University Integrative Studies Substitution Summary

This summary provides a starting point for planning substitution courses for IAH, ISS, ISB, and ISP, but is not an exhaustive list. Note that any substitution course not listed in the appropriate category on the SIS degree audit requires approval from an Honors College advisor using the Honors College University Requirements Substitution Request. Click here for more information.



ONLY HONORS SECTIONS in IAH, ISS, ISB and ISP departments are acceptable in fulfilling University Integrative Studies.



HONORS OPTIONS in Integrative Studies courses (IAH, ISS, ISB/P) *will not* fulfill University Integrative Studies requirements.

1 course in **WRITING** (replaces WRA 101)

WRA 195H or an approved departmental course in consultation with an Honors College advisor—should cover composition, critical reading and research skill development.

2 courses in the **ARTS AND HUMANITIES** area (replaces IAH)

Philosophy - PHL 130 & above

Political Philosophy - only PLS 170, 371, 372

Religious Studies - REL 102 & above, excluding REL 185 and 285

Linguistics - LIN 200, 225, 401 plus some 400 level

Theater - THR w/history, literature, or culture focus
- THR 110N, 330, 350

History of Art - most HA, excluding HA 100

English - ENG 204-206, 210, 211H, 218, 231, 280 & above

World Languages - some 300-400 level w/history, literature, or culture focus

History - HST 140 & Above, excluding 201

Anthropology - ANP Archaeology courses only i.e. 203, 264

Women's Studies - most WS courses 201 & above

- Courses that are not acceptable: skill-based/practice-based (i.e. music performance, language-learning); research methodology; required on the primary degree, independent studies
- Substitution courses must be 3-4 credits
  A syllabus may need to be submitted to your Honors
- College Advisor for "Special Topics" courses

2 courses in the **SOCIAL SCIENCE** area (replaces ISS)

Psychology - most PSY courses 200 & above, excluding 295
(PSY 101H - Honors Section Only)

Human Development & Family Studies - HDFS 211, 212, 225 plus some 300-400 level

Social Work - SW 200

Economics - most EC

Political Science - PLS 160 & above, excluding 201 & 202

Sociology - most SOC courses 200 & above

Criminal Justice - CJ 220, 275 plus some 300-400 level courses

Anthropology - most ANP, excluding 205

Geography - most GEO courses 200 & above, excluding 211 and technical courses, excluding 221 & 324

2 courses in the **NATURAL SCIENCE** area (replaces ISB/P)

Biological Sciences - BS, most IBIO, PSL

MMG 201

ENT 205

PLB 105

CJ 210

Physical/Earth Sciences - CEM, GLG, PHY

ANP 206

PSY 209

GEO 203, 206, 302 & 303 HRT 251

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