students in the following areas:

A. COLLEGE LIFE 1-3 hours

1. COL 101, First Year Experience- Introduction (**2 hours**) and
2. COL 102, First Year Experience-Engagement (**1 hour**), or
3. COL 105 (*1 hour - Music majors only*)

B. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION SKILLS 9 hours

1. SPE 110 (**3 hours**)
2. ENG 111, 112 (**6 hours**)

C. HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS 9 hours

1. One ENG course from ENG 221 or higher (**3 hours**)
2. One designated course from ENG, HUM, PHI, SPA 300 level Literature, ART 211, MUS 150/151, SPE 204 (**3 hours**), or HON 101 or HON 102 (**4 hours**)
(*PHI 110 or HUM 101 do not satisfy the Humanities/Fine Arts requirement of the Core.*)
3. Three semester hours of ART, MUSIC, or THEATRE courses, as designated by department (**3 hours**) Music Education majors take MUS 342.

OR - HON 101 & HON 102 satisfy **all** Core class requirements for **Area C**.

Note: Music majors are encouraged to take art or theatre to broaden their perspectives.

D. NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS 10-12 hours

1. One designated Laboratory Science (BIO, CHE, PHY, or SCI) (**4 hours**)
 2. One designated MAT course (**3-4 hours**)
 3. One additional course from BIO, CHE, PHY, SCI, CSC, MAT, PHI 110, SSC 230, HON 201, or HON 202 (**3-4 hours**)
- **OR - HON 201 & HON 202** satisfy Core requirements for **D1 & D3**

E. HISTORY AND SOCIAL SCIENCES 9 hours

1. HIS 111, 112, 121, or 122 (**3 hours**)
 2. TWO 3-hour courses, selected from TWO different of the following areas:
ECO, GEO, HIS, POS, PSY, SOC (**6 hours**) or HON 301 or HON 302
- **OR - HON 301 & HON 302** satisfy **all** Core class requirements for **Area E**.

F. RELIGION AND ETHICS 12 hours

1. Complete one of the options: 1-a or 1-b (**6 hours**)
 - a) REL 111 and REL 112; or
 - b) REL 110 and any additional religion or ethics course or MUS 341.
2. One of the following Reformation courses: (**3 hours**) HIS 322, REL 203, REL 207, REL 322, REL 380
3. One of the following ethics courses: (**3 hours**)
BUA 311, PHI 120, PHI 220, PHI 312, REL 213, SCI 114

Note: Students taking REL 111 or REL 112 may not take REL 110 or vice versa.

G. PHYSICAL EDUCATION 2 hours

1. Two semester hours selected from:
TWO different PHYSICAL EDUCATION activity courses: PHE 099, PHE 100, PHE 101, PHE 102, PHE 103, PHE 104, PHE 108, PHE 109, PHE 110, PHE 111, PHE 112, PHE 113, PHE 114
or MUE 101 and ONE PHYSICAL EDUCATION activity course;
or MILITARY SCIENCE courses (**2 hours**)

Note: Student athletes participating in varsity level sports at Newberry College earn 1 hour credit for each full season of participation (up to a total of 2 hours), which may be substituted for Physical Education activity courses.

H. OTHER GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

1. **COMMUNICATION ACROSS THE CURRICULUM PROGRAM**
(CACP) – *See requirements page 44.*
2. **FINE ARTS & LECTURES EVENTS (FAL)** – *See requirements page 44.*
3. **TECHNOLOGY** – *All students must pass a Basic Use of Computers Competency Test. See requirements page 45.*