

## Major Academic Plan

Catalog Year: 2021-22

Degree: **B.A.**

Major: **Philosophy**

Major Academic Plans (MAP) show a general recommended pathway to graduation. Meet with your major advisor each semester to discuss your progress and degree plan for future semesters. Consult the HSU catalog for complete list of major program courses. See the current schedule of classes for courses offered in General Education, American Institutions, and Diversity & Common Ground requirements.

The online registration tutorial (a part of orientation) will help you:

- determine your CSU designated math "[placement category](#)" (1, 2, 3 or 4)
- choose your English class(es) through a similar self-directed process
- choose your Math class(es) based on your major and category information as described in the online registration tutorial

<b>Total units required</b>		<b>120</b>
<b>First Year Fall (Semester 1)</b>		
Requirements Met:	Course	Units
GE Area A: Written Communication [1]	ENGL 102 or ENGL 104 (+ optional ENGL 110)	3-4
GE Area A: Critical Thinking [1]	PHIL 100	3
GE Area C: Arts		3
GE Area D: Social Science		3
GE Area E: Lifelong Learning		3
<b>Semester Total:</b>		15-17
<b>First Year Spring (Semester 2)</b>		
Requirements Met:	Course	Units
GE Area A: Written Communication [1]	ENGL 103* (+ optional ENGL 110)	3-4
GE Area A: Oral Communication [1]	COMM 100	3
GE Area B: Mathematics [1]	MATH 103 or (MATH 103i + MATH 3**)	3-4
GE Area C: Humanities [4, 8]		3
Elective		3
<b>Semester Total:</b>		15-17
* If ENGL 104 was taken the previous semester take an elective, other GE or a major course in place of ENGL 103.		
** Credit earned for math support courses do not count toward GE, major or graduation units.		
<b>Second Year Fall (Semester 3)</b>		
Requirements Met:	Course	Units
GE Area B: Life Science [3]		3
GE Area C: Arts or Humanities [8]		3
American Institutions/GE Area D: Social Science [2]		3
GE Area F: Ethnic Studies & DCG Domestic [4]		3
Elective		3
<b>Semester Total:</b>		15
<b>Second Year Spring (Semester 4)</b>		
Requirements Met:	Course	Units
GE Area B: Physical Science [3]		3
American Institutions		3
Elective		3
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	<b>Semester Total:</b>	15
To Do: Apply to Graduate		
<b>Third Year Fall (Semester 5)</b>		
Requirements Met:	Course	Units
UD GE Area B or D		3
Major & UD GE Area C	PHIL 303	3
Major	PHIL 341 [5]	3
Elective		3
Elective		3
	<b>Semester Total:</b>	15
To Do: Take the GWPE		
<b>Third Year Spring (Semester 6)</b>		
Requirements Met:	Course	Units
UD GE Area B or D		3
Major (Core)	PHIL 302	3
Major (Core)	PHIL 342 [5]	3
Major (Core)	PHIL 345 or 346	3
Major (Core)	PHIL 371	3
	<b>Semester Total:</b>	15
<b>Fourth Year Fall (Semester 7)</b>		
Requirements Met:	Course	Units
Major (Core)	PHIL 343 [5]	3
Major (Core)	PHIL 420 [6]	3
Major (Core)	PHIL 485	3
Major (Elective) [7]		3
Elective		3
	<b>Semester Total:</b>	15
<b>Fourth Year Spring (Semester 8)</b>		
Requirements Met:	Course	Units
Major (Core)	PHIL 425 [6]	3
Major (Core)	PHIL 485	3
Major (Elective) [7]		3
Elective		3
Elective	as needed to reach a total of 120 units	1-3
	<b>Semester Total:</b>	13-15
<b>Abbreviations:</b>		
DCG = Diversity & Common Ground; GE = General Education; LD = Lower Division; UD = Upper Division		
<b>Notes:</b>		
[1] Requirement: Complete LD GE A1, A2, A3 & B: Math with C- or higher in each course; Complete by 60 units earned.		
[2] One American Institution course will also count for LD GE D.		

[3] Science Lab Requirement: take one science course with a lab.	
[4] Complete 2 DCG courses, one must be domestic, with courses that also meet GE	
[5] PHIL 341, 342, 343 should be taken in sequence.	
[6] PHIL 420 & 425 should not be taken until senior year	
[7] Two from PHIL 301, 304, 306, 309B, 355, 415, or 485. Three units of PHIL 391 may be used in lieu of one of the electives and must be approved by the department chair for credit. Note that PHIL 306, if selected, will also meet DCG domestic.	
[8] Recommended for humanities: PHIL 104 (DCG-n), PHIL 106, PHIL 107	