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WORLD UNDERSTANDING		
Historical Perspective (3) ***Demonstrate knowledge of major events and movements in history and use this knowledge to generate a more sophisticated understanding of current events.***	HY 201 History of US I HY 202 History of US II HY 205W Multivocal U.S. History I	HY 206W Multivocal U.S. History II HY 210 World Civilization I HY 211 World Civilization II (W)
Global Awareness (3) ***Demonstrate an understanding of global issues and their implications for local communities.***	AY 101 Intro to Anthropology BA 200 Survey of Economics CD 210 Global Cultural Awareness ED 250 Intro to Multicultural Educ (W) ED 265 International Studies (W) FM 220 Sustainability and Ethics for Fashion GS 250 Global Societal & Personal Narratives (W)	GY 201 Intro to Geography HN 250 Honors Research and Travel (W) HY 240 Crises in Modern History HYPO 307 Civic Engagement in the World (W) IS 101 Current Global Issues (W) MM 260 Media History and Culture PH 207 World Religions
Civic Engagement (3) ***Demonstrate an appreciation of the importance of civic engagement in a global society.***	BA 223 Principles of Leadership (W) ED 208 School and Society (W) GS 200 Societal & Personal Narratives (W) HN 220 Honors Sem: World Understanding (W) HS 102 Careers-Helping Profess (W) MM 101 Intro to Mass Comm	MM 200 Representation in Media OL 205 Organizational Leadership in a Global Context PH 222 Introduction to Ethics PO 101 American Government PO 233 Law and Society SY 101 Introduction to Sociology

ARTISTIC & CREATIVE IMAGINATION		
Fine Arts (3) *Understand artistic concepts and traditions through participating in or exposure to artistic endeavors.*	AH 100 Art Appreciation AH 214 Art History Special Topics (W) AH 223 Art History I AH 224 Art History II AR 101 Foundations: 2D & 3D Design AR 231 Visual Media DA 100 Dance Appreciation HN 230 Honors Sem: Art/Creative Imagination (W) ID 308 History of Inter/Architecture I	ID 309 History of Inter/Architecture II (W) MC 101 World Music Appreciation MC 214 Special Topics in Music MC 216 Intro to Arts in Healthcare (W) MM 100 Film Appreciation (W) TH 100 Theatre Appreciation TH 221 Theatre History I TH 222 Theatre History II TH 223 Hist. of the Musical Theatre
Literature (3) *To analyze meaning and recognize aesthetic elements in literary texts.*	EH 200 Mythology: Sacred St/Hum Lives (W) EH 203 Varied Voices in American Lit (W) EH 210 British Lit before 1789 EH 211 British Lit after 1789 (W) EH 220 American Lit before 1865	EH 221 American Lit after 1865 (W) EH 230 World Lit before 1650 EH 231 World Lit after 1650 EH 245 Thematic Literary Studies (W)
Lifetime Fitness (3) *1 hr HL* *1 hr LS/LF/DA* *1 hr either* *Appreciate one's health status and implement a plan for health and fitness.* *Students not enrolled in the day program may take HS 105 (3 hours) to satisfy this requirement.*	DA 101 Ballet Technique DA 102 Ballet Technique DA 105 Modern Dance Technique DA 106 Modern Dance Technique DA 108 Jazz Dance Technique DA 109 Jazz Dance Technique DA 118 African Diasporic Dance Forms I DA 119 Tap Dance DA 123 Yoga for the Mind and Body DA 151 Ballet Technique DA 152 Ballet Technique DA 155 Modern Dance Technique DA 156 Modern Dance Technique DA 158 Jazz Dance Technique DA 159 Jazz Dance Technique	DA 160 Ballroom/Social Dance DA 214 Intermediate Tap Dance HL 101 Drug Abuse/Alcoholism HL 103 First Aid: Responding to Emergencies HL 104 Human Sexuality HL 105 Self Defense (W) HL 106 Healthy Habits HS 105 Healthy Lifestyle Habits (3) LF 101 Aerobics LF 105 Fitness Swimming/Walking LF 109 Pers Fitness/Weight Training LF 112 Karate LF 199W Varsity Sports ** LS 104 Golf LS 106 Tennis

****** Taken by Brenau's varsity sport teams. These courses can count toward classroom (HL) or activity (DA/LS/LF) physical education requirements.

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SCIENTIFIC & ANALYTIC CURIOSITY		
Mathematics (3) *Demonstrate quantitative reasoning through numeric, symbolic, or geometric means.*	MS 100 Quantitative Literacy MS 101 College Algebra	MS 111 Pre-Calculus/Trigonometry MS 210 Calculus and Analytic Geometry
Science (7-8) *(one course must be a 4 hour lab science)* *Demonstrate competency in a specific curriculum and appraise the impact of that science in one's life.*	**3-Credit Hour Science** BY 151 Biol. Field Studies CY 110 Forensic Science PS 100 Physical Science PS 104 Earth Science PS 131 Sound, Music, and Language PS 180 Cities & the Environment PY 101 Intro to Psychology ^^ (W) **4-Credit Hour Science with Lab** BY 105 Human Biology w/lab BY 111 Biolog Science I (majors) BY 112 Biological Sci II (majors) BY 206 Microbiology	**4-Credit Hour Science with Lab (cont.)** BY 209 Human Anatomy/Phys I BY 210 Human Anatomy/Phys II CY 103 Principles of Chemistry CY 121 General Chemistry I CY 122 General Chemistry II PS 110 Geological Science w/Lab PS 111 Atmospheric Science w/Lab PS 112 Astronomy w/ Lab PS 121 Introductory Physics I PS 122 Introductory Physics II PY 101/L Intro to Psychology Lab ^^ *(^^Can take with/without lab for LE science. If taken with lab, the lab must be taken the same term as the lecture.)*
Reasoning (3) *Be able to think critically and solve problems effectively.*	AH 215 The Creative Mind (W) BA 107 Personal Finance BA 203 Critical & Creative Thinking HN 240 Honors Sem: Sci/Analy Cur (W) ID 275 Interior Design – Process (W)	MS 205 Introduction to Statistics MS 207 Problem Solving PH 205 Intro to Philosophy PH 240 Philosophy of Art

COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE FLUENCY		
Writing(6) *Compose effective and logical written communication.*	EH 101 Written Communication (W)	EH 102 Reading & Research Writing (W)
Speaking (3) *Demonstrate effective oral communication.*	EH 103 Oral Communication (W) HN 210 Hon Sem: Comm/Lang Fluency (W)	MM 105 Effective Interpersonal Comm SP 108 Fundamentals of Speech (W)
Modern Language (0-3) *Communicate in a modern language other than English, and compare global culture(s) where that language is spoken to English-language-based U.S. culture.* ***Must complete language through the high beginner level (102 or equivalent).*** *If 101 & 102 are taken, 101 can be applied toward the Communication requirement or used as a general elective. May be placed into 102 via WebCape or exempted by competency exam (BYU FLAT test or CLEP).* *Note: Please see the catalog for specifics concerning the modern language requirement and placement options.*	SH 102 Spanish Language and Culture II (W)	SH 201 Interm Spanish I w/ Lab
Communication (3) *Apply communication skills in a given context.* *Select from these courses or any from the communication and language fluency portal not already used.*	AH 105 Aesthetic Communication BA 208 Business Communications CS 101 Computer Literacy EH 360 Creative Writing (W) GR 207 Digital Graphic Design (W)	LE 300 Conflict Resolution (W) MM 215 Persuasion MM 220 Communication Theory SH 101 Spanish Lang/Culture I (W)

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