

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## GENERAL STUDIES PROGRAM CHECKLIST (122 s.h.) 2023-24 Academic Calendar

THIS CHECKLIST IS INTENDED TO ASSIST STUDENTS AND ADVISORS IN ENSURING THAT ALL REQUIREMENTS ARE MET. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE **STUDENT** TO ENSURE THAT ALL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE GRANTING OF A DEGREE HAVE BEEN MET.

### 1. Inquiry: Ways of Knowing - Core Requirements (46 s.h.\*)

\*University Core Requirements are modified for students who transfer in with 57 s.h. or more of initial transfer credit. See Academic Calendar for details (twu.ca/ calendar)

| ✓ COURSE   | S.H.       | NOTES | ✓ COURSE   | S.H.                                      | NOTES |
|--|------------|-------|--|---|-------|
| <b>FOUNDATIONAL INQUIRIES (28 sem. hrs.)</b>   |            |       | <input type="checkbox"/>   | Academic Writing Requirement <sup>2</sup> |       |
| <b>Academic Research &amp; Writing</b>   |            |       | <b>WAYS OF KNOWING (18 sem. hrs.)</b>  |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | ENGL _____ | 3     | In addition to the courses on the left, students must take an additional 18 sem. hrs., selecting 3 sem. hrs. from each of the following six categories. *At least 9 sem. hrs. must be from outside of the student's major. |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | ENGL _____ | 3     |  |   |       |
| Choose 2 courses (6 sem. hrs.) from ENGL 101, 102, 103, 104  |            |       |  |   |       |
| <b>Foundations</b>   |            |       | <b>Aesthetic &amp; Performance Inquiry</b>   |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | FNDN 101   | 1     | <input type="checkbox"/>   | _____                                     | 3     |
| Compulsory during the first semester of the first year. <sup>1</sup>   |            |       | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Aesthetic & Performance Inquiry category below.  |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | FNDN 102   | 3     | <b>Cultural &amp; Linguistic Inquiry</b>   |   |       |
| Normally taken before year 3   |            |       | <input type="checkbox"/>   | _____                                     | 3     |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | FNDN 201   | 3     | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Cultural & Linguistic Inquiry category below.  |   |       |
| <b>Logical &amp; Ethical Reasoning</b>   |            |       | <b>Experiential &amp; Embodied Inquiry</b>   |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | PHIL _____ | 3     | <input type="checkbox"/>   | _____                                     | 3     |
| Choose one of PHIL 100, 103, 105, 106, 109, or 210   |            |       | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Experiential & Embodied Inquiry category below.  |   |       |
| <b>Religious &amp; Spiritual Thought</b>   |            |       | <b>Historical &amp; Archival Inquiry</b>   |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | RELS 110   | 3     | <input type="checkbox"/>   | _____                                     | 3     |
| Compulsory during the first semester of the first year.  |            |       | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Historical & Archival Inquiry category below.  |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | RELS 111   | 3     | <b>Quantitative &amp; Computational Inquiry</b>  |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | RELS 112   | 3     | <input type="checkbox"/>   | _____                                     | 3     |
|  |            |       | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Quantitative & Computational Inquiry category below.   |   |       |
| <b>Scientific Method &amp; Lab Research</b>  |            |       | <b>Social &amp; Global Inquiry</b>   |   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/>   | _____      | 3     | <input type="checkbox"/>   | _____                                     | 3     |
| Choose one of BIOL 103, 104, 113/198, 114/199, 216, 241, 262; CHEM 101, 103/198, 111/198; GENV 109, 121, 262; GEOL 109; PHYS 111 |            |       | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Social & Global Inquiry category below.  |   |       |

<sup>1</sup>FNDN 101 is compulsory during the first semester of the first year for all new students unless they have a minimum 24 sem. hrs. initial transfer credit.

<sup>2</sup>**Academic Writing Requirement:** students must take WRTG 100 (native English speakers) or WRTG 101 (non-native English speakers) in their first semester at TWU, unless exempt at the time of admission to the University. WRTG course credit may be included toward a degree program as elective credit.

#### Aesthetic & Performance Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: ART 181, 182, 250; ENGL 207, 208, 310; HKIN 342; MCOM 211, 221, 231, 369; MUSI 110; PHIL 370; SAMC 111, 370; THTR 130, 161; any Music Ensembles; any Music Lessons.

#### Cultural & Linguistic Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: ANTH 210, 395; EDUC 496; ENGL 334, 340, 482; GREE 235; HEBR 245; HIST 237; IDIS 201; POLS 237; RELS 235, 245; SOCI 395; any World Languages & Cultures course (CHIN, FREN, JAPA, RUSS, SPAN).

#### Experiential & Embodied Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: ART 305, 306, 307; BIOL 316, 318, 362, 364, 409, 410; BIOT 200, 300, 400, 409, 410; BUSI 395, 396, 49x; CHEM 409, 410; CMPT 409, 410; EDUC 302, 303, 402, 403; GENV 131, 316, 318, 372, 373, 374, 375, 409, 410; HIST 310, 315, 316; HKIN 201, 202, 216, 235, 266, 336, 355, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460; LING 398, 399; MATH 409, 410; MCOM 281, 391, 392, 393; NURS 213; POLS 395, 396; PSYC 322, 497, 498; SOCI 320, 411, 420; THTR 101, 102, 151, 152, 153, 154, 175, 210, 301, 302, 351, 352, 353, 354; any 1 sem. hr. HKIN Activity course; any Travel Study.

#### Historical & Archival Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: ART 237, 238; ECON 306; GENV 312; HIST 107, 108, 135, 306, 339, 391; MUSI 131, 132; NURS 230; PHIL 203, 314, 421; POLS 391; PSYC 408; RELS 320, 351, 352, 475; SAMC 112; SOCI 391; THTR 331, 332.

#### Quantitative & Computational Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: BUSI 176, 275; CHEM 104, 112; CMPT 140; DATA 100; ECON 176, 275; GENV 282, 382, 383; MATH 102, 108, 123, 150, 190, 191; PHYS 112; PSYC 207; SOCI 207; SOCS 305, 383.

#### Social & Global Inquiry

Choose 3 semester hours from: ANTH 101, 302; BUSI 311; ECON 311, 354; EDUC 345, 365; ENGL 348; GENV 111, 212, 322, 354; LING 101, 210, 302; MCOM 111, 171, 251, 313, 315, 317, 372, 491; NURS 227; PHIL 208, 220, 310, 320; POLS 101, 211, 310, 312, 320, 493; PSYC 399; RELS 271, 272, 285, 381, 384, 386, 476; SOCI 101; THTR 348.

A Bachelor of Arts degree in General Studies is available by combining a minimum of two minors (24 s.h. each), at least one of which is not a natural or applied science. For more depth, students may choose to do a concentration (30 s.h. each) in one or both cases. Students must ensure that they have a minimum of 24 s.h. of upper-level credits in the combination of the minors and/or concentrations.

**2. Minor / Concentration in \_\_\_\_\_ (24-30 s.h.)**

Please attach the appropriate Concentration/Minor checklist, available at [twu.ca/advising](http://twu.ca/advising)

**3. Minor / Concentration in \_\_\_\_\_ (24-30 s.h.)**

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**4. Elective Courses (16-28 s.h.)**

| ✓                        | SUBJECT | COURSE # | S.H. | NOTES | ✓                        | SUBJECT | COURSE # | S.H. | NOTES |
|--------------------------|---------|----------|------|-------|--------------------------|---------|----------|------|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> |         |          |      |       | <input type="checkbox"/> |         |          |      |       |
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- **NOTE:** A total of 122 s.h. of credit, including a minimum of 42 s.h. of upper-level credit is required for graduation. A minimum overall (cumulative) GPA of 2.00 is required for graduation.
- **NOTE:** In order to be eligible for graduation you must complete an Application for Graduation via the Student Portal and submit a completed checklist to the Office of the Registrar by April 30 of the year prior to your completion (there is no fee to apply for graduation). Once your complete application has been received, a degree audit will be completed for you. This audit will confirm which courses are still outstanding in order for you to complete your degree.
- **NOTE:** Due to the flexible nature of this program, there is no specific 4-year plan. Please consult with an academic advisor in the Learning Commons to create an individualized plan.