

AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES, B.A.

FOUR-YEAR PLAN

SAMPLE FOUR-YEAR PLAN

This Sample Four-Year Plan is a tool to assist students and their advisor(s). Students should use it—along with their DARS report, the Degree Planner, and Course Search & Enroll tools—to make their own four-year plan based on their placement scores, credit for transferred courses and approved examinations, and individual interests. As students become involved in athletics, honors, research, student organizations, study abroad, volunteer experiences, and/or work, they might adjust the order of their courses to accommodate these experiences. Students will likely revise their own four-year plan several times during college.

First Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
Communication-A (complete during your first year)		3 AFROMAER major course	3
Quantitative Reasoning-A (complete during your first year)		3 AFROMAER major course (Literature) ²	3
Foreign Language		4 AFROAMER elective (Ethnic Studies) ³	3
AFROAMER Arts & Culture course ¹		3 AFROMAER major course (History & Society) ⁴	3
Elective (eg. SEED = 1 credit)		1-3 Elective	3
		16	15

Second Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
Quantitative Reasoning-B		4 Communication-B	3-4
INTER-LS 210 (Elective)		1 AFROMAER major course numbered 300-above (History & Society)	3
AFROMAER major course (Arts & Culture)		3 Physical Science Breadth	3
Biological Science Breadth		3 Elective	3
Elective		3 Elective	3
		14	15

Third Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
Declare the Major (before 86 credits) ⁴		AFROAMER major course numbered 300-higher (Literature)	3
I/A Comp Sci, Math or Stats (if required for BS)		3 AFROMER major course numbered 300-higher	3

AFROAMER major course numbered 300 and higher	3 Science Breadth	3
Science Breadth	3 Elective	3
Elective	3 Elective	3
Elective	3	
	15	15

Fourth Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
AFROAMER seminar		3 AFROMER Seminar	3
Elective		3 Elective	3
Elective		3 Elective	3
Elective		3 Elective	3
Elective		3 Elective	3
		15	15

Total Credits 120

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Many AFROAMER courses from Arts & Culture carry Humanities breadth and will also meet the L&S Breadth requirement for Humanities (up to 6 credits).

2

AFROAMER literature courses will satisfy the L&S Literature Breadth requirement (6 credits of Literature course work).

3

Nearly all AFROAMER courses carry the Ethnic Studies (ESR) designation and will apply to General Education and the major. Students should complete ESR within first 60 credits.

4

Many AFROAMER courses in History & Society will carry Social Science Breadth and also meet the L&S Breadth requirements for Social Science (12 credits) course work.

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Students must declare a major by the time they reach 86 credits.