

General Education Requirements

Board of Regents (SGR) General Education Requirements - A course that counts toward a general education requirement at one regental campus will count towards the same general education requirements at another regental campus regardless of whether the campus offers that course. The courses listed below are offered at Black Hills State University. Requirements as of **Summer 2025**

Goal # 1 - English, take six hours from the following:

ENGL	101	Composition I
ENGL	201	Composition II

Goal # 2 - Speech, take one course from the following:

CMST	101	Foundations of Communication
CMST	215	Public Speaking
CMST	222	Argumentation & Debate

Goal # 3 - Social Science, take two courses from different disciplines. One must be an * course- Civics Requirement :

AIS	257	(HIST) Early American Indian History/Culture
ANTH	210	Cultural Anthropology
CIV	100	American Civics*
CMST	201	Interpersonal Communication
ECON	201	Principles of Microeconomics
ECON	202	Principles of Macroeconomics
GEOG	101	Introduction to Geography
GEOG	210	World Regional Geography
HIST	151	United States History I*
HIST	152	United States History II*
POLS	100	American Government*
POLS	141	Governments of the World
POLS	210	State and Local Government*
POLS	250	Intro to International Relations
PSYC	101	General Psychology
SOC	100	Introduction to Sociology
SOC	150	Social Problems
SOC	151	Social Issues in Sustainability
SOC	201	Introduction to Criminal Justice

Goal # 4 - Arts & Humanities, take two courses from different disciplines, OR a foreign language sequence:

ART	111	Drawing I
ART	112	Drawing II
ART	121	Design I
ART	123	Three Dimensional Design
ARTH	100	Art Appreciation
ARTH	121	Introduction to the Visual Arts
ARTH	211	History of World Art I
ARTH	212	History of World Art II
ARTH	251	(AIS) American Indian Art History
ENGL	115	American Indian Oral Literature
ENGL	210	Introduction to Literature
ENGL	211	Ancient World Literature
ENGL	212	Modern World Literature
ENGL	214	(AIS) American Indian Literature
ENGL	221	British Literature to 1800
ENGL	222	British Literature since 1800
ENGL	241	American Literature to 1865
ENGL	242	American Literature since 1865
ENGL	248	Women in Literature
FREN		101,102, 201, 202 (French)
GER		101, 102 ,201, 202 (German)
HIST	121	Western Civilization I
HIST	122	Western Civilization II
HUM	100	Introduction to Humanities
HUM	101	American Sign Language I
LAKL/AIS		101, 102, 201, 202 (Lakota)
MCOM	151	Introduction to Mass Communications
MUS	100	Music Appreciation
MUS	117	Music In Performance I (1 cr x 3)
MUS	200	American Music
MUS	240	(ANTH) Music Cultures of the World
PHIL	100	Intro to Philosophy
PHIL	200	Introduction to Logic
PHIL	220	Introduction to Ethics
SPAN		101, 102, 201, 202 (Spanish)
THEA	100	Introduction to Theatre
THEA	131	Introduction to Acting
THEA	270	History of World Cinema

Goal # 5 - Mathematics, take one course from the following:

MATH	103	Mathematical Reasoning
MATH	104	Finite Mathematics
MATH	114	College Algebra
MATH	115	Precalculus
MATH	120	Trigonometry
MATH	121	Survey of Calculus
MATH	123	Calculus
MATH	125	Calculus II
MATH	225	Calculus III
MATH	281	(STAT)Intro to Statistics

Goal # 6 - Natural Science & corresponding Lab: take 2 classes with corresponding labs, minimum 6 hours):

BIOL	101	Biology Survey I & 101L Lab
BIOL	103	Biology Survey II & 103L Lab
BIOL	151	General Biology I & 151L Lab
BIOL	153	General Biology II & 153L Lab
CHEM	106	Chemistry Survey & 106L Lab
CHEM	107	Organic & Biochemistry Survey & 107L Lab
CHEM	112	General Chemistry I & 112L Lab
CHEM	114	General Chemistry II & 114L Lab
GEOL	201	Physical Geology & 201L Lab
GEOL	203	Historical Geology & 203L Lab
PHYS	101	Survey of Physics & 101L Lab
PHYS	111	Introduction to Physics & 111L Lab
PHYS	113	Introduction to Physics II& 113L Lab
PHYS	185	Solar System Astronomy & 185L Lab
PHYS	211	University Physics I & 211L Lab
PHYS	213	University Physics II & 213L Lab