Components of an LE Degree

120 credits minimum required,
39 credits upper division

LIBERAL EDUCATION CORE  
(36 cr. minimum)

**KNOWLEDGE**

K1 – Natural Sciences  
(2 experiences, one lab required in K1 or K2 )

K2 – Social Sciences  
(2 experiences, one lab required in K1 or K2 )

K3 – Humanities  
(2 experiences)

K4 – Arts  
(1 experience)

**SKILLS**

S1 – Written and Oral Communication  
(2 experiences, one S1 must satisfy the University Writing Requirement)

S2 – Mathematics  
(1 experience, one S2 must satisfy the University Math Requirement)

S3 – Creativity  
(1 experience, which may be fulfilled by a major-only course)

**RESPONSIBILITY**

R1 – Equity, Diversity, and Inclusivity  
(2 experiences, one R1 experience must satisfy UW Sytem Design for Diversity Req. (DD/DDIV))

R2 – Global Perspectives  
(1 experience)

R3 – Civic and Environmental Issues  
(1 experience)

**INTEGRATION**

I1 – Integration  
(2 experiences, one I1 experience may be fulfilled by a major only course)

**SERVICE LEARNING**  30 hours approved activity

MAJORs and MINOR/CERTIFICATE

Either  
Comprehensive Major (60 cr.)  
(no minor/certificate required)

or  
Major (36 cr.) + Minor (24 cr.)

or  
Major (36 cr.) + Certificate (12-18 cr.)

Options vary

Plus electives to equal 120 credits

Notes on the Liberal Education Core

**College of Arts and Sciences**

BA students meet Language competency at 102 level language (C or better)

BS students meet Math requirement with MATH 111 or 112 or 113 (C or better)

All students

Upper Division LE courses are not required.

Most LE Core experiences are course-based. Some may be fulfilled outside of courses, such as undergraduate research = S2, study abroad = I1

Many courses have several learning outcomes.

S1- An **English placement test score** that fulfills the University Writing Requirement satisfies one S1 experience.

S1- A **Foreign language placement test score** that qualifies student to enter 102 level fulfills one S1 experience.

S1, R2- **Foreign language placement test score** that qualifies student to enter 202 level fulfills one experience in S1 and one experience in R2.

S2- **Math placement test score** that qualifies student to enter MATH 112, 113, or 114 fulfills one S2 experience.

S3- Any combination of two approved music ensembles will fulfill one S3 experience.

I1- Any approved study abroad program or bundle can fulfill one experience..