



UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-DEARBORN
OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE
College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters Curriculum Guide for 2009-2010

This information is only to serve as a guide for those students planning a major in one of the areas below. Students are advised to consult the current UM-Dearborn Catalog when planning a transfer program.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Anthropology• Art History• Behavioral Sciences• Communications• Criminal Justice Studies• Economics• English• Environmental Studies• French Studies | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health Policy Studies• Hispanic Studies• History• Humanities• International Studies• Liberal Studies• Mathematics• Philosophy• Political Science | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Psychology• Social Studies• Sociology• Urban & Regional Studies• Women's & Gender Studies• Secondary Teacher Certification |
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DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS

ENGLISH COMPOSITION: (6 hrs.) from ENGL 1510 and 1520 or 2200. (Students are required to take an English Composition Placement Exam at UM-Dearborn. For those students who do not place at the COMP 105 level, COMP 227 will be required.)

ARTS: (3 hrs.) from ART 1560,1700,2560,2600,2620; HUM 1900; MUS 1540,1550,1560,1585, 1590,1600,1685.

LETTERS: (3 hrs.) from ENG 1610,1710,1720,2300,2510,2520,2530,2540,2550,2560,2750,2760,2770; HUM 1710; PHI 1510,1520,1610.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE: (8 hrs. of a 2-course sequence) from ARB, CHI, FRE, GER, ITA, JPN, RUS, or SPA 1510,1530,2610,2620.

A student may be exempted from the foreign language requirement by demonstrating college-level proficiency in an approved foreign language. Such proficiency may be shown in one of three ways:

1. By presenting three years of high school work in a foreign language with a grade of C or better in the last semester.
2. By passing a written and oral proficiency exam.
3. By completing a one-semester language course at the 102 level or higher in the chosen language with a passing grade.

Note that demonstrating proficiency does not grant credit for courses taken. Students exempt from the foreign language requirement must fulfill the 4-8 credit hours with electives.

BEHAVIORAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES: (9 hrs. with at least one course chosen from each group)

Group A: ANT 1520,1540,2510,2750; PSY 1510,2510,2630,2710,2730,2830,2910; SSC 2610; SOC 2510,2520,2530,2550.

Group B: ECO 2610,2620; POL 1510,2520,2530,2610.

HISTORY: (3 hrs.) from HIS 1510,1520,1550,1700,2510,2520,2610,2620.

MATHEMATICS: (3-4 hrs.) from MAT 1500,1540,1560,1580,1600,1630,1730,1740,2740, 2810,2880. (Or UM-Dearborn's Math 131 with a prerequisite of 2 years of high school mathematics will satisfy this requirement for many majors. Refer to the University's Undergraduate Announcement for details about specific math requirements).

NATURAL SCIENCE: (7-8 hrs. with one course containing a lab) from BIO 1320,1500,1511, 1530,1560, 2510,2540,2550,2560,2630+2640,2710,2810,2830,2840; CHE 1000,1320,1510,1520,2610,2620,2650; FSN 1500; GSC 1530,1580,1590,1620; PHY 1030,1610,1620,2400,2500,2520; PSC 1560.

The College of Arts, Sciences and Letters will accept a maximum of 62-credit hours from a community college (grades of C- and below are not accepted). A GPA of 2.5 is currently required. **A maximum of 12 credit hours of transfer coursework in applied art, applied music, and/or music theory can be counted toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation.** It is the student's responsibility to stay in contact with the UM-Dearborn Admissions Counselors yearly to stay abreast of any changes.

In order to be considered for admission, an application, all required transcripts and documentation, and the application fee if applicable must be submitted to the Office of Admissions and Orientation by the first day of class of your desired term of entry.

SECONDARY TEACHING CERTIFICATION:

Available Teaching Majors and Minors:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Biology• Chemistry• Cognitive Impairments (second major only)• Computer Science (minor only)• Earth Science• Economics• English | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ESL (minor only)• French• German (minor only)• History• Integrated Science (must select Biol, Chem, or Phys as a minor)• Learning Disabilities (second major only) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mathematics• Physics• Political Science• Psychology (minor only)• Social Studies (major only)• Sociology (minor only)• Spanish• Speech (minor only) |
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Please be advised that individuals seeking a Provisional Secondary Teacher's Certificate earn their degree from the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters and should follow its distribution requirements. Currently a GPA of 2.75 is required for a major, a minor, professional courses and overall admission into a Certification Program.

NOTE: Teaching majors and minors are highly compatible but not identical to degree requirements in CASL. After transfer, it is important that a student consult with a CASL advisor regarding degree requirements and with a School of Education advisor regarding certification requirements.

“Fingerprinting and criminal background checks are required for work in school settings. Such work is required of all certification students. All background checks must be completed in the first semester of admission to the School of Education.”

By state law, admission to a certification program requires acceptable scores from the Michigan Tests for Teacher Certification (MTTC) Basic Skills Test (reading, writing, mathematics). Each student in a Michigan Teacher Preparation Program must pass the Basic Skills Test before being admitted into a Certification Program. You may obtain a copy of the Michigan Teacher Competency Testing Program Registration Bulletin from Departments and Schools of Education at Michigan colleges and universities, or from the Michigan Department of Education, PO Box 30008, Lansing, MI. 48909, and (517-373-3310) or on-line at www.mttc.nesinc.com.