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General Education Requirements Key

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I&S	Individuals and Society	I&S courses focus on the study of human behavior both individually and socially
NW	Natural World	NW courses focus on the scientific study of the physical world
VLPA	Visual, Literary, and Performing Arts	Visual, Literary, and Performing Arts
C	Composition	
Q	Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning	
W	Writing	

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ACCT& 201 and ACCT& 202 (5, 5)	Prin of Accounting I Prin of Accounting II	ACCTG 215 (5), B A 2XX (5) if both courses taken; otherwise, B A 2XX	10 credits of Accounting towards admissions requirement for Business. See Business prerequisite list.	
ACCT& 203 (5)	Prin of Accounting III	ACCTG 225 (5)	5 credits of Accounting towards admissions requirement for Business. See Business prerequisite list.	
ANTH& 100 (5)	Survey of Anthropology	ANTH 100 (5)	T ANTH 100 (5)	I&S
ANTH& 204 (5)	Archeology	ARCHY 205 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
ANTH& 205 (5)	Biological Anthropology	BIO A 201 (5)	T ANTH 201 (5)	NW
ANTH& 206 (5)	Cultural Anthropology	ANTH 202 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
ANTH& 210 (5)	Indians of North America	ANTH 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
ANTH& 216 (5)	Northwest Coast Indians	AIS 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
ANTH& 234 (5)	Religion & Culture	JSIS B 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
ANTH& 235 (5)	Cross-Cultural Medicine	ANTH 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
ANTH& 236 (5)	Forensic Anthropology	BIO A 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S, NW

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ART& 100 (5)	Art Appreciation	ART 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ASTR& 100, 101 (5, 5)	Survey of Astronomy, Intro to Astronomy	ASTR 101 (5) for either course, 1XX (5)	5-10 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]
BIOL& 100 (5)	Survey of Biology	BIOL 100 (5)	5 credits of approved human biology course for Social Welfare admission requirement.	NW
BIOL& 211, 212, 213 (6, 6, 6)	Majors Ecology/Evolution, Molecular, PPhys	BIOL 180, 200, 220, 2XX (5, 5, 5, 3) if all three courses taken; otherwise 2XX	TBIOL 120, 130, 140 (5, 5, 5), BIOL 2XX (3) if all three courses taken	NW
BIOL& 241, 242 (5, 5)	Human A & P I, II	BIOL 118, 119 (5, 1), B STR 301 (4), if both courses taken; otherwise BIOL 2XX	BIOL& 241 approved human biology course for Social Welfare admission requirement.	NW
BIOL& 260 (5)	Microbiology	MICROM 301, 302 (3,2)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
BUS& 101 (5)	Intro to Business	UW 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
BUS& 201 (5)	Business Law	MGMT 200 (5)	TBGEN 218 (5)	I&S
CHEM& 121 (5)	Intro to Chemistry	CHEM 120 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]
CHEM& 131 (5)	Intro to Organic/Biochem	CHEM 220 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
CHEM& 140 (5-6)	General Chem Prep w/lab	CHEM 1XX	5-6 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]
CHEM& 161 (6)	General Chem w/ lab I	CHEM 142 (5), 1XX (1)	TCHEM 142, 152, 162 if all courses in sequence are taken.	NW [Q]
CHEM& 162, 163 (6, 6)	General Chem w/ lab II, III	CHEM 152, 162 (5, 5), 1XX (2) if both courses taken; otherwise, CHEM 1XX		NW
CHEM& 261, 262, 263 (6, 6, 6)	Organic Chem w/ lab I, II, III	CHEM 237, 238, 239, 241, 242 (4, 4, 3, 3, 3), 2XX (1) if all three courses taken; otherwise see below	TCHEM 251 (6) and 12 transfer credits received for a total 18 credits allowed if all three courses taken.	NW
CHEM& 261, 262 (6, 6)	Organic Chem w/ lab I, II	CHEM 237, 238, 241 (4, 4, 3), 2XX (1) if both courses taken; otherwise as below	TCHEM 251 (6) and 6 credits for a total of 12 credits allowed if both courses taken.	NW
CHEM& 261 (6)	Organic Chem w/ lab I	CHEM 237 (4), 2XX (2)	TCHEM 251 (6)	NW
CHEM & 262 (6)	Organic Chem w/ lab II	CHEM 238 (4), 2XX (2)	6 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW

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CHEM& 263 (6)	Organic Chem w/ lab III	CHEM 239 (3), 2XX (3)	6 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
CHIN& 121 (5)	Chinese I	CHIN 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
CHIN& 122 (5)	Chinese II	CHIN 1XX	Satisfies UW Tacoma world language requirement. 5 credits received.	
CHIN& 123 (5)	Chinese III	CHIN 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
CJ& 101 (5)	Intro to Criminal Justice	SOC 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
CJ& 105 (5)	Intro to Corrections	LSJ 1XX (LC)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
CJ& 110 (5)	Criminal Law	LSJ 1XX (LC)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
CJ& 240 (5)	Intro to Forensic Science	UW 2XX (LC)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
CMST& 102 (5)	Intro to Mass Media	COM 201 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
CMST& 210 (5)	Interpersonal Communication	COM 270 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA, I&S
CMST& 220 (5)	Public Speaking	COM 220 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA, I&S
CMST& 230 (5)	Small Group Communication	COM 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
CS& 131 (5)	Computer Science I C++	CSE 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
CS& 141 (5)	Computer Science I Java	CSE 142 (4), 1XX (1)	TCSS 142	NW [Q]
DRMA& 101 (5)	Intro to Theatre	DRAMA 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ECED& 105 (5)	Intro to Early Childhood Education	ECFS 1XX (LC)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
ECON& 201 (5)	Microeconomics	ECON 200 (5)	TECON 200 (5) <i>or</i> TBECON 220 (5)	I&S [Q]
ECON& 202 (5)	Macroeconomics	ECON 201 (5)	TECON 201 (5) <i>or</i> TBECON 221 (5)	I&S [Q]
EDUC& 115 (5)	Child Development	PSYCH 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
EDUC& 130 (3)	Guiding Behavior	EDUC 1XX (LC)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
EDUC& 150 (3)	Child, Family, Community	EDUC 1XX (LC)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
EDUC& 204 (5)	Exceptional Child	EDUC 2XX (LC)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
EDUC& 205 (3)	Intro to Education w/ Field Experience	EDUC 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	

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ENGL& 101 (5)	English Composition I	ENGL 131 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	[C]
ENGL& 112 (5)	Intro to Fiction	ENGL 242 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 113 (5)	Intro to Poetry	ENGL 243 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 114 (5)	Intro to Drama	ENGL 244 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 220 (5)	Intro to Shakespeare	ENGL 225 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 226 (5)	British Literature I	ENGL 228 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 227 (5)	British Literature II	ENGL 229 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 228 (5)	British Literature III	ENGL 230 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 236 (5)	Creative Writing I	ENGL 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 237 (5)	Creative Writing II	ENGL 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 244, 245 (5,5)	American Literature I, II	ENGL 250 (5) for either course, 2XX (5)	5-10 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 246 (5)	American Literature III	ENGL 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 254 (5)	World Literature I	ENGL 210 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 255 (5)	World Literature II	ENGL 211 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGL& 256 (5)	World Literature III	ENGL 213 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
ENGR& 104 (5)	Intro to Design	ENGR 100 (5)	6 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
ENGR& 114 (5)	Engineering Graphics	ENGR 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
ENGR& 204 (5)	Electrical Circuits	E E 215 (5), 2XX (1)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
ENGR& 214 (5)	Statics	A A 210 (4), 2XX (1)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
ENGR& 215 (5)	Dynamics	M E 230 (4), 2XX (1)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
ENGR& 224 (4)	Thermodynamics	A A 260 (4)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
ENGR& 225 (5)	Mechanics of Materials	CEE 220 (4), 2XX (1)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
FRCH& 121 (5)	French I	FRENCH 101 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	

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FRCH& 122 (5)	French II	FRENCH 102 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
FRCH& 123 (5)	French III	FRENCH 103 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
FRCH& 221	French IV	FRENCH 201 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
GEOG& 100 (5)	Intro to Geography	GEOG 100 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
GEOG& 200 (5)	Human Geography	GEOG 200 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
GEOL& 101 (5)	Intro to Physical Geology	ESS 210 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
GEOL& 208 (5)	Geology of Pacific NW	ESS 301 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
GERM& 121 (5)	German I	GERMAN 101	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
GERM& 122 (5)	German II	GERMAN 102	Satisfies UW Tacoma world language requirement. 5 credits received.	
GERM& 123 (5)	German III	GERMAN 103	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
HIST& 136, 137 (5, 5)	US History I, II	HSTAA 101 (5) 1XX (5) if all courses taken; otherwise, HSTAA 1XX	5-10 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
HIST& 214 (5)	Pacific NW History	HSTAA 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
HIST& 215 (5)	Women in US History	HSTAA 2XX or GWSS 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
JAPN& 121 (5)	Japanese I	JAPAN 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
JAPN& 122 (5)	Japanese II	JAPAN 1XX	Satisfies UW Tacoma world language requirement. 5 credits received.	
JAPN& 123 (5)	Japanese III	JAPAN 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
MATH& 107 (5)	Math in Society	MATH 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]
MATH& 141, 142 (5,5)	Precalculus I, II	MATH 120 (5), UW 1XX (5) if both courses taken; otherwise, MATH 1XX	TMATH 120 if both courses taken. 5-10 credits received.	NW
MATH& 148 (5)	Business Calculus	MATH 112 (5)	T MATH 122 (5)	NW [Q]
MATH& 151 (5)	Calculus I	MATH 124 (5)	T MATH 124 (5)	NW [Q]
MATH& 152 (5)	Calculus II	MATH 125 (5)	T MATH 125 (5)	NW

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MATH& 153, 254 (5, 5)	Calculus III, IV	MATH 126, 324 (5,3), 2XX (2) if both courses taken; otherwise, see individual entries	T MATH 126 if both courses taken. 5-10 credits received.	NW
MATH& 153 (5)	Calculus IV	MATH 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
MATH& 171 (5)	Math for Elem Educ I	MATH 170 (3), 1XX (2)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
MATH& 172 (5)	Math for Elem Educ II	MATH 171 (3), 1XX (2)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
MATH& 173 (5)	Math for Elem Educ III	MATH 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]
MATH& 254 (5)	Calculus IV	MATH 324 (3), 2XX (2)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
MUSC& 105 (5)	Music Appreciation	MUSIC 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 121 (2)	Ear Training 1	MUSIC 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 122 (2)	Ear Training 2	MUSIC 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 123 (2)	Ear Training 3	MUSIC 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 131 (3)	Music Theory 1	MUSIC 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 132 (3)	Music Theory 2	MUSIC 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 133 (3)	Music Theory 3	MUSIC 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 221 (2)	Ear Training 4	MUSIC 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 222 (2)	Ear Training 5	MUSIC 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 231 (3)	Music Theory 4	MUSIC 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
MUSC& 232 (3)	Music Theory 5	MUSIC 2XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	VLPA
NUTR& 101 (5)	Nutrition	UW 1XX	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	
OCEA& 101 (5)	Intro to Oceanography	OCEAN 101 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW
PHIL& 101 (5)	Intro to Philosophy	PHIL 100 (5)	T PHIL 100 (5)	I&S
PHIL& 120 (5)	Symbolic Logic	PHIL 120 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S, NW [Q]
PHYS& 110 (5)	Phys Non-Sci Majors	PHYS 101 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]
PHYS& 114, 154 (5, 5)	General Phys I w/ lab	PHYS 114, 117 (4,1) for either course	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]

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PHYS& 115, 155 (5, 5)	General Phys II w/ lab	PHYS 115, 118 (4,1) for either course	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]
PHYS& 116, 156 (5, 5)	General Phys III w/ lab	PHYS 116, 119 (4,1) for either course	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	NW [Q]
PHYS& 221 (5)	Engr Phys I w/lab	PHYS 121 (5)	TPHYS 121 (5)	NW [Q]
PHYS& 222 (5)	Engr Phys II w/lab	PHYS 122 (5)	TPHYS 122 (5)	NW
PHYS& 223 (5)	Engr Phys III w/lab	PHYS 123 (5)	TPHYS 123 (5)	NW
POLS& 101 (5)	Intro Political Science	POL S 101 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
POLS& 200 (5)	Introduction to Law	MGMT 200 (5)	TBGEN 218 (5)	I&S
POLS& 202 (5)	American Government	POL S 202 (5)	TPOL S 202 (5)	I&S
POLS& 203 (5)	International Relations	POL S 203 (5)	TPOL S 203 (5)	I&S
POLS& 204 (5)	Comparative Government	POL S 204 (5)	TPOL S 204 (5)	I&S
PSYC& 100 (5)	General Psychology	PSYCH 101 (5)	TPSYCH 101 (5)	I&S
PSYC& 180 (5)	Human Sexuality	PSYCH 210 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
PSYC& 200 (5)	Lifespan Psychology	PSYCH 2XX	5 credits towards developmental psychology admissions requirement. See Psychology prerequisite list.	I&S
PSYC& 220 (5)	Abnormal Psychology	PSYCH 2XX	5 credits towards abnormal psychology admissions requirement. See Psychology prerequisite list.	I&S
SOC& 101 (5)	Intro to Sociology	SOC 110 (5)	TSOC 165 (5)	I&S
SOC& 201 (5)	Social Problems	SOC 270 (5)	5 transfer credits received. No direct equivalent.	I&S
SPAN& 121 (5)	Spanish I	SPAN 101 (5)	T SPAN 101 (5)	
SPAN& 122 (5)	Spanish II	SPAN 102 (5)	T SPAN 102 (5); meets UW Tacoma world language requirement.	
SPAN& 123 (5)	Spanish III	SPAN 103 (5)	T SPAN 103 (5)	
SPAN& 221 (5)	Spanish IV	SPAN 201 (5)	T SPAN 201 (5)	VLPA
SPAN& 222 (5)	Spanish V	SPAN 202 (5)	T SPAN 202 (5)	VLPA
SPAN& 223 (5)	Spanish VI	SPAN 203 (5)	T SPAN 203 (5)	VLPA