Honors College General Education – Substitution Planning Summary

Honors College General Education requirements substitute for the University requirements in Integrative Studies (I.S.) and Writing for HC members. **Substitution courses must be approved by an HC Adviser through the HC Academic Progress Plan (HCAPP).** This summary provides a starting point for HC members in planning General Education substitutions. Note that other academic departments not listed may teach courses with similar content and may also be appropriate for substitutions. To learn more about your options, make an appointment with your HC Adviser.

1 course in WRITING - WRA 195H or an approved departmental course in consultation with an HC Specialist/Adviser – should cover composition, critical reading and research skill development.

2 courses in the ARTS & HUMANITIES area (in place of IAH)

- Philosophy - PHL (130 & above)
- Political Science - PLS w/PHL focus (Political PHL courses 170, 371, 372)
- Religious Studies - REL (150 & above)
- Linguistics - LIN (200, 225, 401)
- Music and Theater – MUS / THR w/ History, Literature & Culture focus (MUS 211, 212; THR 110, 330, 350)
- English - ENG (210 & above)
- World Languages - typically 300 level w/ History, Lit & Culture focus
- History – HST (140 & above)
- History of Art - HA
- Anthropology - ANP (Archaeology courses 203, 264)

2 courses in the NATURAL SCIENCE area (in place of ISB/ISP)

- Astronomy - AST
- Biological Science – BS, MMG, PSL
- Chemistry – CEM
- Physical/Earth Sci Geography – GEO 203, 206
- Geology – GLG 201, 202, 301
- Human Nutrition – HNF 260
- Physics – PHY
- Zoology – ZOL 141
- Entomology – ENT 205
- Plant Biology – PLB 105
- PSY, ANP w/ Nat Sci focus
- PSY 209; ANP 206

2 courses in the SOCIAL SCIENCE area (in place of ISS)

- Psychology - PSY (PSY 101H – Honors Section only; PSY 200 & above)
- Human Development & Family Studies – HDFS (211, 212, 225)
- Economics - EC
- Political Science – PLS (160 & above)
- Sociology – SOC (131 & above)
- Criminal Justice – CJ (220, 275)
- Anthropology – ANP (200, 205 excluded)
- Economic/Social Geography – GEO with Social Science focus

Substitution courses for Honors College members are typically 3-4 credits and above the introductory level. Additionally, courses that are skill-based/practice-based (i.e. music performance, language-learning) or are required for a student’s major are typically not appropriate as substitutions.

HC members may complete Integrative Studies courses (IAH, ISS, ISB, ISP, WRA). However, any Integrative Studies courses intended for HC Gen Ed requirements must be completed as **Honors Sections.** Honors options in I.S. courses do **NOT** fulfill the HC Gen Ed requirement.

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