General Education Program at WSU

Effective Fall 2020, with AA/AS exceptions noted at left, students must complete 36 credit hours of general education requirements as part of their WSU bachelor's degree. At least three courses of the 36 credit hours must be numbered 300 or above.

One course from the student's major area may be used toward general education requirements.

The 36 credit hours are divided as follows:
- 12 credit hours: four foundation courses
- 12 credit hours: one course from each of the four academic divisions
- 12 credit hours: four courses chosen from at least two of the four academic divisions

WSU Tech courses approved for general education credit at WSU are shown below.

NOTE: For purposes of this transfer guide, “Lab” in the course name or “(L)” after the course name indicates that the WSU equivalent course carries the “laboratory” attribute.

Foundation Courses
Must complete all four courses with a grade of C- or better for at least 12 credit hours.
- ENG 101 Composition I
- ENG 120 Composition II
- SPH 101 Public Speaking
- MTH 112 College Algebra
or MTH 111 College Algebra w/ Rev
or MTH 113 Trigonometry
or MTH 115 Pre-Calculus Math

Academic Divisions for General Education

FINE ARTS
- ART 100 Art Appreciation
- THR 100 Theatre Appreciation

HUMANITIES
- ENG 110 Introduction to Literature
- ENG 205 Intro to Creative Writing
- HIS 110 U S History to 1877
- HIS 120 U S History since 1865
- HIS 130 World History I

MGT 111 Business Ethics
- PHL 110 Ethics
- PHL 115 Logic
- REL 101 New Testament
- SPH 111 Interpersonal Comm

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
- CRJ 101 Intro to Criminal Justice
- CRJ 155 Policing Diverse Cultures
- ECO 105 Princ of Macroeconomics
- ECO 110 Princ of Microeconomics
- GEO 101 Principles of Geography
- POL 101 American Government
- PSY 101 General Psychology
- PSY 110 Child Psychology
- PSY 120 Developmental Psych
- SOC 101 Principles of Sociology
- SOC 115 Social Problems

MATHEMATICS AND NATURAL SCIENCES
- BIO 110 Principles of Biology (L)
- BIO 120 Environmental Biology
- BIO 130 Biology I (L)
- BIO 135 Biology II (L)
- BIO 150 Human Anatomy & Phys (L)
- BIO 160 Microbiology (L)
- CED 101 Computer Essentials (L)
- CED 115 Comp Applications (L)
- CED 120 Advanced Computer App
- CHM 110 General Chemistry (L)
- CHM 125 Chemistry I (L)
- CHM 135 Chemistry II (L)
- MTH 120 Elementary Statistics
- MTH 125 Calculus I
- MTH 150 Calculus II
- PHS 110 Physical Science (L)
- PHS 115 Introductory Astronomy (L)
- PHS 120 General Physics I (L)
- PHS 125 General Physics II (L)