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INTRODUCTIONS

THE OFFICE OF ACADEMIC ADVISING

ADVISING@DU.EDU

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REVIEW YOUR DEGREE AUDIT

DO NOW: REVIEW YOUR DEGREE AUDIT

1. LOG INTO [My4D](#).
2. IN THE SEARCH BAR, TYPE **DEGREE AUDIT**.

UNIVERSITY of
DENVER
OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

DEGREE AUDIT PLANS ADMIN LINKS

Degree Audit - For questions or requests, contact registrar@du.edu

Student ID 

Select Student 

[Advanced search](#)

CHECK YOUR DEGREE AND MAJOR INFO

Student ID ×

Name

Degree

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Level Undergraduate Classification **Major** Minor Program

Concentration College Specialization Pronouns

Academic Standing Advisor

Degree Status

- **Updates this summer?**
E-mail registrar@du.edu
- Exploring multiple interests? Is one **more structured** (STEM, Music, Business, Pre-Health)? Start there!

AP, IB, AND TRANSFER CREDITS



First-Year & Transfer Student
Advising and
Registration

First-Year Students

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AP/IB & Transfer Credits

Overview

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First-Year Seminar

Common Curriculum

The University of Denver grants credit for select Advanced Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB) examination scores as well as previous college coursework through enrollment in college-level courses. Incoming students should submit AP and IB scores and college transcripts prior to registration so that we can help place students in the correct courses.

Undergraduate Admissions will send you an initial credit evaluation, which will indicate what courses will automatically transfer for credit at DU.

Pending credits? Don't repeat the same class.



Advanced Placement Credit 2025-2026 Academic Year

AP credit is granted under the guidelines stated below; **please pay particular attention to the footnotes¹**.

A maximum of 45 credits can be awarded for combined AP **and** IB exams.

Courses listed as 1XXX or 2XXX signify elective credit within that subject.

AP SCORE	5	4	3	Notes ¹
SUBJECT				
African American Studies²	HIST 1XXX (4cr)	HIST 1XXX (4cr)		- Analytical Inquiry: Society & Culture - Critical Race & Ethnic Studies minor credit
Art History	ARTH 2801 (4cr) ARTH 2802 (4cr)	ARTH 2801 (4cr)	ARTH 2801 (4cr)	Analytical Inquiry: Society & Culture
Studio Art (2D Design)	ARTS 1100 (4cr)	ARTS 1100 (4cr)	ARTS 1100 (4cr)	
Studio Art (3D Design)	ARTS 1200 (4cr)	ARTS 1200 (4cr)	ARTS 1200 (4cr)	
Studio Art (Drawing)	ARTS 1250 (4cr)	ARTS 1250 (4cr)	ARTS 1250 (4cr)	
Biology	BIOL 1011 (4cr) & 1021 (1cr) BIOL 1010 (4cr) & 1020 (1cr)	BIOL 1011 (4cr) & 1021 (1cr)		Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
Calculus AB	MATH 1951 (4cr) ³	MATH 1951 (4cr) ³		Analytical Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
Calculus BC	MATH 1951 (4cr) ³ MATH 1952 (4cr) MATH 1953 (4cr)	MATH 1951 (4cr) ³ MATH 1952 (4cr)	MATH 1951 (4cr) ³	Analytical Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
Chemistry	CHEM 1010 (3cr) & 1240 (1cr)	CHEM 1010 (3cr) & 1240 (1cr)		Scientific Inquiry:

Common Curriculum

INCOMPLETE



Meaningful understanding of any one discipline is enriched by awareness of a variety of ways of generating knowledge about the world through the Common Curriculum. Furthermore, contact with a breadth of disciplines prepares you for citizenship and leadership as a hallmark of a liberal arts education at DU.

	Course	Title	Grade	Credits	Term	Repeated
☐ FIRST YEAR SEMINAR	Still needed: To provide an introduction to rigorous and engaging academic university level experience, you will engage with a faculty mentor in the exploration of topics in which faculty have particular passion and expertise.					
☐ Must take in first term of admissions	4 Credits in FSEM 1110 or 1111					
☐ WRITING AND RHETORIC	To convey written material to compel multiple audiences, you will learn rhetorical principles, the analysis and use of readings and source materials, and techniques for generating, revising and editing texts for specific situations.					
☒ Rhetoric and Academic Writing	WRIT 1122	AP English Language & Comp	TR	4	Autumn Quarter 2018	
	Satisfied by: APLANG4 - AP English Language & Comp - Advanced Placement					
☐ Writing and Research	Still needed: 1 Course in WRIT 1133 					

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT REMINDERS

YEAR 1 OR 2

Study abroad?
Major/minor?
STEM/Pre-health?

AP/IB CREDITS

AP or IB credits do
not fulfill Common
Curriculum
Language
requirements

DON'T TAKE 1001

If you completed 2+
years of high school
language, take the
[Language
Placement](#)

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

International
students, did you
receive an e-mail
about **WRIT 1022**?

LANGUAGE SUBSTITUTION

Students may be
approved for this
accommodation through
[Student Disability
Services \(SDS\)](#)

QUESTIONS?

E-mail CWLC@du.edu

[Language Tutoring](#)



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REVIEW YOUR COURSE PLAN

BA/BS in Psychology

First Year

FALL	CREDITS	WINTER	CREDITS	SPRING	CREDITS
FSEM IIII	4	WRIT II22	4	WRIT II33	4
Language sequence or SI natural sequence	4	Language sequence or SI natural sequence	4	Language sequence or SI Natural sequence	4
AI Society or AI Natural	4	AI Society or AI Natural or SI Society	4	AI Society or AI Natural or SI Society	4
PSYC I00I	4	PSYC I00I or 2300	4	PSYC I00I or 2300	4
	16		16		16

BS in Biological Sciences

First Year

FALL	CREDITS	WINTER	CREDITS	SPRING	CREDITS
FSEM IIII	4	WRIT II22	4	WRIT II33	4
CHEM I010	3	CHEM I020	3	CHEM 2I3I	3
CHEM I240	1	CHEM I250	1	CHEM 2I4I	1
MATH I95I or BIOL 2090	4	MATH I95I or I952	4	MATH I952 or I953	4
Common Curriculum Requirement/Elective ¹	4	BIOL I0II	4	BIOL I0I0	4
		BIOL I02I	1	BIOL I020	1
	16		17		17

MANY COURSE PLANS ARE *VERY FLEXIBLE*, BUT THESE ARE NOT:

STEM (SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, OR MATH)

PRE-HEALTH/PRE-MED TRACKS

COMPUTER SCIENCE

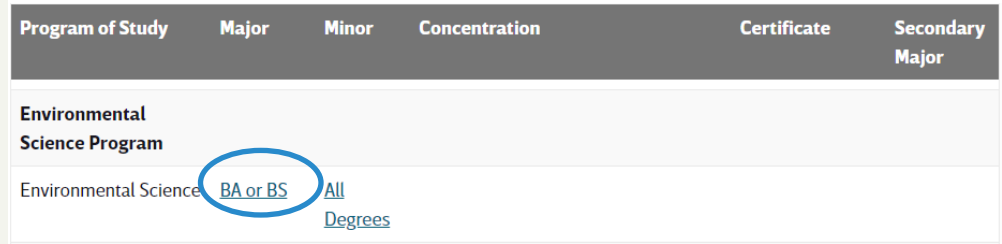
MUSIC

IF YOU DON'T GET YOUR REQUIRED COURSES FOR THESE MAJORS,
PLEASE E-MAIL ADVISING@DU.EDU

Note: Business Core classes in year 1 have some flexibility, but MATH 1200
Calculus for Business and Social Sciences should be a priority for fall or winter.

DO NOW: REVIEW YOUR COURSE PLAN

1. NAVIGATE TO THE [UNDERGRADUATE BULLETIN](#).
2. SELECT YOUR INTENDED PROGRAM OF STUDY.



3. SELECT **COURSE PLAN**.



*IF YOU ARE EXPLORATORY/UNDECLARED, CHECK OUT THESE [SAMPLE BA PLANS](#).

A modern, minimalist interior space with large glass walls and a high ceiling. The room features contemporary furniture, including armchairs, a sofa, and a dining table. The floor is highly reflective, mirroring the interior and the view outside. The view through the glass walls shows a cityscape with various buildings and trees. The overall atmosphere is bright and airy, with natural light streaming in from the large windows.

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BUILDING SAMPLE SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE CONSIDERATIONS

MOST STUDENTS WILL REGISTER FOR 16 CREDITS
(FULL-TIME = 12 TO 18)

ANY CREDIT HOUR OVER 18 COSTS ADDITIONAL
TUITION



LLC

SI: NATURAL OR LANGUAGE IN YEAR 1, NOT USUALLY
BOTH

SI: NATURAL OPTIONS FOR NON-SCIENCE MAJORS

ELECTIVES



CREDITS THAT AREN'T
PART OF ANY OTHER
DEGREE CATEGORY



COURSE NUMBERS THAT
START WITH 1 OR 2 ARE
MORE LIKELY TO BE
INTRO-LEVEL



NO CENTRAL LIST OR
ATTRIBUTE SEARCH
OPTION



CHECK FOR PREREQS,
COREQS, AND
RESTRICTIONS

The background image shows a spacious, modern interior with large floor-to-ceiling windows. The room features a polished, reflective floor, several low-profile armchairs and sofas, and a small round table. Outside the windows, a cityscape with various buildings and trees is visible under a clear sky. The overall aesthetic is clean and minimalist.

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**REGISTERING
JULY 20-24**

REGISTRATION WEEK: JULY 20 - 24

- **EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES ONLY:** IF YOU ARE WITHOUT WIFI DURING REGISTRATION WEEK, PLEASE E-MAIL A COPY OF YOUR COURSE PLANS TO REGISTRAR@DU.EDU. INCLUDE IN YOUR E-MAIL:
 - YOUR FULL NAME
 - YOUR DU ID NUMBER
 - SCREENSHOTS OF YOUR 3-5 COURSE PLANS
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WAITLISTS

WAITLISTS ARE NOT A GUARANTEE OF REGISTRATION!

- There are no waitlists during registration. The waitlists will become available on Tuesday, July 28th
 - Register for the exact number of credits you plan to take (usually 16 credits)
 - If you receive a spot off the waitlist, you will have 24 hours to register for the class
 - Waitlists DO NOT automatically add you to the class
 - Check your DU email every day!
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WHAT'S NEXT?

REGISTER

The week of July 21

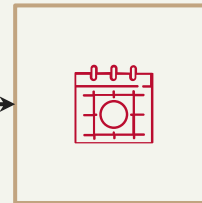


AN ADVISOR WILL CHECK YOUR SCHEDULE

Check your DU e-mail in mid-August

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[SUMMER](#)
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A modern lounge with large windows and a city view. The room features a high ceiling with a wooden slat design, a polished floor reflecting the interior, and large windows offering a view of a city skyline. The furniture includes a long sofa, a small table, and a chair. The text "6" is displayed in a large, bold, orange font in the upper center of the image.

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Your turn!

DO NOW: REVIEW YOUR TIME TICKET & HOLDS

1. LOG INTO [My4D](#).
2. CLICK **REGISTER FOR CLASSES** ON THE DASHBOARD.
3. CLICK **PREPARE FOR REGISTRATION** TO VIEW HOLDS AND FIND YOUR TIME TICKET.
4. SELECT **AUTUMN QUARTER 2026**.

Registration

What would you like to do?



[Prepare for Registration](#)

View registration status, update student term data, and complete pre-registration requirements.



[Plan Ahead](#)

Give yourself a head start by building plans. When you're ready to register, you'll be able to load these plans.



[View Registration Information](#)

View your past schedules and your ungraded classes.

Note: When you check your registration time ticket today, you'll see a notice in red that says something like, "Time tickets do not permit registration at this time."

This means **as of today, right now**, you aren't able to register.

Keep reading for the date and time when registration will begin for you.

Sample Plan Demonstration

1. GO BACK TO THE [My4D](#) DASHBOARD.
2. CLICK **REGISTER FOR CLASSES** ON THE DASHBOARD.
3. CLICK **PLAN AHEAD**.
4. SELECT **AUTUMN QUARTER 2026**.
5. SELECT **CREATE A NEW PLAN**.



CONDITIONAL ADD/DROP

Title	Details	Hours	CRN	Schedule Ty	Status	Action
First Year Seminar	FSEM 1111, 19	4	370		Pending	**Web Registered**
Science of Contempor...	CHEM 1001, 01	4	1929	Lecture	Registered	None
Science of Contempor...	CHEM 1001, 08	0	1936	Lab	Registered	None
First Year Seminar	FSEM 1111, 1	4	368		Registered	Web Drop/delete
Beginning Spanish	SPAN 1001, 02	4	1052	Lecture	Registered	None

Total Hours | Registered: 12 | Billing: 12 | CEU: 0 | Min: 0 | Max: 18

☒ Conditional Add and Drop 

Submit

DO NOW: BUILD YOUR FIRST SAMPLE SCHEDULE



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3. CLICK **PLAN AHEAD.**
4. SELECT **AUTUMN QUARTER 2026.**
5. SELECT **CREATE A NEW PLAN.**

Important Info for Registration Week

- LATER: MAKE 3-4 MORE SCHEDULES/REGISTRATION PLANS ON YOUR OWN AND SAVE THEM SO YOU HAVE LOTS OF OPTIONS FOR REGISTRATION
 - [REVIEW THESE VIDEO INSTRUCTIONS IF YOU NEED A REFRESHER ON THE PROCESS](#)
 - AS YOUR REGISTRATION TIME APPROACHES, CHECK THE SPECIFIC ENROLLMENT NUMBERS FOR EACH COURSE TO SEE IF ANY CHANGES ARE NECESSARY
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