

DEGREE MAP

LIBERAL ARTS: LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES, AA

Follow this map to graduate in two years, though other paths are possible. Contact an advisor on My LaGuardia for additional support or if you require developmental courses. See reverse for additional information.

SEMESTER 1

Course	Category	Priority	Credits	Session
LIF101 First Year Seminar for Liberal Arts ¹	PC	x	3 (4hrs)	I
ENG101 English Composition I	RC	x	3 (4hrs)	I
MAT107, 115, or 120 Mathematics Required Core Course Option	RC	x	3 (4hrs)	I
Humanities Course Option (see back)	PC		3	I
ELS250, ELF250 or other Education and Language Acquisition Course Option (see back)	PC		3	II

SEMESTER 2

Course	Category	Priority	Credits	Session
ENG102 English Composition II	RC	x	3	I
Life & Physical Sciences Course Option	RC	x	3	I
SSA106, SSH232 or other Social Science Course Option (see back)	PC		3	I
Flexible Core Course Option	FC		3	I
Flexible Core Course Option	FC		3	II

SEMESTER 3

Course	Category	Priority	Credits	Session
ENG103 The Research Paper ²	PC	x	3	I
Flexible Core Course Option	FC	x	3 (4hrs)	I
SSA120, SSP200 or other Social Science Option (see back)	PC		3	I
Humanities Course Option (see back)	PC		3	I
Flexible Core Course Option	FC		3	II
Flexible Core Course Option (Urban Studies)	FC		3	II

SEMESTER 4

Course	Category	Priority	Credits	Session
LIB200 Humanism, Science & Technology ³ [Capstone]	PC	x	3	I
Flexible Core Course Option	FC	x	3 (4hrs)	I
ELS200 or 201 or other Education and Language Acquisition Course Option (see back)	PC		3	I
Additional ELA, Humanities or Social Science Option (see back)	FC		3	I

Register in CUNY First for "Intent to Graduate" (GRDOOO) in your final semester.



DEGREE FULFILLMENT

- 12 credits Pathways Required Core (RC)
- 18 credits Pathways Flexible Core (FC)
- 30 credits Program Core (PC)
- 60 credits Total**

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Check Degree Audit and speak to an advisor if you enrolled prior to the listed catalog year.

PRE-/CO-REQUISITES

Refer to the Pre- and Co- Requisite List below to best select courses for each semester.

PRE-REQUISITE A pre-requisite course must be completed prior to taking another course.

CO-REQUISITE Co-requisite courses must be taken during the same session as another course.

1. LIF101 PRE: None
2. ENG103 PRE: CSE99 & ENG101
3. LIB200 PRE: ENG102 & 103 & P/C: MAT107/115/117/119/120

For pre/co-req information on the full range of options, see CUNYFirst

PROGRAM NOTES

Education and Language Acquisition – Select 2: ELF201 French Literature from a Global Perspective; ELF250 Modern French Literature in Translation; ELS200 Latin American Literature I; ELS201 Latin American Literature II; ELS204 Latin American Civilizations; ELS205 Latin American Civilizations; ELS250 Latin American Fiction in Translation
Note: ELS200, 201, and 204 are taught in Spanish. ELF250, and ELS205 and 250 are taught in English. ELF201 is taught in French.

Humanities – Select 2: HUA 196 Latin American Art; HUC 150 The Art of Film; HUM107 Music of Latin America; HUP116 Latin American Philosophy; HUT220 Contemporary Latina/o Theatre in the United States

Social Science – Select 2: SSA106 Anthropology of Latin America; SSA120 Peoples and Culture of the Caribbean; SSH232 Survey of Latin American and Caribbean History; SSP200 Global Politics; SSP220 Politics of Latin America and the Caribbean

ELA/Humanities/Social Science Elective: Select an additional course from the ELA, Humanities, and Social Science lists above.

Language Proficiency

Latin American Studies programs at senior colleges require proficiency in either Spanish, French or Portuguese at the intermediate level or higher as determined by a placement test. Students with no previous knowledge of any of those languages are encouraged to take two introductory level courses in one of those languages as part of the World Cultures and Global Issues flexible core.

Pathways Flexible Core Note

Whenever possible, students should take any of the Education & Language Acquisition, Humanities or Social Science courses they are not taking as Program Core courses to fulfill Flexible Core requirements. This will increase exposure to different areas and aid in transfer success. Please note you cannot take more than 2 courses in the same discipline to fulfill Flexible Core requirements.

IMPORTANT NOTES

DEVELOPMENTAL COURSES Based on placement results, you may require additional preparation before entering college-level English or Math courses. Options can include
a) developmental courses such as ENA099 or MAT095;
b) English-as-a-Second-Language (ESL) courses;
c) Co-requisite courses such as ENA/ENC101, CSE111, or MAT117/119/123; or
d) CUNY Start.

Speak to an advisor to find out more.

SESSIONS I AND II Each semester has two parts, Session I (12-weeks) and Session II (6-weeks). It is recommended that you take 15 credits per semester for timely graduation. For questions regarding financial aid or tuition and fees, please visit Student Financial Services in C-107.

CREDITS & HOURS Courses often meet for the same number of hours per week as academic credits awarded, but in some cases your classes meet for more hours, listed in the CREDITS column when applicable.

PRIORITY COURSES Priority Courses are important for your progress in the degree and should be taken in the suggested order.

PATHWAYS FLEXIBLE CORE You may choose Flexible Core courses based on interests or transfer goals. Speak to an advisor or view Degree Audit to see a full list of options and/or requirements. Generally, you must take courses in different categories:

- Creative Expressions
- Individual and Society
- Scientific World
- U.S. Experience in its Diversity
- World Cultures and Global Issues

URBAN STUDIES All students must complete an Urban Studies course to graduate. Urban Studies courses have an “N” at the end of the course code (e.g. HUN192).

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