



**B.A. Degree
Liberal Arts Major
2012/2013 Catalog**

How to use this program plan: Please write the term and grade for the course that satisfies each requirement.

Student Name _____
 S. SSN/Id No _____
 S. Phone (w) _____ (h) _____
 Adviser _____
 Previous Degree: _____ A.A. _____ A.S. _____ Bachelor's
 Where/term degree earned _____

Liberal Education:

(If student took honors courses-use those courses in place of the corresponding non-honors equivalent.)

The Liberal Education program is divided into four portals: Communication & Language Fluency, Artistic & Creative imagination, Scientific and Analytic Curiosity and, World Understanding. Please see the Brenau University catalog or the Brenau University web site for a list of applicable courses for each requirement. Some majors have more than one course that can satisfy a LE requirement. In those cases, only one of those courses will list on the LE portion of the plan, however, all the courses will be noted on the reverse side of this plan. Note: It is critical to review the concentration courses and cross reference those with LE courses. Post the applicable concentration courses in the corresponding LE requirements below. Courses used toward the concentration in the major may be applied toward the liberal education courses below as well. **If the student earned a previous degree (must be A.A., A.S., or Bachelor's Degree) from a regionally accredited institution, the Liberal Education section of the student's program is considered complete.**

World Understanding	Term	Grade	Course Number & Title
Historical Perspective (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Global Awareness (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Civic Engagement (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Science & Analytic Curiosity			
Mathematics (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Science (7-8 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Reasoning (3-4 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Artistic & Creative Imagination			
Fine Arts (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Literature (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Lifetime Fitness (3 hrs)	_____	_____	WH _____ Title: _____ LS/or LF _____ Title: _____ LS/LF/ or WH _____ Title: _____
Communication & Language Fluency			
Writing (6 hrs)	_____	_____	EH 101 Written Communication EH 102 Reading & Research Writing
Speaking (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____
Modern Language (0-3 hrs) <i>Complete language through the 102 level (or exempt by BYU FLAT test). If taken, 101 will count as a general or communication elective.</i>	_____	_____	CH/IN/FH/or SH 102/or 115 (or higher)
Communication Elective (3 hrs)	_____	_____	_____

Comments:

Program Plan Revised by: _____

 Date _____

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Major: Liberal Arts

The Liberal Arts major is available to Women’s College students. The program consists of liberal education requirements, two primary concentrations, two secondary concentrations, an interdisciplinary capstone course and general electives. The student should seek the assistance of an adviser in the concentration discipline(s) to develop the program of study. After the program is developed, it must be approved by the primary concentration dean(s) before the end of the junior year. The student’s major will print as Liberal Arts on the transcript.

Students must earn a cumulative GPA of 2.0, a major GPA of 2.5, and a minimum of 30 semester hours at the 300/400 level must be applied in the major. The student must earn a minimum grade of “C” in all major courses.

PRIMARY CONCENTRATION A:

Choose 21 semester hours from English or History/ Political Science with a minimum of 12 hours at the upper division (300/400) level.

Term	Grade	Crs #	Title	Hrs
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PRIMARY CONCENTRATION B:

Choose 21 semester hours with a minimum of 12 hours at the upper division (300/400) level from biology, business, dance, fashion, interior design, mass communication, music, psychology, studio art, theatre, and English or history/political science (*whichever is not chosen as primary concentration ‘A’*.)

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CAPSTONE: Take LA 499 Liberal Arts Capstone Experience or the capstone course for either primary concentration.

Approval

Adviser: _____

Dean of concentration 1: _____

Dean of concentration 2: _____

After approval is granted, please copy the plan to the Registrar’s Office to place in the student file.

Note: This program plan is not an official document. It is a tool to assist the student and adviser in schedule planning.

SECONDARY CONCENTRATIONS – Students will select two secondary concentrations with a minimum of 9 semester hours in each secondary concentration. The secondary concentrations can be chosen after the plan is approved by the primary concentration dean(s) and require adviser approval only.

Select from the following (*if not used as a primary concentration*):

biology, business, dance, fashion, interior design, mass communications, music, studio art, psychology, theatre, English, history/political science, foreign languages, gender studies, international studies, legal studies/conflict resolution, mathematics, philosophy, pre-education.

Secondary Conc. A _____ Adviser Initials

Term	Grade	Crs #	Title	Hrs
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Secondary Conc. B _____ Adviser Initials

_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Electives: Enough general electives should be taken to bring the student to 120 total hours (excluding MS 099 and EH 099). See formula below.

Electives: Electives are not listed on the program plan by the Admissions Office, however all courses are posted to the student’s transcript. Electives needed for graduation can be calculated simply by:

- Adding
The total number of hours on the student’s transcript
(available in CampusWEB)
- hours earned for courses taken at the developmental level
+ courses currently registered for
+ courses still outstanding.

A minimum of 120 semester hours is required to graduate from Brenau University. After completing liberal education and major requirements, if the total number of hours on the student’s transcript is not at 120, then the student must take enough general elective hours to reach a cumulative total of 120 hours. If a course is repeated, it is the student’s responsibility to contact the Registrar’s Office to adjust the earned hours on their transcript so that they are not short hours at graduation. Due to placement, a student may graduate with more than 120 semester hours.

Residency requirement:
A residency requirement of 30 semester hours is required to graduate from Brenau University. This includes a major residency of 21 semester hours.

Note: Financial aid recipients cannot receive aid for courses repeated unnecessarily or for courses not specifically required for their degree.

Notes:

This program plan was prepared by the Registrar’s Office.
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