

MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY  
General Education Curriculum Guide (Green Sheet)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student I.D. # \_\_\_\_\_

**Critical Thinking Across the Liberal Arts (G1-G3)**

**General Guidelines:**

- Only approved General Education (GenEd) courses may be used.
- Exactly two courses must be taken from at least one department within each G1, G2, and G3 block.
- At least three courses taken throughout blocks G1, G2 &/or G3 must be at the 200 level or above.
- Up to six "Required Related" courses may be counted toward GenEd requirements.
- Courses from the primary major may not fulfill the G1, G2, and G3 blocks; courses from a minor or secondary major may fulfill these blocks.

**G1. Humanities and Fine Arts: Three courses minimum totaling at least 9 credit hours.**

Select courses from: Art, Communications & Theatre, English, Foreign Language (which includes HUMN courses), Music or Philosophy. Students majoring in a Humanities & Fine Arts department may not count courses from the major department in this block.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>✓ 2 from 1 dept.</u>
<u>1.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
<u>2.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
<u>3.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____

**G2. Science and Mathematics: Three courses minimum totaling at least 9 credit hours.**

Select courses from: Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Mathematics, Nursing or Physics. Students majoring in a Science or Mathematics department may not count courses from the major department in this block.

**Additional Guidelines:**

- At least two courses must be taken from the "natural sciences": Biology, Chemistry, Earth Sciences and Physics. This can be two courses from any one of these departments **OR** one course from any two of these departments.
- One course taken within the G2 block must be a Lab course.
- A math course in G2 may count along with the math course from Foundations in Lifelong Learning to satisfy the "two courses in one department" requirement for this block.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>✓ 2 from 1 dept.</u>	<u>✓ 2 from Natural Sci.</u>	<u>✓ 1 Lab Course</u>
<u>1.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
<u>2.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
<u>3.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

**G3. Social Sciences: Three courses minimum totaling at least 9 credit hours.**

Select courses from: African-American Studies, Anthropology, Business Administration, Economics, Geography, Government, History, International Studies, Occupational Safety & Environmental Health, Psychology, Sociology, Social Work/Gerontology, or Women's Studies. Students majoring in the Social Sciences areas may not count courses from their major department in this block.

**Additional Guidelines:**

- Sociology and Anthropology are considered separate in regard to the "2 from 1 department" requirement.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>✓ 2 from 1 dept.</u>
<u>1.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
<u>2.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
<u>3.</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____

## Additional General Education Requirements

### Foundations for Lifelong Learning (4 courses minimum 12 credit hours)

This category requires: **1. ENGL 110, 2. COMM 100, 3. GenEd (G2) approved Mathematics course (MATH 1XX), and 4. Advanced Writing (AW) course (ENGL 311, 312, 313, or 316).**

**Guidelines:**

- ENGL 110 must be completed with a grade of C- or better.
- COMM 100 must be completed with a grade of C- or better.
- The upper level writing (AW) course has a prerequisite of ENGL 110 (C- or better) and a minimum of 60 credit hours completed. Many majors recommend or require a specific AW course. Check the catalog for further details.
- G2 Math course must be different from that used towards the G2 block in the Liberal Arts Core.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. ENGL 110	English Composition	3.0	_____
2. COMM 100	Fundamentals of Speech	3.0	_____
3. MATH	_____	_____	_____
4. ENGL	_____	_____	_____

### Connections & Exploration Courses (minimum 12 credit hours)

**Guidelines/Prerequisites:**

1. **First-Year Inquiry (FYI) Seminar – UNIV 103 (3 credit hours) or Open Elective (3 credit hours)**
  - Open electives (including #4 below) must be 100 level or above and must be taken outside of primary major.
  - For BSE students, required professional education courses **cannot** count as open electives.
2. **Perspectives (P) Course (3 credit hours)**
  - Cannot be used to also fulfill a major requirement.
  - ENGL 110 and COMM 100 completed with grades of C- or better.
  - Minimum of 60 credit hours completed.
3. **Wellness/Health Education course (3 credit hours)**
  - Any WELL 175 course will fulfill this requirement.
  - Elementary Education or Elementary/Special Education major must take WELL 352.
4. **Open Elective (3 credit hours),** see #1 above for more information.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____

### Cultural Diversity & Community (D) Course

- May be satisfied with approved courses from the GenEd requirements (including Perspectives), the major, the minor, the required related area, or general electives.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____

### Writing Intensive (W) Courses (4 courses)

**Guidelines/Prerequisites:**

- May be satisfied with approved courses from the GenEd requirements, the major, the minor, the required related area, or general electives.
- ENGL 110 must be completed with a grade of C- or better.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____

### Developmental Courses (COMM 010, ELED 090, ENGL 010, MATH 090)

These do not count toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation.

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**Liberal Arts Core (36 Credit Hours) (G1-G3)**

**Guidelines:**

1. Only courses approved for General Education (GenEd) may be used in the Liberal Arts Core.
2. In Block G2, students must take two courses from the "Natural Sciences" (Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, and Physics). These two courses *do not* have to come from the same department but one must be a lab science.
3. Students must also take a GenEd Math course that can count in G2.
4. At least **three courses** taken throughout blocks G1, G2 &/or G3 must be **at the 200 level** or above.
5. Up to six "Required Related" courses may be counted toward GenEd requirements.
6. *Exactly* two courses must be taken from one department within G1, G2, and G3. No more than two courses can be taken from one department within G1, G2, or G3, but two courses from two different departments is acceptable.
7. Courses in a student's major discipline can not fulfill a Liberal Arts Core requirement; courses from the minor can fulfill a Liberal Arts Core requirement

**G1. Humanities and Fine Arts: Four course minimum totaling at least 12 credit hours.**

Select courses from: Art, Communications & Theatre, English, Foreign Language (which includes HUMN courses), Music, or Philosophy. Students majoring in a Humanities & Fine Arts department may not count courses from the major department in this block.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>1 dept.</u>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

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**G2. Science and Mathematics: Four course minimum totaling at least 12 credit hours.**

Select courses from: Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Mathematics, Nursing or Physics. Students majoring in a Science or Math may not count courses from the major department in this block.

*NOTE: At least two courses must come from the following group: [BIOL, CHEM, ESCI, or PHYS]; this can be two classes from any one of these departments **OR** one class from two of these departments. The "two from one dept." requirement may be fulfilled from any one of the above 7 departments. One G2 course must be a Laboratory course.*

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>1 dept.</u>	<u>B,C,ES,P</u>
1. MATH*	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

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\* Except for MATH majors.

**G3. Social Sciences: Four course minimum totaling at least 12 credit hours.**

Select from: African-American Studies, Anthropology, Business, Economics, Geography, Government, History, International Studies, Occ. Safety & Environmental Health, Psychology, Sociology, Social Work/Gerontology or Women's Studies. Students majoring in one of these subject areas may not count courses from their major department in this block. Sociology and Anthropology are considered separate in regard to the "2 from 1 department" requirement; a student cannot take one course from each of these programs and count them as 2 from one department.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>1 dept.</u>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

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## Additional University Requirements (15 Credit Hours) (G4)

### G4. Additional General Education requirements: Five course minimum totaling at least 15 credit hours.

#### **I. Fundamentals (6 Credit Hours) -- English 110 and Communications 100**

ENGL 110 must be completed prior to junior year with a grade of "C-" or better; COMM 100 must be completed prior to graduation with a grade of "C-" or better.

Students with advanced background in these areas should consult the catalog for other options.

	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. ENGL 110 Composition	3.0	___
2. COMM 100 Fundamentals of Speech	3.0	___

#### **II. Perspectives (P) Course (3 Credit Hours)**

Choose any course from the list of approved Perspectives courses. This course cannot be taken until after completion of ENGL 110 (grade of "C-" or better) and 24 credit hours of the Liberal Arts Core (G1, G2, and G3).

A course used here cannot be used to also fulfill a major requirement.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Title of Course</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. _____	_____	___	___

#### **III. Writing (W) Requirement (4 courses)**

The Writing requirement may be satisfied with approved courses from the Liberal Arts Core, the student's major area, the required related area, or general electives. These courses cannot be taken until ENGL 110 is completed ("C-" or better).

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Title of Course</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. _____	_____	___*	___
2. _____	_____	___*	___
3. _____	_____	___*	___
4. _____	_____	___*	___

\*Do not double count credit hours for courses already taken by the student in G1,G2 or G3 or in Major.

#### **IV. Upper Level Writing Requirement (3 Credit Hours)**

Choose an upper-level writing course: ENGL 311, 312, 313, or 316. Please note that many majors strongly recommend or require a specific course. Check the catalog for further details.

Prerequisite: ENGL 110 (grade of C- or better) and a minimum of 60 cr. hrs.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Title of Course</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. ENGL _____	_____	___	___

#### **V. Health /Physical Education Requirement - Dept. of Wellness & Sport Sciences. (3 Credit Hours)**

Fulfill this requirement by taking WELL 175. Students repeating this course or have taken

HPED 170 or 175 will not receive an additional 3 credits regardless of topic.

Elem. Ed. & EIEd/SpEd. majors must take WELL 352.

<u>Subject/Course#</u>	<u>Title of Course</u>	<u>Cr. Hrs.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
1. WELL(HPED) _____	_____	___	___

#### **VI. Developmental Courses**

These do not count toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation. Developmental courses include COMM 010, ELED 090, ENGL 010 and MATH 090. (See HPED/WELL warning above.)