

BSC MATRIX OF GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

GENERAL EDUCATION AT BISMARCK STATE COLLEGE. The following courses meet the general education requirements at BSC. Please note that some courses may fulfill the requirements for only certain degrees or certain programs. See an explanation of GERTA on page 35. Check with your academic advisor if you have questions!

General Education Category		Credits	Degree					GERTA	
			AA	AS	AAS	DIPL	CERT		
COMMUNICATIONS									
ENGL 105	Technical Communications	2					*	*	NO
ENGL 110	College Composition I	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 120	College Composition II	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 121	College Honors Composition II	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 125	Intro. to Professional Writing	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
COMM 110	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ARTS & HUMANITIES - LECTURE COURSES									
ART 110	Introduction to the Visual Arts	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 210	Art History I	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 211	Art History II	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
COMM 211	Oral Interpretation	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 211	Introduction to Creative Writing	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 221	Introduction to Drama	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 222	Introduction to Poetry	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 236	Women and Literature	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 238	Children's Literature	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 251	British Literature I	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 252	British Literature II	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 261	American Literature I	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 262	American Literature II	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 268	Western American Literature	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 278	Alternative Literature	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
ENGL 279	World Autobiography	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 101	Western Civilization I	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 102	Western Civilization II	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 103	United States to 1877	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 104	United States since 1877	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 220	North Dakota History	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 222	History of the Western Frontier	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 224	American Studies I	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 225	American Studies II	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HIST 243	Historical Investigations	1-3		*	*	*	*	*	NO
HUMS 210	Integrated Cultural Studies	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HUMS 211	Integrated Cultural Excursion	1-4		*	*	*	*	*	YES
HUMS 212	Integrated Cultural Enrichment	2		*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 100	Music Appreciation	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHIL 101	Introduction to Philosophy	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHIL 210	Ethics	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHIL 250	Philosophy in Cinema	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
RELS 120	Religion in America	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
RELS 201	Life and Letters of Paul	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
RELS 203	World Religions	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
RELS 220	Old Testament	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES
RELS 230	New Testament	3		*	*	*	*	*	YES

General Education Category		Credits	Degree					GERTA
			AA	AS	AAS	DIPL	CERT	
SPAN 101	First Year Spanish I	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SPAN 102	First Year Spanish II	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SPAN 201	Second Year Spanish I	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SPAN 202	Second Year Spanish II	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
THEA 110	Introduction to Theatre Arts	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES

ARTS & HUMANITIES - FINE ARTS ACTIVITIES

(Note: *a maximum of 3 credits of A&H activity courses may be used to meet the general education requirements at BSC.*) If a course(s) is used to fulfill a general education requirement, it cannot be used to fulfill the enrichment requirement.

ART 122	Two Dimensional Design	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 124	Three Dimensional Design	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 130	Drawing I	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 220	Painting I	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 221	Painting II	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 230	Drawing II	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 250	Ceramics I	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 251	Ceramics II	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 265	Sculpture I	2	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ART 266	Sculpture II	2	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 117	Concert Choir	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 118	Chamber Choir	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 121	String Ensemble	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 132	Wind Ensemble	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 133	Woodwind Ensemble I	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 134	Woodwind Ensemble II	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 135	Brass Ensemble I	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 136	Brass Ensemble II	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 137	Jazz Ensemble	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 138	Percussion Ensemble	1	*	*	*	*	*	NO
MUSC 145	Applied Music	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MUSC 146	Applied Music-Major	1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
THEA 161	Acting I	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
THEA 261	Acting II	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

CJ 201	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ECON 105	Elements of Economics	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ECON 201	Principles of Microeconomics	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
ECON 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
POLS 115	American Government	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
POLS 116	State and Local Government	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
POLS 220	International Politics	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
PSYC 111	Introduction to Psychology	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOC 110	Introduction to Sociology	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOC 115	Social Problems	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOC 220	Family	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOC 221	Minority Relations	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOC 235	Cultural Diversity	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOC 251	Gerontology	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOC 252	Criminology	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOC 275	Native American Studies	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SWK 256	Social Work	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES

BUSINESS, MATH, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

ACCT 200	Elements of Accounting I	3			*	*	*	NO
ACCT 201	Elements of Accounting II	3			*	*	*	NO

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General Education Category		Credits	Degree					GERTA
			AA	AS	AAS	DIPL	CERT	
ASTR 150/150L	Meteorology	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BADM 202	Principles of Management	3			*	*	*	NO
BADM 240	Sales	3			*	*	*	NO
BADM 281	Organizational Behavior	3			*	*	*	NO
BADM 282	Human Resource Management	3			*	*	*	NO
BIOL 102	Introduction to Aquarium Keeping	1	*	*	*	*	*	NO
BIOL 109	Living World	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 111/111L	Concepts of Biology	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 124	Environmental Science	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 126/126L	Human Biology	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 150/150L	General Biology I	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 151/151L	General Biology II	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 220/220L	Anatomy & Physiology I	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 221/221L	Anatomy & Physiology II	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 250/250L	Survey of Tropical Biology	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BIOL 251/251L	Community Ecology	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BOT 170/170L	Plant Form and Diversity	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
BUSN 120	Fundamentals of Business	3			*	*	*	NO
CHEM 110/110L	Survey of Chemistry	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CHEM 112/112L	Intro to Forensic Science	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CHEM 115/115L	Introductory Chemistry	4/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CHEM 116/116L	Intro. to Org. & Biochemistry	4/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CHEM 121/121L	General Chemistry I	4/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CHEM 122/122L	General Chemistry II	4/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CSCI 101	Introduction to Computers	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CSCI 122	Beginning/Visual Basic	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CSCI 160	Computer Science I	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
CSCI 161	Computer Science II	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
GEOG 121/121L	Physical Geography	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
GEOL 105/105L	Physical Geology	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
GEOL 102/102L	Historical Geology	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 102	Intermediate Algebra	3			*	*	*	NO
MATH 103	College Algebra	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 104	Finite Math	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 105	Trigonometry	2	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 107	Pre-Calculus	5	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 146	Applied Calculus I	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 165	Calculus I	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 166	Calculus II	4	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 208	Discrete Mathematics	3	*	*	*			NO
MATH 210	Elementary Statistics	3	*	*	*	*	*	YES
MATH 277	Math. for Elementary Teachers I	4	*	*	*	*	*	NO
MICR 202/202L	Introductory Microbiology	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHYS 100/100L	Concepts of Physics	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHYS 110/110L	Introductory Astronomy	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHYS 211/211L	College Physics I	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHYS 212/212L	College Physics II	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHYS 251/251L	University Physics I	4/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
PHYS 252/252L	University Physics II	4/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
PLSC 110/110L	World Food Crops	2/1	*	*	*	*	*	NO
SCNC 101/101L	Physical Science I	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SCNC 102/102L	Physical Science II	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SCNC 103/103L	Physical Science III	3/1	*	*	*	*	*	YES
SOIL 210/210L	Introduction to Soil Science	2/1	*	*	*	*	*	NO

BSC ENRICHMENT REQUIREMENT COURSES

Enrichment is designed to broaden the student's academic exposure while providing the maximum flexibility in designing a personalized curriculum of study. Enrichment is not required for the AAS, Diploma or Certificate. The following courses meet the enrichment requirements for the AA and AS degrees at Bismarck State College. *Please Note:* some courses in the following list are also general education courses. The student is reminded that a course used to meet one requirement cannot be used to meet the other! Please speak with your academic advisor if you have questions.

Enrichment Course		cr.	Degree	AA	AS
ART: Visual					
ART 122	Two Dimensional Design	3		*	*
ART 124	Three Dimensional Design	3		*	*
ART 130/230	Drawing I & II	3		*	*
ART 204/205	Jewelry I & II	2		*	*
ART 220/221	Painting I & II	3		*	*
ART 225/226	Water Media I & II	2		*	*
ART 231	Figure Drawing I	3		*	*
ART 250/251	Ceramics I & II	3		*	*
ART 252	Advanced Ceramics	1-3		*	*
ART 265/266	Sculpture I & II	2		*	*
ART 270/271	Printmaking I & II	2		*	*
ART 299*	Special Topics in Art	1-3		*	*
BIOLOGY					
BIOL 102	Introduction to Aquarium Keeping	1		*	*
BIOL 108	Beginning Birding	1		*	*
CRIMINAL JUSTICE					
CJ 235	Field Experience & Internship	3		*	*
ENGLISH					
ENGL 213	Literary Publications	3		*	*
ENGL 299*	Special Topics in English	1-3		*	*
HUMANITIES					
HUMS 212	Integrated Cultural Enrichment	2		*	*
JOURNALISM					
COMM 200	Introduction to Media Writing	3		*	*
COMM 201	Interpretive & Opinion Writing	3		*	*
COMM 240	Introduction to News Photography	2		*	*
COMM 242	Advanced News Photography	2		*	*
COMM 244	Reporting and Feature Writing	3		*	*
COMM 270	Basic TV & Video Production	3-6		*	*
COMM 281	Reporting & Editing	1-2		*	*
COMM 299*	Special Topics in Journalism	1-3		*	*
MUSIC					
MUSC 117	Concert Choir	1		*	*
MUSC 118	Chamber Choir	1		*	*
MUSC 121	String Ensemble	1		*	*
MUSC 130/131	Class Voice (Men)	1		*	*
MUSC 230/231	Class Voice (Women)	1		*	*
MUSC 132	Wind Ensemble	1		*	*
MUSC 133	Woodwind Ensemble I	1		*	*
MUSC 134	Woodwind Ensemble II	1		*	*
MUSC 135	Brass Ensemble I	1		*	*
MUSC 136	Brass Ensemble II	1		*	*

BSC ENRICHMENT REQUIREMENT COURSES (CONTINUED)

Enrichment Course cr.		Degree	AA	AS
MUSC 137	Jazz Ensemble	1	*	*
MUSC 138	Percussion Ensemble	1	*	*
MUSC 145	Applied Music	1	*	*
MUSC 146	Applied Music - Major	1	*	*
MUSC 151/152 251/252	Class Piano I-IV	1	*	*
MUSC 153	Class Guitar—Beginner	1	*	*
MUSC 154	Class Guitar II	1	*	*
MUSC 155	Guitar Ensemble	1	*	*
MUSC 160*	Mini-Music	1	*	*
MUSC 299*	Special Topics in Music	1-3	*	*
PHYSICAL EDUCATION				
HPER 100	Concepts of Fitness and Wellness	2	*	*
HPER 101	Physical Education	1	*	*
HPER 202	Physical Education	1	*	*
HPER 204	Dance Skills/Techniques	1	*	*
HPER 210	First Aid, CPR and AED	1	*	*
HPER 212	Introduction to Self-Defense	1	*	*
HPER 299*	Special Topics in Phy. Ed.	1-3	*	*
POLITICAL SCIENCE				
POLS 195	Student Government	1-3	*	*
PSYCHOLOGY				
PSYC 105	Relationships & Self Esteem	2	*	*
SERVICE LEARNING				
SVLN 195/295	Service Learning	1-3	*	*
SOCIOLOGY				
SOC 120	Transition to College Life/Seminar	2	*	*
SPEECH				
COMM 222	Voice and Diction	3	*	*
COMM 299	Special Topics in Speech Comm.	1-3	*	*
THEATRE ARTS				
THEA 161	Acting I	3	*	*
THEA 167/267	Dance-Theatre Movement I & II	3	*	*
THEA 201	Theatre Practicum	1	*	*
THEA 247	Stage Makeup	3	*	*
THEA 270	Stagecraft	3	*	*
THEA 292	One-Act Play Production	3	*	*

NOTE: *COURSES MARKED WITH AN ASTERISK MAY SATISFY REQUIREMENTS WITH PERMISSION OF DEPARTMENT CHAIRPERSON AND DEAN OF INSTRUCTION.

BSC DIVERSITY REQUIREMENT COURSES

The diversity requirement is designed to enhance the AA and AS student's overall educational experience by focusing in a central and substantial way on issues, theories, and methods relevant to analyzing and understanding inter-group dynamics and diversity in its broadest sense. Diversity is not required for the AAS, Diploma or Certificate. The following courses meet the diversity requirement for AA and AS degrees at Bismarck State College. *Please Note:* This requirement is part of – but not in addition to – the existing general education requirements for the Associate in Arts Degree (AA) and the Associate in Science Degree (AS), so one course may meet the requirement in both diversity and general education. Please speak with your academic advisor if you have questions.

Diversity Course	cr.	Gen. Ed. Course	Degree		
			AA	AS	
ART: VISUAL					
ART 110	Introduction to Visual Arts	3	YES	*	*
ART 210	Art History I	3	YES	*	*
ART 211	Art History II	3	YES	*	*
CRIMINAL JUSTICE					
CJ 201	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	YES	*	*
ECONOMICS					
ECON 201	Principles of Microeconomics	3	YES	*	*
ENGLISH					
ENGL 221	Introduction to Drama	3	YES	*	*
ENGL 222	Introduction to Poetry	3	YES	*	*
ENGL 236	Women and Literature	3	YES	*	*
ENGL 238	Children's Literature	3	YES	*	*
ENGL 251	British Literature I	3	YES	*	*
ENGL 252	British Literature II	3	YES	*	*
ENGL 261	American Literature I	3	YES	*	*
ENGL 262	American Literature II	3	YES	*	*
ENGL 279	World Autobiography	3	YES	*	*
HUMANITIES					
HUMS 210	Integrated Cultural Studies (Hispanic Civilization & Culture)	3	YES	*	*
PHILOSOPHY					
PHIL 101	Introduction to Philosophy	3	YES	*	*
PHIL 250	Philosophy in Cinema	3	YES	*	*
POLITICAL SCIENCE					
POLS 220	International Politics	3	YES	*	*
RELIGION					
RELS 120	Religion in America	3	YES	*	*
RELS 203	World Religions	3	YES	*	*
SOCIOLOGY					
SOC 110	Introduction to Sociology	3	YES	*	*
SOC 115	Social Problems	3	YES	*	*
SOC 220	Family	3	YES	*	*
SOC 221	Minority Relations	3	YES	*	*
SOC 235	Cultural Diversity	3	YES	*	*
SOC 251	Gerontology	3	YES	*	*
SOC 252	Criminology	3	YES	*	*

BSC DIVERSITY REQUIREMENT COURSES (CONTINUED)

Diversity Course		cr.	Gen. Ed. Course	Degree	
				<u>AA</u>	<u>AS</u>
SOC 275	Native American Studies	3	YES	*	*
SPANISH					
SPAN 101	First-Year Spanish I	4	YES	*	*
SPAN 102	First-Year Spanish II	4	YES	*	*
SPAN 201	Second-Year Spanish I	4	YES	*	*
SPAN 202	Second-Year Spanish II	4	YES	*	*

