

# University Studies Program (USP) Planning Guide

*UW Oshkosh's general education program requires a minimum of 38 credits.*

Requirement	Course	
<b>Quest 1 (Q1)</b> - 1 <sup>st</sup> semester Theme: Connecting to Campus   (XL) or (XC) or (XS)	_____	
<b>Quest 2 (Q2)</b> - 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester Theme: Planning your Future   (XL) or (XC) or (XS)	_____	
<b>Quest 3 (Q3)</b> - 3 <sup>rd</sup> or 4 <sup>th</sup> semester Theme: Community Experience   (XL) or (XC) or (XS)	_____	
These three <b>signature questions</b> below are woven throughout the University Studies Program.		
<b>Civic Learning:</b> How do people understand & engage in community life?	<b>Intercultural Knowledge:</b> How do people understand & bridge cultural differences?	<b>Sustainability:</b> How do people understand & create a more sustainable world?
Requirement	Course	Credits
<b>Speaking</b> Comm 111 or 112 (Honors)	_____	3 credits
<b>Writing</b> WRT 188 or 110 (Honors) *Developmental Writing may be needed (100/99)	_____	3 credits
<b>Explore Math (XM)</b> *Developmental Math may be needed (100/101/103/84)	_____	_____
<b>Explore Lab Science (XL)</b> 8 credits required	1) _____	_____
	2) _____	_____
<b>Explore Culture (XC)</b> 9 credits required from at least two different depts.	1) _____	_____
	2) _____	_____
	3) _____	_____
<b>Explore Society (XS)</b> 9 credits required from at least two different depts.	1) _____	_____
	2) _____	_____
	3) _____	_____
<b>Ethnic Studies (ES)</b> may overlap with (XC) or (XS)	_____	_____
<b>Global Citizenship (GC)</b> may overlap with (XC) or (XS)	_____	_____
<b>Advanced Writing (XK) - Connect</b> WRT 287 (Transfers), <b>288</b> , or 310 (Honors)	_____	3 credits



# COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCE (BS) Bachelor of Science Degree Requirements

This planning guide is designed to help you understand your degree requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree. It is your responsibility to understand these requirements.

For an official statement of your individual progress to degree and for additional University requirements please use Titan Web to access your Academic Requirements (degree audit). For assistance in understanding your requirements please contact the Undergraduate Advising Resource Center (920-424-1268).

*The following are additional and/or specific requirements for the BACHELOR OF SCIENCE degree that may not be met by completion of the USP. Refer to your degree audit for a complete list of eligible courses for each category.*

### Communication 111 – required for all BS students

**Humanities (HU):** All **Culture (XC)** courses in the USP are considered Humanities.

English literature: \_\_\_\_\_

One course from at least two of the following areas: a) Fine Art (e.g. Art, Music, Theatre), b) Philosophy/ Global Religions, c) Global Language (French, German, Spanish or Japanese).

Area 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Area 2: \_\_\_\_\_

One additional Humanities course from any area: \_\_\_\_\_

**Social Science (SS)** All **Society (XS)** courses in the USP are considered Social Science.

History course: \_\_\_\_\_

One course must be from a department other than History. For example: Anthropology, Criminal Justice, Economics, Environmental Studies, Geography, International Studies, Political Science, Public Administration, Psychology, Social Work, Sociology, or Women and Gender Studies.

Non-History course: \_\_\_\_\_

Two additional courses from any department: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mathematics:** One math course beyond USP. Your major may require a specific course. Consult with an advisor for options.

Higher level Math course: \_\_\_\_\_

**Natural Science (NS):** Four courses are required. All **Nature (XL)** courses in the USP are considered Natural Science. The following criteria must be met.

Two courses from the same academic department where the first course is the pre-requisite of the second creating a sequence:  
[www.uwosh.edu/advising/](http://www.uwosh.edu/advising/) Pathway: >For Students >Planning Sheets >College of Letters and Science >Laboratory Science Pairings

\_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_

One course from a different academic department than the one chosen above:

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One course that is from a third academic department OR a course for which the one listed above is the pre-requisite OR a math course that is in addition to the courses chosen as your higher level math course in the Mathematics area:

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