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JOURBA-NEWS Degree Snapshot

University Perspectives (0-1 hr)

_ UNIV 1001, University Perspectives (waived for transfer students with 24 or more transferred hours)

State Core English Composition (0-6 hrs)

- ____ ENGL 1013, Composition 1 or exemption
- **ENGL 1023**, Composition 2 or exemption (see <u>catalog</u> for ACT/SAT test score exemption)

State Core US History or Government (3 hrs)

____ PLSC 2003, American National Government (required in major)

State Core Mathematics (0-3 hrs, C or higher)

____ MATH 1203 or 1313 (may be able to skip based on math placement)

Mathematics for Major (3 hrs)

____ MATH 2000+ or STATS _____

State Core Natural Sciences w/ labs (8 hrs)

- ____ Science w/ lab _____
- ____ Science w/ lab _____

State Core Social Sciences (9 hrs)

- ECON 2143, Basic Economics (or ECON 2013)
- _____ Social Science ______ (ECON 2023 if taking 2013 too)
- ____ Social Science _____

Additional Political Science for Major (0-3 hrs)

____PLSC ______ (if PLSC class not taken for Social Science above)

State Core Fine Arts (3 hrs)

_____ Fine Art ______

<u>State Core Humanities</u> (0-3 hrs)

____ Humanities _____

Major WLIT and PHIL Requirement (6 hrs)

____ WLIT 1113, 1123, or upper-level Literature

__ PHIL 2003, 2103 or 3000+ _____

Major World Language to 2003 level (3-9 hrs)

Language 10	003 (or fluency)
Language 10	013 (or fluency)

____ Language _____ 2003 (or higher required)

Communication (3 hrs)

____COMM 1313, Public Communication

History (3 hrs)

____ HIST 3000+ _____

<u>Cultural Diversity</u> (0-3 hrs, can overlap with HIST 3000+ or JOUR Elective requirement)

____ Cultural Diversity _____

Journalism and Strategic Media Core (16 hrs)

- _____ JOUR 1023, Media and Society
- _____ JOUR 1033, Media Writing
- _____ JOUR 3633, Media Law
- ____ JOUR 4333, Ethics in Journalism
- _____ JOUR 4981, Journalism Writing Requirement [JOUR 498VH if honors]
- JOUR 2053, Multimedia Journalism (To be taken concurrently or after JOUR 2013)

News/Editorial Concentration (21 hrs)

- ____ JOUR 2013, News Reporting I
- ____ JOUR 3013, Editing
- _____ JOUR 3123, Feature Writing
- _____ JOUR or ADPR ______ (JOUR 3923H if honors)
- _____ JOUR or ADPR ______ (JOUR 4943H if
 - honors)

___ JOUR or ADPR _____

Choose 1:

- _____ JOUR 3023, News Reporting II
- _____ JOUR 4503, Magazine Writing
- _____ JOUR 4553, Magazine Editing and Production I

General Electives (17-42 hrs)

How you use these hours will depend on your educational and career goals. Early in your degree you might use this section to jot down ideas for how to plan. As you get closer to graduation, you might use this section to track which classes you've taken outside the above requirements.

Graduation Plan

		or map, to complete your graduation plan (<u>Catalog</u> , a has additional required classes. This tool allows you		
High School credit	List all Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Dual or Concurrent credit			
Year	Fall	Spring	Summer	Total
Year 1				Total 1 st year credit hours (aim for 30):
Year 2				Total 2 nd year credit hours (aim for 60):
Year 3				Total 3 rd year credit hours (aim for 90):
Year 4				Total 4 th year credit hours (Must be at least 120):
Do you have All state min All Major(s), Writing requ Have At leas 24 hours of 30 hours of 120 total eli COURSES THAT • ENG • MAT	upper-level classes. (3000+ or 2000+ with a pre-r gible credit hours (see below for a list of ineligible DO NOT COUNT TOWARDS THE 120 HOURS REG L 0002 TH 0001L, MATH 0002L, MATH 0003, and MATH 0	of Arts and Sciences classes Arkansas. This can include courses taken for the 24-h requisite. Can include transfer credit.) This can incluc e classes) QUIRED FOR GRADUATION	le courses taken for the 24-hour and	d 30-hour rules.

Department Information:

Faculty who have exception/substitution authority: Dave Bostwick and Bret Schulte

<u>Transfer Coursework Restriction</u>: At least 50% of a student's Arts and Sciences (ARSC) major or minor must be taken at the University of Arkansas.

<u>GPA (Grade Point Average)</u>: Every student must have at least a 2.00 cumulative grade point average to be eligible to graduate from the University of Arkansas.

Please visit <u>https://catalog.uark.edu/undergraduatecatalog</u> for an extensive list of core, major, graduation, and prerequisite requirements. To read more about individual classes, visit the <u>courses of instruction</u> page for course descriptions.

Degree Requirement Breakdown by Category

The following information is designed to help you navigate your experience in your degree and answer common questions that may come up for each requirement.

Category	Degree Requirements	Curriculum Notes
UNIVERSITY PERSPECTIVES 0-1 hr	UNIV 1001, University Perspectives	Or equivalent from another University of Arkansas college. (AFLS 1023H, ARSC 1201, GNEG 1111, HIST 1003(H), PLSC 1003, WCOB 1111)
STATE CORE COMPOSITION	ENGL 1013, Composition 1 or SAT/ACT exemption SAT/ACT exemption	Note: students who transfer to the University of Arkansas with at least 24 credit hours will have this requirement waived. See <u>Catalog</u> for information about placement and/or exemption.
0-6 hrs	ENGL 1023, Composition 2 or SAT/ACT exemption	
STATE CORE US HISTORY or GOVERNMENT 3 hrs	PLSC 2003, American National Government (required in major)	*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.
STATE CORE MATHEMATICS	 Choose 1: MATH 1203, College Algebra MATH 1313, Quantitative Reasoning 	C or higher will be required as a pre-requisite to statistics required in major.
0-3 hrs		Based on ACT/SAT or other math placement scores, students may need to enroll in additional remediation related courses or may be exempt from this class. See <u>catalog</u> or <u>math placement</u> website for additional information.
STATISTICS FOR	Take 1:	
MAJOR	STAT 2303, Principles of Statistics	
3 hrs	 MATH 2043, Survey of Calculus MATH 2053, Finite Mathematics MATH 2183, Mathematical Reasoning in a Quantitative World 	
STATE CORE	Choose 2: (each class will have a required lecture and lab	Some classes will have pre-requisites
NATURAL SCIENCES CORE	 component): ANTH 1013 and ANTH 1011L, Intro to Biological 	
8 hrs	Anthropology ASTR 2003/2001L, Survey of the Universe BIOL 1524, Biological Principles BIOL 1543/1541L, Principles of Biology BIOL 1584, Biology for Majors BIOL 1603/1601L, Principles of Zoology BIOL 1613/1611L, Plant Biology BIOL 2213/2211L, Human Physiology BIOL 2243/2441L, Human Anatomy CHEM 1053/1051L, Chemistry in the Modern World CHEM 1073/1071L, Fundamentals of Chemistry CHEM 1103/1101L; University Chemistry I CHEM 1123/1121L, University Chemistry II CHEM 1203/1201L, Chemistry for Majors I CHEM 1223/1221L, Chemistry for Majors II ENSC 1003/1001L, Environmental Science ENTO 1023/1021L, Insects, Science, and Society GEOS 1113/1111L, Physical Geology	

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	GEOS 1133/1131L, Earth Science	
	PHYS 1023/1021L, Physics and Human Affairs	
	PHYS 1034, Physics for Elementary Education Majors	
	PHYS 1044, Physics for Architects I	
	 PHYS 1054, Physics for Architects II 	
	 PHYS 2013/2011L, College Physics I 	
	 PHYS 2013/2011L, College Physics I PHYS 2033/2031L, College Physics II 	
	 PHYS 2054, University Physics I 	
	PHYS 2074, University Physics II	
STATE CORE	ECON 2143, Basic Economics: Theory and Practice (or	Students must take classes from at least two departments in the
SOCIAL SCIENCES	ECON 2013 and ECON 2023)	Social Sciences category.
9 hrs	Choose 1 or 2 (2 if taking ECON 2143 and 1 if taking ECON	
	2013 and 2023): *	
	 AGEC 1103, Principles of Agriculture Microeconomics 	
	 AGEC 2103, Principles of Agriculture Macroeconomics 	
	ANTH 1023, Intro to Cultural Anthropology	
	 COMM 1023, Communication in a Diverse World 	
	ECON 2013, Principles of Macroeconomics	
	 ECON 2013, Principles of Miacroeconomics ECON 2023, Principles of Microeconomics 	
	EDST 2003, Introduction to Educational Studies	
	 GEOS 1123, Human Geography 	
	 GEOS 2003, World Regional Geography 	
	 HDFS 1403, Life Span Development 	
	 HDFS 2413, Family Relations 	
	 HDFS 2603, Rural Families & Communities 	
	 HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I 	
	 HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II 	
	 HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877 	
	HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to	
	Present	
	HIST 2093, Animals in World History	
	• HUMN 1114H, Honors Roots of Culture to 500 C.E.	
	(Honors only)	
	HUMN 2114H, Honors Birth of Modern Culture, 1600-	
	1900 (honors only)	
	INST/PLSC 2813, Intro to International Relations & Global	*If students take PLSC/INST 2813, PLSC 2013, or PLSC 2203, it can
	Studies*	also count as the student's second PLSC class required in the
	 PLSC 2013, Intro to Comparative Politics* 	
	 PLSC 2203, State and Local Government* 	major.
	 PSYC 2003, General Psychology 	
	 RESM 2853, Leisure and Society 	
	 SOCI 2013, General Sociology 	
	SOCI 2033, Social Problems	
	STEM 2003, The Art of STEM Communication	
ADDITIONAL	Take any additional PLSC course in addition to PLSC 2003.	*Students who took PLSC/INST 2813, PLSC 2013, or PLSC 2203 for
POLITICAL SCIENCE FOR	(Students are recommended to take PLSC 2813 Intro to	a Social Science core can also count that class here.
MAJOR	International Relations and Global Studies, PLSC 3233 The	
	American Congress, or PLSC 4233 The American Chief	
0-3 hrs*	Executive)	
STATE CORE FINE	Choose 1:	Classes taken in this category may not overlap in any other core
ARTS	ARCH 1003, Architecture Lecture	category
	ARHS 1003, Art Lecture	
3 hrs	COMM 1003, Film Lecture	

	DANC 1003, Movement and Dance	
	ENGL 2023, Creative Writing 1	
	• HUMN 2114H, Honors Birth of Modern Culture 1600-	
	1900 (honors only)	
	LARC 1003, The American Landscape	
	MLIT 1003, Experiencing Music	
	 MLIT 1013, Music and Society (music majors only) 	
	MLIT 1333, Popular Music	
	THTR 1003, Theatre Appreciation	
	THTR 1013, Musical Theatre Appreciation	
STATE CODE	THTR 1883, Acting 1 for Theatre majors	
STATE CORE HUMANITIES	Choose 1: *	*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the
HOMANITIES	AAST 2023, The African American Experience	State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State
0-3 hrs**	ANTH 1033, Introduction to Archeology	Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas
	ARCH 1013, Diversity and Design	below.
	CLST 1003, Introduction to Classical Studies: Greece	
	CLST 1013, Introduction to Classical Studies: Rome	
	COMM 1233, Media, Community and Citizenship	
	DANC 1003, Dance Appreciation	
	ENGL 1213, Introduction to Literature	
	ENGL 2023, Creative Writing I	
	 GNST 2003, Introduction to Gender Studies 	
	 HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I 	
	HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II	
	 HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877 	
	HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to	
	Present	
	HUMN 1124H*, Honors Equilibrium of Cultures 500-1600	
	(Honors only)	
	 HUMN 2213, Introduction to World Religions 	
	LALS 2013, Introduction to Latin American and Latino	
	Studies	
	 MRST 2013, Introduction to Medieval and Renaissance 	
	Studies	
	MUSY 2003, Music in World Cultures	
	 PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy** 	
	PHIL 2103, Introduction to Ethics**	**Students who take WLIT 1113, WLIT 1123, PHIL 2003, or PHIL
	PHIL 2203, Logic	2103 can count the class for state core humanities and WLIT/PHIL
	 PHIL 2303, Human Nature and the Meaning of Life 	requirement in the major.
	PHIL 3103, Ethics and the Professions	
	THTR 1003, Theatre Appreciation	
	THTR 1013, Musical Theatre Appreciation	
	• WLIT 1113, World Literature: Beginnings to 1650 CE**	
	 WLIT 1123, World Literature: 1650 CE to Present** 	
	Any Intermediate level foreign language numbered at the	
	2000 level	
MAJOR WLIT AND	Take 1:	* This includes any literature course taught by the English
PHIL PEOLUPEMENT	WLIT 1113, World Literature: Beginnings to 1650 CE	department (ENGL), any upper level WLIT course, or any of the
REQUIREMENT	WLIT 1123, World Literature: 1650 CE to Present	following language courses: ARAB 4113, ARAB 4213, FREN 3103,
6 hrs**	 Any advanced Literature course * 	FREN 3113, FREN 4243, GERM 3013, GERM 4213, ITAL 3113, LATN
	 Any language literature course* 	3003, LATN 3013, SPAN 3103, SPAN 3113
	Take 1:	

MAJOR	 PHIL 2003, Introduction to Philosophy PHIL 2103, Introduction to Ethics Any PHIL course at the 3000+ level (PHIL 3103, Ethics in the professions, is recommended) Get to the Intermediate I (2003) level or higher of a foreign 	 **Students who take WLIT 1113, WLIT 1123, PHIL 2003, or PHIL 2103 can also count it for state core humanities above. Language Options: See the <u>catalog</u> for complete list
LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT 3-9 hrs	 language: This may be completed by taking only the 2003 level, <u>if the</u> <u>student has previous fluency</u>, but is most commonly completed by taking three classes (ARAB and CHIN both also offer intensive formats for accelerated study): Elementary I (1003) Elementary II (1013) Intermediate I (2003) 	Language Placement: See the WLLC website for a list of available placement exams for certain languages as well as information about credit by exam for Spanish.
COMMUNICATION	COMM 1313, Public Speaking	Non-communication majors should plan to take this in a spring semester.
3 hrs <u>HISTORY</u>	Take any HIST 3000+ course	HIST classes taken for the Cultural Diversity Requirement can also count here.
3 hrs CULTURAL DIVERSITY 0-3 hrs*	 Take 1: ANTH 4533, Middle East Cultures (Spring only) COMM 4343, Intercultural Communication (Spring only. Pre-req: COMM 2323) HIST 3233, African American History 5ince 1877 HIST 3263, History of the American Indian (Fall only) JOUR 3263, African Americans in Film (Irregular. Pre-req: ENGL 1023) JOUR 4923, History of the Black Press (Spring, even years. Pre-req: Junior standing) SCWK 3193, Human Diversity in Social Work (non-scwk majors can only take section -901) SOCI 3193, Race, Class, Gender and Sexuality (Pre-req: SOCI 2013) Other cultural/diversity course as approved by the School of Journalism and Strategic Media. (see list in the right- hand column for automatically approved classes.) 	 *An approved cultural diversity "HIST" course can count for both the cultural diversity requirement and the HIST 3000+ requirement. Or an approved cultural diversity "JOUR" course can count for both the cultural diversity requirement and as a JOUR elective. However, this does not happen automatically in the degree audit, so if a student would like to overlap this requirement, they need to request this with their academic advisor. In addition to the classes listed in the catalog, the following have been approved to automatically count for this requirement: ADPR 4483, Multiculturalism in Advertising and Public Relations ANTH 3213 Indians of North America ANTH 4913 Middle East Popular Culture ENGL 3853/AAST 449V African-American Literature and the Media HIST 3043 History of the Modern Middle East HIST 3073 Women and Gender in Latin American History HIST 3203 Colonial Latin America HIST 3203 Colonial Latin America HIST 3263 History of Sub-Saharan Africa HIST 3263 History of the American Indian HIST 3263 History of China to 1644 HIST 3313 Latinos and Latinas in the U.S. HIST 3523 Modern China HIST 3923 Hao Zedong and the Chinese Cultural Revolution HIST 4173 The Latin America Today HIST 4173 Andependence and Africa Today HIST 4333 Modern Islamic Thooght HIST 4333 Modern Islamic Thooght HIST 4333 Modern Islamic Thought HIST 4333 Modern Islamic Thought HIST 4333 The American City HIST 4333 Modern Islamic Thought HIST 4333 The American City HIST 4333 Modern Islamic Thought HIST 4333 The American City HIST 4333 Modern Isl

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JOURNALISM AND STRATEGIC MEDIA CORE 16 hrs	 JOUR 1023, Media and Society JOUR 1033, Media Writing (Co- or pre-req: JOUR 1100 or 1003) JOUR 3633, Media Law (Pre-req: Junior Standing) JOUR 4333, Ethics in Journalism (Pre-req: Junior Standing) JOUR 4981, Journalism Writing Requirement (Pre-req: 90 hrs) [or JOUR 498VH if honors] JOUR 2053, Multimedia Journalism (Pre-req: JOUR 1023 and 1033 and completion of GSP requirement. To be taken concurrently or after JOUR 2013) 	 HIST 4413 New Women in the Middle East HIST 4413 Social and Cultural History of the Modern Middle East HIST 4813 Africans and Slavery in Colonial Latin America HIST 4823 Black Freedom in the Age of Emancipation HIST 4823 Black Freedom in the Age of Emancipation HIST 4853 Early Chinese Empires: Mythology, Archeology and Historiography HIST 4853 Classical Though in East Asia HIST 4953 The History of Sub-Saharan African Women JOUR 405V Minorities in the Media** JOUR 405V Minorities in the Media** JOUR 405V Minorities in the Media** JOUR 405V Indian Americans in the Media** JOUR 405V Indian Americans in the Media** JOUR 405V Indian Americans in the Media** JOUR 405V Writing for Racially Diverse Audiences** ***JOUR 405V via a special topics class with many topics that don't count in this category. For this reason, the class can't be programmed to automatically count for this requirement in the degree audit. If students take one of these topics, they need to consult with their academic advisor to have the course moved into the appropriate requirement. A minimum grade of "C" is required in all journalism courses that serve as prerequisites for advanced journalism and advertising/public relations courses. In certain courses a minimum grade of "B" is required. JOUR 1023 and 1033 are only open to students declared as ADPRBA, JOURBA, JOUR-M, or IDSTBA w/ JOUR *Grammar, Spelling, Punctuation Requirement (GSP): All majors and minors must complete the Grammar, Spelling and Punctuation (GSP) requirement as a prerequisite or co-requisite to JOUR 1003 Journalistic Writing Skills with a grade of C or better; or 2. Pass JOUR 1100 Grammar Spelling Punctuation Requirement with a Satisfactory (S) grade by scoring a 75% or better on the GSP test that is admininistered through the class. (Once y
		Students must request a GSP test time a minimum of two weeks before they plan to take the test. There is no guarantee that GSP testing slots will be open when desired, so students must schedule well in advance.)
		**JOUR 405V is a special topics class with many topics that don't count in this category. For this reason, the class can't be programmed to automatically count for this requirement in the degree audit. If students take one of these topics, they need to consult with their academic advisor to have the course moved into the appropriate requirement.
NEWS/EDITORIAL CONCENTRATION 21 hrs	 JOUR 2013, News Reporting I (Pre-req: JOUR 1023 and 1033 and completion of GSP and 30 completed hours) JOUR 3013, Editing (Pre-req: JOUR 1023 and 2013) JOUR 3123, Feature Writing (Pre-req: JOUR 2013) 	A minimum grade of "C" is required in all journalism courses that serve as prerequisites for advanced journalism and advertising/public relations courses.

	 Choose 1: JOUR 3023, News Reporting II (Pre-req: JOUR 2013) JOUR 4503, Magazine Writing (Spring only. Pre-req: JOUR 2013) JOUR 4553, Magazine Editing and Production I (Spring only) Take 9 additional hours of JOUR or ADPR classes (internship is highly recommended for one).* 	*If taken, JOUR 1003 can count for a JOUR elective. Honors JOUR classes can also count here. *JOUR or ADPR 99T transfer courses of any level can count in the JOUR or ADPR elective. *If a JOUR course is taken for the cultural diversity requirement, it can also count here.
<u>GENERAL</u> <u>ELECTIVES</u>	Hours will vary depending on math placement, language placement, and whether a student is exempt from ENGL 1013 and 1023.	Some general electives may need to be upper level to meet college and university residency requirements. See <u>Graduation</u> <u>Checklist</u> on page 2 for more information.
17-42 hrs <u>WRITING</u> <u>REQUIREMENT</u>	Successful completion of JOUR 4981 with a grade of "C" or better or completion of honors thesis automatically satisfies the Fulbright College Writing Requirement. Honors students will meet this requirement via successful honors thesis defense.	
HONORS	 Minimum Requirements for Honors: Maintain cumulative grade point average of 3.5 in all coursework. Complete a minimum of 12 hours of honors courses from the UofA including the following: 	 Honors Thesis Timeline: Honors students should consistently check the honors thesis timeline to stay on track to complete your honors thesis. College Honors: Students who also are following the <u>College Honors Core for Bachelor of Arts</u> programs need to also complete those additional requirements
Fall 2024 Rome Center Standing Substitution	 For students who attend the Fall 2024 Rome Center, here is how courses are approved to count in the major: ADPR/JOUR Elective: COMM/INST 4873, International Communication and Globalization ADPR/ JOUR elective or as second required PLSC course: COMM/PLSC 4373, Political Communication Already Required in Major: JOUR 4333, Ethics In Journalism Already approved to count as ADPR elective and Diversity requirement: ADPR 4483, Multiculturalism in Advertising and Public Relations 	