

# **William Paterson University Bachelor's Degree Completion Program at MCCC**



## **Early Childhood**

P-3 or P-3/Teacher of Students with Disabilities

## **Liberal Studies**

Liberal Studies Majors Must Complete any  
two of the following tracks:

English, History, Political Science, Psychology, or Sociology

## **Psychology**

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## **Early Childhood Education Majors: P-3 or P-3/TSD (Teachers of Students with Disabilities) for Students Entering William Paterson University at Mercer County Community College, Fall 2017 and Spring 2018.**

Students who graduate with an AA or AS degree from Mercer County Community College can now complete a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Early Childhood Education from WPU on the MCCC campus. After successfully completing the early childhood major and a second liberal arts major in psychology or liberal studies, students can qualify for the Preschool through Third Grade (P-3) certification with or without the TSD endorsement.

**Certification requirements include passing the Praxis II exam: Early Childhood Education: Content Knowledge (Test code: 5025) and the EdTPA (Teaching Performance Assessment).**

Entering students must have completed the AA or AS degree since January 1, 2005. Six credits of education courses from MCCC's AA in Education are accepted towards the major (EDU 102 and EDU 109). (Students must have two college-level math courses, two science courses, and two history courses (one American) to complete the major and must meet all WPU graduation requirements, including six credits of foreign language to be taken at MCCC.) For the second liberal arts major, students can select Psychology or Liberal Studies in Humanities and Social Sciences with a concentration in any two of the following—English, History, Political Science, Psychology, or Sociology.

The Early Childhood Education majors offered consist of 30-40 credits, depending on the option selected. Both majors include two supervised practicum placements in neighboring school districts (first, one full day a week and then, two full days a week), followed by a full-time clinical teaching experience. Every student will have both urban and suburban field experiences at a range of grade levels. Completion in three semesters is dependent upon the number of credits the student takes each semester, transfer courses, summer work, and the selected second liberal arts major.

Students are eligible for substitute teaching licenses once they have completed 60 college credits. Community college students should begin the process of applying for a substitute teaching license when they are in their final semester of courses at the community college (even before they complete the required 60 credits). They can apply at any public school district office where they would consider substitute teaching. They must complete an application and then make arrangements to be fingerprinted. Fees associated with the application include approximately \$75.00 for fingerprinting and approximately \$125 for the license.

**Please note: Students entering into the Early Childhood Education majors must successfully pass the Praxis 1 Core requirement which includes exams in the disciplines of reading, math and writing. Successfully completing the Praxis 1 Core is a state requirement that must be satisfied before any education courses may be taken at WPU@MCCC. It is recommended that the Praxis I CORE be taken immediately. Sign up at [www.ets.org](http://www.ets.org).**

## **ADMISSION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD MAJOR**

Before a student can take the first education courses at WPU@MCCC, the following must be completed:

1. Successfully complete EDU 109 and EDU 102 at MCCC.
2. Successfully complete PSY 2100 Developmental Psychology (Mercer PSY 206), with a minimum grade of C.
3. Pass the Praxis I CORE Academic Skills for Educators praxis (test code: 5751)
4. Enroll in an appropriate liberal arts or sciences major.
5. Achieve a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher at WPU@MCCC.

## **CONTINUING IN THE MAJOR**

1. Successfully complete all prerequisite courses: two college-level math courses, two science courses (including one lab course), two history courses (at least one American history), 6 credits foreign language (two sequential semesters, American Sign Language is acceptable), ANTH 2020 (Mercer SOC 104 with a minimum grade of a C) before beginning the CIEC 3000 practicum semester.
2. Successfully complete all courses in the selected early childhood major with at least a C in each major course.
3. Maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA throughout the program.
4. Maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA in your education courses.
5. Apply for a substitute teacher's license as soon as 60 credits are completed. Obtain the license before CIEC 2000 Field Placement.
6. The CIEC 3000 Practicum Package and Clinical Experience (Semesters II and III) should be the last two semesters before graduation.
7. Before the final clinical experience, candidates must have 3.0 GPA in their education major and must have passed all the Early Childhood: Content Knowledge (test code 5025) Praxis II test. (Visit [www.wpunj.edu/coe/departments/cert/index.dot](http://www.wpunj.edu/coe/departments/cert/index.dot) for current praxis code numbers).
8. It is the student's responsibility to submit a copy of the Praxis results to the University. Passing Praxis II scores must be received by the Office of Field Experiences by August 1st to complete the clinical experience in the fall semester and by January 1<sup>st</sup>, in the spring semester.

9. Candidates must apply for the field experiences (CIEC 2000, CIEC 3000, and EDUC 4140) in advance. **Field experience applications** are due to the Office of Field Experiences two semesters before the placement (**October 15<sup>th</sup> and March 15<sup>th</sup>**). Field placements are determined by WPU. You cannot be placed in an employment site, in a town where you live, or in a town where you went to school. Applications and directions are available at: <http://www.wpunj.edu/coe/departments/field/applications.dot>
10. Candidates are not permitted to enroll in more than one additional course during the clinical experience semester.
11. The WPU email is the official method of communication. Do not use other emails to contact WPU faculty and staff.

**Please contact the Early Childhood Program Directors at Mercer- Dr. Ranita Cheruvu ([cheruvur@wpunj.edu](mailto:cheruvur@wpunj.edu)), Dr. Soyoun Bae-Suh ([baesuhs@wpunj.edu](mailto:baesuhs@wpunj.edu)) or the Department Chair of the Department of Elementary and Early Childhood Education, Dr. Linnea Weiland at [weilandl@wpunj.edu](mailto:weilandl@wpunj.edu) with any questions about the program.**

## EARLY CHILDHOOD MAJOR-- P-3 AT WPU@MCCC

Fall 2017 Admits	Spring 2018*	Fall 2018	Spring 2019
Take courses in second major and other required prerequisites, Take and pass the Praxis I CORE.	<i>Pre-req: Completion of required courses from MCCC; passing scores on all three section of the Praxis I CORE, substitute teaching license and 3.0 GPA</i>	<i>Pre-req: Semester I courses and all required prerequisite courses</i>	<i>Pre-req: Semester II courses; passing score on PRAXIS II exam in Early Childhood Education (5025)</i>
	9 credits	9 credits	9 credits
	<p>CIEC 2000 Field Experience I - (Contains supervised 1 day per week field experience &amp; seminar) - 1cr.</p> <p>CIED 2130 Technology and Assessment- 3 cr.</p> <p>CIEC 2220 Early Childhood Environments and the Arts - 2 cr.</p> <p>CIEC 3120 Language and Literacy - 3 cr.</p>	<p>EDUC 4140 Clinical Practices I (3 days/week in field) -1 credit</p> <p>CIED 3140 Professional Learning Seminar I- 2 credit</p> <p>CIEC 3300 Language Arts &amp; Social Studies Methods/Assess. - 3 cr.</p> <p>CIEC 3510 Math &amp; Science in Early Childhood Education – 3 cr.</p>	<p>EDUC 4240 Clinical Practices II (5 days/ week in field) – 6 cr.</p> <p>CIED 3240 Professional Learning Seminar II – 3 credits</p> <p>EdTPA is completed and submitted for assessment during this semester.</p>
	NOTE: It is recommended that candidates take the Praxis II in Early Childhood Content Knowledge <i>during or after</i> this semester. (Test code 5025)	NOTE: Praxis II must be passed be taken before this semester and passed before the final semester.	

\*Pending state approval of the revisions to the early childhood programs.

## EARLY CHILDHOOD MAJOR –P-3/TSD AT WPU@MCCC

Fall 2017 Admits	Spring 2018*	Fall 2018	Spring 2019
Take courses in second major and other required prerequisites, Take and pass the Praxis I CORE.	<i>Pre-req: Completion of required courses from MCCC; passing scores on all three section of the Praxis I CORE, substitute teaching license and 3.0 GPA</i>	<i>Pre-req: Semester I courses and all required prerequisite courses</i>	<i>Pre-req: Semester II courses; passing score on PRAXIS II exam in Early Childhood Education (5025)</i>
	14 credits	13 credits	12 credits
	<p>CIEC 2000 Field Experience I - (Contains supervised 1 day per week field experience &amp; seminar) - 1cr.</p> <p>CIED 2130 Technology and Assessment- 3 cr.</p> <p>CIEC 2220 Early Childhood Environments and the Arts - 2 cr.</p> <p>CIEC 3120 Language and Literacy - 3 cr.</p> <p>ECSP 3030 Assistive and Adaptive Technology in EC – 3 cr.</p> <p>ECSP 3050 Positive Behavior Supports – 2 cr.</p>	<p>EDUC 4140 Clinical Practices I (3 days/week in field) -1 credit</p> <p>CIED 3140 Professional Learning Seminar I- 2 credit</p> <p>CIEC 3300 Language Arts &amp; Social Studies Methods/Assess. - 3 cr.</p> <p>CIEC 3510 Math &amp; Science in Early Childhood Education – 3 cr.</p> <p>ECSP 3040 Instructional Strategies –2 cr.</p> <p>ECSP 3060 Assessment in EC –2 cr.</p>	<p>EDUC 4240 Clinical Practices II (5 days/ week in field) – 6 cr.</p> <p>CIED 3240 Professional Learning Seminar II – 3 credits</p> <p>ECSP 3020 Family, Schools and Community Supports – 3 cr.</p> <p>EdTPA is completed and submitted for assessment during this semester.</p>
	NOTE: It is recommended that candidates take the Praxis II in Early Childhood Content Knowledge <i>during or after</i> this semester. (Test code 5025)	NOTE: Praxis II must be passed be taken before this semester and passed before the final semester.	

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**Faculty Contact Information for Early Childhood Education for WPU at Mercer**

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## **Liberal Studies-An Interdisciplinary Major in the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences**

### The Liberal Studies Major Offers A Broad-based Education Program That Is Ideal for Teachers

The Liberal Studies Major combines interdisciplinary training in the arts, humanities and social sciences, allowing students to design a flexible yet rigorous program. Students may select from a wide variety of disciplinary and interdisciplinary tracks. The major is ideal for those who seek a broad-based education and for pre-service teachers seeking certification in P-3 and P-3/TSD (Teacher of Students with Disabilities).

Upon completion, students will understand the interconnection among the arts, humanities and social sciences; have considerable exposure to two academic areas; and develop research, written, and oral communication skills. The Major is offered in collaboration between the College of the Humanities and Social Sciences and the College of Arts and Communication. It is housed in the Department of Philosophy.

#### Liberal Studies Outcomes:

- Inquiry and problem solving
- Critical thinking
- Creative expression
- Communication skills
- Research and synthesis
- Mastery of content
- Use of technology
- Career preparation and lifelong learning

## **What Can You Do With a Degree in Liberal Studies?**

A Liberal Studies degree opens a wide range of careers. In today's information-driven economy, you will need critical thinking skills for continuous learning on the job. Many employers prefer versatile, interdisciplinary thinkers with broad knowledge about the world over narrow specialists with expertise in a single discipline.

The Liberal Studies Program gives you a strong background in two or more academic disciplines, and trains you to think critically about the practical and intellectual connections between them. Our internship program challenges you to apply what you are learning to your professional future, or to do a research project in collaboration with our faculty. Our senior capstone experience helps you contextualize your learning and prepares for your next step after college.

A degree in Liberal Studies trains you to understand complex information, and to communicate it to diverse audiences with different perspectives. It gives you the skills needed to identify the information you need to make good decisions in a fluid and ever-changing world. Below is a list of some careers you might pursue after completing a degree in Liberal Studies:

**Teaching, Law, Politics, Human Resources, Technical Writing, Advertising, Marketing, Social Work, Community organizing, Journalism, Public Relations, Sales, Editing, Creative Writing, Library, Management, Government work, Communications or Non-Profit organizations**

**The Program in Liberal Studies**

The MAJOR consists of 39 to 45 credits, as follows:

**1. Core Requirements..... 9 credits**

A. LBST 2010 Liberal Studies Colloquium: Selected Topics 3 credits (Must be taken at the beginning of the major)

B. LBST 4980 Internship: the Liberal Arts and Civic Engagement 3 credits (Majors may also do an approved internship in one of the 18-credit tracks.

Certification students may fulfill this requirement with EDUC 4140 Student Teaching Internship.)

C. LBST 4800 Senior Capstone Seminar: Selected Topics 3 credits

Students may also fulfill this requirement by taking a Senior Seminar in one of the two chosen tracks.

**Track Requirement**

Students must select any two tracks consisting of 15 to 18 credits, for a minimum of 30 credits. The Liberal Studies Major requires at least 6 credits of electives in each track at the 3000- or 4000-level. Course selection will be done in consultation with the Liberal Studies Advisor.

**LIBERAL STUDIES DISCIPLINARY TRACKS**

(Select Any Two Tracks)

**English, History, Political Science, Psychology, or Sociology**

**ENGLISH**

**Prerequisite.....3 Credits**  
**ENG 1500..... Intro to Literature**  
(Mercer Equivalent – ENG 201)

**Requirements.....18 credits**

ENG 2000 .....Methods of Literary Analysis  
(3 credits)

In addition, choose one of these survey  
courses (3 credits): ENG 3010, 3020, 3030, 3040,  
3050, 3060, 3170, or 3180

Select one Writing Course (3 credits):  
ENG 2310 or 3300

Advanced Writing Courses with a pre-requisite of  
2310 include: 3000, 3090, 3240, 3320, 3340.3380,  
3390, 3430,3550

Advanced Writing Courses with a pre-requisite of  
3300 include 3330 and 3340. Please note: 3340  
may have a pre-requisite of 2310 or 3300.

**Three Electives (9 credits) in writing or literature**  
**(one must be a literature course before 1900)**

Note: 6 of the above credits must be at the 3000 or  
4000 course level.

\*\* waived for WPU at Mercer students who  
have completed an AA /AS degree 2005 or  
later

**HISTORY**

**Requirements.....18 credits (total)**

**Requirements.....6 credits**

HIST 2050 - U.S. History through  
Reconstruction (3 credits)

HIST 2060 - U.S. History since  
Reconstruction (3 credits)

**Electives.....12 credits**

4 History Electives (12 credits)

- **Up to two of them at the 2000 level**
- **At least two of them at the 3000 and 4000 level**

**PSYCHOLOGY****Requirements.....18 credits**

PSY 1100.....**General Psychology**  
*(Mercer Equivalent - PSY101) (3 credits)*

**Electives.....15 credits**

*(Must be 5 additional Psychology courses by advisement)*

**POLITICAL SCIENCE****Requirements.....18 credits**

POL 1200.....**American Government and Politics** (Mercer Equivalent – POL 101) (3 Credits)

**Electives.....12 credits**

*(Must be Political Science courses at the 2000-4000 level)*

**SOCIOLOGY (totally on-line)****Requirements.....18 credits**

SOC 1010.....**Principles of Sociology**  
 (Mercer equivalent SOC 101) (3 Credits)

**Electives.....15 credits**

*(Must be 5 additional Sociology courses by advisement)*

**Faculty Contact Information for Liberal Studies for WPU at Mercer**

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## Psychology Major

Psychology is typically defined as the study of behavior. This simple definition compasses the complexities of psychology and includes the systematic study of thought, emotion, cognition, perception, learning, development, personality, interpersonal relationships, and more at the biological, mental, and social level.

The psychology major is one of the most popular majors at William Paterson University. The major consists of 38 credits designed to expose the students to the breadth of Psychology and includes: developmental psychology, social psychology, clinical psychology, cognitive psychology, and physiological psychology. Our psychology faculty are dedicated teachers and distinguished scholars.

The Department of Psychology is situated within the College of Humanities and Social Sciences, serving both undergraduate and graduate students. The Department provides undergraduates with core and elective courses that introduce the theoretical, conceptual, methodological, empirical and ethical foundations of psychology. The Department expects that all students will demonstrate growth in knowledge and critical thinking, including substantial development of analytic, writing and speaking skills. It is our hope and expectation that students will also acquire a foundation for lifelong learning and a good grasp on career and professional development issues in psychology and associated fields. The program offers relatively small class sizes, and individualized academic advisement. Moreover, the department's mission is buttressed by a strong belief in the intrinsic value of advancing knowledge.

William Paterson University's psychology program allows graduates to pursue a variety of jobs upon earning their bachelor's degree. It also prepares them to continue graduate study in the field.

A major in psychology provides a solid background for those interested in advanced study in such areas as social work, education, law, public administration, business, medicine and theology. Within the field itself, career opportunities exist at bachelors, masters, and doctoral levels. Here are some examples.

### **Bachelor's level:**

Social Services, Health Care, Human Resources, Marketing or Market Research

**Master's level:**

Social Worker (MSW), Mental Health Worker (e.g. alcohol/drug abuse, school, mental hospital, agencies), Organizational Consultant, Community College Instructor or Research Technician.

**Requirements of the Psychology Major****Pre-requisites - 10 CREDITS****Major Requirements - 38 CREDITS****Pre-requisites 10 credits**

PSY 1100	General Psychology	3
Math 1100 or Math 1300 or College Math	Contemporary Math or Statistics or other College Level Math	3
BIO 1140 or BIO 1200	Applied Anatomy and Physiology or Human Biology	4

Students majoring in Psychology are required to earn no less than a grade of C- in **any** Psychology course.



**Major Requirement 38 credits**

PSY 2020	Experimental Psychology I: Applied Statistics	4
PSY 2030	Experimental Psychology II: Laboratory	4
PSY 2100	Developmental Psychology	3
PSY 2200	Social Psychology	3
PSY 2300	History and Systems of Psychology	3
PSY 3500 or 3510	Theories of Personality or Abnormal Psychology	3
PSY 3530	Physiological Psychology	3
PSY 3540 or 3750	Learning or Cognitive Psychology	3
PSY 4800	Seminar in Psychology	3
Any PSY	Three electives within Psychology	9

Psychology electives will be offered on site and online on a rotating basis.

**Tips for Transfers with AA/AS Degrees, Psychology Majors at MCCC****Make sure you have the prerequisite courses at MCCC:**

Biology 106- Human Anatomy

Psychology 101- Introduction to Psychology

Psychology 207 -Developmental Psychology

Complete two math courses: Math 108 and 149 or 200 are recommended.

**Make sure you have the courses required for graduation:**

Six credits of one foreign language

One writing intensive course which will be completed in your major

**Faculty Contact Information  
for Psychology Majors**

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## **WPU at Mercer Minors**

The following minors are available at WPU at Mercer:

- English
- History
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Sociology (totally on-line)

Minors are available to all students at WPU at Mercer with a caveat for Liberal Studies majors (see point C below). All minors offered at WPU at Mercer are 18 credits.

Other important information about minors:

- A. Students can only transfer in up to half the credits in the minor.
- B. At least half of the credits for the minor must be taken at WPU.
- C. Students cannot select a minor in the same discipline as one of their tracks for the Liberal Studies major (for example, a Liberal Studies English track student cannot minor in English)
- D. WPU at Mercer students may request a minor by going onto their WPU Connect account-under the student tab, look for Academic Services, then select Add/ Declare or Change Minor

### **ENGLISH MINOR**

#### **Prerequisite**

**ENG 1500\*\* ..... Intro to Literature**

Requirements-18 credits:

ENG2000-Methods of Literary Analysis

One Survey course

One Writing course

Three elective courses in writing or literature, however, one must be a literature course before 1900.

*Explanations and definitions:*

Literature Course before 1900: you can tell if an ENG course covers a period before 1900 from reading the course description at the English Department website, or in the course catalog when you're registering.

English survey courses include:

3010, 3020, 3030, 3040, 3050, 3060, 3170, and 3180 English

writing courses include:

3300, 2310, 3000, 3090, 3240, and 3320 (pre-req 2310), 3330 (pre-req 330), 3340 (pre-req 2310 or 3300), 3380 (pre-req 2310), 3390 (pre-req 2310), 3430 (pre-req 2310), 3550 (pre-req 2310).

\*Waived for WPU at Mercer students who have completed an AA/AS degree 2005 or later.

## **HISTORY MINOR**

### **Requirements (18 credits)**

1. HIST 2050 - U.S. History through Reconstruction (3 credits)
2. HIST 2060 - U.S. History since Reconstruction (3 credits)
3. 4 History Electives (12 credits)
  - a. **Up to two of them on the 2000 level**
  - b. **At least two of them on the 3000 and 4000 levels.**

## **PSYCHOLOGY MINOR**

### **Requirements (18 credits)**

PSY 1100.....**General Psychology** (*Mercer Equivalent - PSY 101*)

**Electives**.....15 credits

*(Must be 5 additional Psychology courses by advisement)*

**POLITICAL SCIENCE MINOR****Requirements (18 credits)**

POL 1200.....**American Government and Politics** (Mercer Equivalent  
– POL 101)

**Electives..... 15 credits**

*(Must be Political Science courses at the 2000-4000 level)*

**SOCIOLOGY MINOR (totally on-line)****Requirements (18 credits)**

SOC 1010.....**Principles of Sociology** (Mercer equivalent SOC101)

**Electives.....15 credits**

*(Must be 5 additional Sociology courses by advisement)*

## Mercer Academic Advisement Sheets



**Liberal Arts Division  
Program Advisement Guide  
[Revised August 2014]  
Education (A.A.) 13760**

Education Coordinator:

Dr. Theresa Capra

Room LA 150

### Alignment for Transfer into William Paterson Education BA (p-3, p-3/TSD)

#### COURSE CATEGORIES

#### CREDITS

##### Communication

**9**

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|---|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ENG101 English Composition I (“C” grade or higher required)<br>(Gen Ed)      | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ENG102 English Composition II (“C” grade or higher required)<br>(Gen Ed)     | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CMN111 Speech: Human Communication <b>OR</b> CMN112 Public Speaking (Gen Ed) | _____ |

##### Education

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| <input type="checkbox"/> EDU109 Introduction to Education            | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EDU102 Introduction to Exceptional Children | _____ |

##### Social Science

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| • PSY101 Introductory Psychology (“C” grade or higher required)<br>(Gen Ed)             | _____ |
| • PSY206 Child Development (Must have completed PSY101 with at least a “C”)<br>(Gen Ed) | _____ |
| • SOC104 Sociology of Education   | _____ |

##### Humanities

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|---|-------|
| • Humanities Elective (Phil, Art, Music, History, World Lang, Literature, Religion)<br>(Gen Ed) | _____ |
| • World Language I<br>(Gen Ed)  | _____ |
| • World Language II<br>(Gen Ed)   | _____ |

<b>Diversity and Global Perspective</b>	<b>3</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Consult college catalog p. 133 for full list of possible courses. (Gen Ed DGP)	_____
<b>History</b>	<b>6</b>
• HIS 112 or 113. (Gen Ed)	_____
• HIS105,106, 109, <b>OR</b> 214 (Gen Ed)	_____
<b>Mathematics (select any TWO math courses)</b>	<b>6-8</b>
• Math Elective (Gen Ed)	_____
• Math Elective (Gen Ed)	_____
<b>Natural Science (select TWO lab science courses—one from each line)</b>	<b>6-7</b>
• BIO113 Biological Concepts <b>OR</b> BIO106 (Gen Ed)	_____
• PHY111 Physical Science Concepts <b>OR</b> CHE 106 Chemical Science Concepts (Gen Ed)	_____
<b>Technology</b>	<b>3</b>
• IST101 Computer Concepts with Applications (Gen Ed)	_____
<b>Program Elective</b>	
• Choose a course related to your desired second major (Psychology, English, Math, etc.)	<b>3</b> _____
<b>Concepts of Health and Fitness (HPE110 or HPE111)</b>	<b>2-3</b>
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**Total Credits Required: 62-67**

Be sure to make an appointment for

advisement. Your course selections can be tailored to fit your intended second major at WPU.

**Minimum GPA: 2.00**



*Liberal Arts Division*  
*Program Advisement Guide [Revised 10/14/14]*  
*Liberal Arts – General Degree (A.A)*  
*Alignment for Transfer into William Paterson University-Liberal Studies Major*  
*(Concentrations in English, History, Political Science and Psychology)*

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<u>COURSE CATEGORIES</u>	<u>CREDITS</u>
<b>Communications</b>	15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ENG 101: English Composition I _____</li> <li>• ENG 102: English Composition II _____</li> <li>• CMN 111: Speech: Human Communication <b>OR</b> CMN 112: Public Speaking _____</li> <li>• ENG: 1 Literature electives (<b>select any 200-level Gen Ed. ENG course</b>) _____</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> ENG: 1 Literature electives (<b>select any 200-level ENG course</b>) _____</li> </ul>	
<b>Social Science</b>	9
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 Social Science general education electives (<b>PSY 101 OR SOC 101 OR SOC107</b>) _____</li> <li>• 1 Social Science general education electives (<b>PSY 101 OR SOC 101 OR SOC107</b>) _____</li> <li>• 1 Social Science program elective (<b>Recommended: POL 101</b>) _____</li> <li>• 1 Social Science program elective (<b>select any Social Science general ed. course</b>) _____</li> </ul> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">(No more than 6 credits may be taken in any one Social Science discipline)</p>	
<b>Humanities</b>	9
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> PHI 102: Philosophy <b>OR</b> PHI 204: Ethics <b>OR</b> PHI 205: Moral Choices _____</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Language I* (<b>must be the same language</b>) _____</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Language II* (<b>must be the same language</b>) _____</li> </ul>	
<b>Diversity and Global Perspective</b>	3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Diversity and Global Perspective elective _____</li> </ul>	
<b>History</b>	6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> HIS: History 101 or History 102 _____</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> HIS: History (<b>Recommended: HIST105</b>) _____</li> </ul>	
<b>Mathematics</b>	6-8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> MAT: Mathematics 125 _____</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> MAT: Mathematics 126 _____</li> </ul>	
<b>Natural Science</b>	3-4
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Science laboratory elective (<b>Recommended: BIO106</b>) _____</li> </ul>	
<b>Technology</b>	3

- IST 101: Computer Concepts with Applications \_\_\_\_\_

***Concepts of Health and Fitness*** 2

- HPE 110: Concepts of Health and Fitness (**HPE 111-OK alternate**) \_\_\_\_\_

**Program Elective (*Recommended: HIST 106*)** 3

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**TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED:**

**MINIMUM GPA: 2.0**

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\* American Sign Language 101 and 102 is acceptable.

*Liberal Arts Division*  
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<b><u>COURSE CATEGORIES</u></b>	<b><u>CREDITS</u></b>
<b><i>Communications</i></b>	<b>15</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 101: English Composition I	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 102: English Composition II	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CMN 111: Speech: Human Communication <b>OR</b> CMN 112: Public Speaking	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG: 1 Literature electives ( <b><i>select any 200-level Gen Ed. ENG course</i></b> )	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG: 1 Literature electives ( <b><i>select any 200-level ENG course</i></b> )	_____
<b><i>Social Science</i></b>	<b>12</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY101: Intro to Psychology	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC101: Intro to Sociology	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY207: Developmental Psychology	_____
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 Social Science program elective (<b><i>select any Social Science general ed. course</i></b>) _____</li> </ul> (No more than 6 credits may be taken in any one Social Science discipline)	
<b><i>Humanities</i></b>	<b>9</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Humanities General Education Elective	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Language I* ( <b><i>must be the same language</i></b> )	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Language II* ( <b><i>must be the same language</i></b> )	_____
<b><i>Diversity and Global Perspective</i></b>	<b>3</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Diversity and Global Perspective elective	_____
<b><i>History</i></b>	<b>6</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> HIS: History 101 and History 102 <b>OR</b>	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> HIS: History 112 and History 113	_____
<b><i>Mathematics</i></b>	<b>6-8</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT: Mathematics 125	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT: Mathematics 126	_____
<b><i>Natural Science</i></b>	<b>4</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> BIO106	_____
<b><i>Technology</i></b>	<b>3</b>

- IST 101: Computer Concepts with Applications \_\_\_\_\_

***Concepts of Health and Fitness***

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- HPE 110: Concepts of Health and Fitness (**HPE 111-OK alternate**) \_\_\_\_\_

**Program Elective**

- PSY 208 Personality 3 \_\_\_\_\_

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**TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED: 63-67**

**MINIMUM GPA: 2.0**

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