

2025 - 2026 Old Dominion University Catalog

Bachelor of Science (BS) Interdisciplinary Studies with a Major in General Studies

Sample four year curriculum with a suggested ordering of courses. Students may re-order as needed.
** indicates not automatically waived with transferrable associates degree, C or better required for transfer.*
*Courses in **green** are waived by the completion of an Associate degree (Not eligible for Applied Associate degrees).*

YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (30 CREDITS)			
FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)		SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	
<u>General Education Courses:</u>	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>	<u>General Education Courses:</u>	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>
ENGL 110C	ENG 111*	Literature	Transfer Guide
Human Creativity	Transfer Guide	Mathematical Skills	Transfer Guide
Interpreting the Past	Transfer Guide	Info Literacy and Research	Transfer Guide
Oral Communication	Transfer Guide	Philosophy and Ethics (can be met by PHIL 303E)	Transfer Guide
Language & Culture I (May be waived; See requirement details)	Transfer Guide	Language & Culture II (May be waived; See requirement details)	Transfer Guide
YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (32 CREDITS)			
FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)		SPRING SEMESTER (16 credits)	
<u>General Education Courses:</u>	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>	<u>General Education Courses:</u>	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>
ENGL 211C OR ENGL 231	ENG 112, 113, 115 or 131*	Nature of Science II	Transfer Guide
Human Behavior	Transfer Guide	Impact of Technology (can be met by ENGL/IDS 307T, IT 360T, or STEM 370T)	Transfer Guide
Nature of Science I	Transfer Guide	Electives** (9 credits)	
Electives** (6 credits)			
YEAR 3 - JUNIOR (30 CREDITS)			
FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)		SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	
<u>Major Content Requirements:</u>	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>	<u>Major Content Requirements:</u>	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>
IDS 300W OR IDS 493 OR IDS/ENGL 307T		IDS 300W OR IDS 493 OR IDS/ENGL 307T	
Electives** (12 credits)		Electives** (12 credits)	
YEAR 4 - SENIOR (28 CREDITS)			
FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)		SPRING SEMESTER (13 credits)	
<u>Major Content Requirements:</u>	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>	<u>Major Content Requirements:</u>	<u>VCCS Equivalency:</u>
IDS 300W OR IDS 493 OR IDS/ENGL 307T		Electives** (13 credits)	
Electives** (12 credits)			

Note: Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, 120 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 30 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours of upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University, completion of ENGL 110C, ENGL 211C or 221C or 231C, and the writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better, and completion of Senior Assessment.

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Upper-Division General Education is met in the major.

This four-year plan is a suggested curriculum to complete this degree program in four years. It is just one of several plans that will work and is presented only as broad guidance to students. Each student is strongly encouraged to develop a customized plan in consultation with their academic advisor. Additional information can also be found in Degree Works.