

Hutchins School of Liberal Studies List of Concentrations

All Concentrations must include a minimum of 12 units. At least 3 units must be taken at Sonoma State University. The courses below are suggested courses. There may be other appropriate courses. All substitutions must be approved by the Track II Advisor or Director of the Hutchins School on a case by case basis. A minor or second major in any related area may substitute for a Concentration.

Biological Sciences:

BIOL 110/115: Introduction to Biology (3-4 units)

Choice of Three Additional Courses from the Following (2-4 units each):

BIOL 307: Human Nutrition

BIOL 308: Environmental Toxicology

BIOL 309: Biology of Cancer

BIOL 312: Biological Oceanography

BIOL 314: Field Biology

BIOL 318: Biology of Aging

LIBS 340: Special Science Project with Physical Science focus (2 units)

Environmental Studies:

Choice of Courses From Below (12 units maximum)

ENSP 200: Global Environmental Issues (3 units)

ENSP 440: Education and the Environment (4 units)

ENSP 442: Methods and Models (3 units)

GEOL 107: Introduction to Earth Sciences (3 units) or ENSP 303: The Physical Environment (3-4 units)

LIBS 320/321B: Seminar/Course in Core B: The Individual and the Material World

(Approved seminars in this area such as Terrain, Gaia, Forests, Oikos, and WET/WILD Certification; 3 units)

Human Development:

LIBS 330: The Child in Question (3 units)

Choice of Three Additional Courses from the Following (3-4 units each):

ANTH 201: Introduction to Biological Anthropology

PSY 412: Adolescent Psychology

ANTH 203: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

PSY 418: The Psychology of Family

KIN 410: Lifespan Motor Development

WGS 350: Gender, Sexuality & Family

PSY 302: Development of the Person

PSY 410: Child Development

PSY 411: Behavioral and Emotional Problems of Children

Kinesiology:

Choice of Courses in Kinesiology (12 units maximum)

KINS 300: Analysis of Motor Performance (1-3 units) may be taken 3 times

KINS 315: Sociology of Sport (3 units)

KINS 325: Intro to Adapted Physical Education (3 units)

KINS 400: Elementary School P.E. (3 units)

KINS 410: Lifespan Motor Development (3 units)

Mathematics:

MATH 103: Ethnomathematics or Math 310: History of Mathematics

MATH 200: Discrete Mathematics

MATH 300A: Elementary Number Systems

MATH 300B: Data, Chance & Algebra

Modern Languages:

Student must complete 12 units of language skills coursework in one language. American Sign Language units may be combined with units in one other language to reach 12 units.

Physical Sciences:

CHEM 107: Intro to the Physical Sciences (3 Units) or one course in CHEM or PHYS (3 units)

GEOL 107: Intro to Earth Sciences - Geology and Astronomy for Teachers (3 units) or GEOG 204 (4 Units)

Choice of Two Additional Courses from the Following (2-4 units each):

ASTR 100: Descriptive Astronomy

CHEM 102: Chemistry and Society

GEOL 102: Our Dynamic Earth

GEOG 204: Global Environmental Systems

LIBS 340: Special Science Project with Physical Science Focus

Reading and Literature:

LIBS 327: Literacy, Language, and Pedagogy (3 units) or ENG 379: Pedagogical Grammatical (4 units)

Choice of Three Additional Courses from the Following (2-4 units each):

AMCS 360: Ethnic Literature

JWST 360: Jewish Literature

AMCS 460: Multi-Ethnic Children's Literature

JWST 361: Topics in Jewish Literature

CALS 374: Chicano/Latino Literature

NAMS 354: Native American Literature

ENGL 342: Children's Literature

LIBS 337: Special Project in Children's Literature

ENGL 343: Youth and Literature

Social Sciences:

LIBS 304: We Hold These Truths (3 units)

LIBS 308: The Practice of Culture (3 Units)

Choice of Three Additional Courses from the Following or Other Approved Upper Division POLS or HIST Courses (3-4 units each):

ANTH 203: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

GEOG 203: Cultural Geography

GEOG 330: Historical Geography of North America

HIST 380: 20th Century World

HIST 446: Women in American History

HIST 468: Blacks in American History

POLS 312: American Political Thought

POLS 315: Democracy, Capitalism, Socialism

Visual and Performing Arts:

Choice of Courses in Art, Music, Theater (12 Units Minimum)

ARTS 101: Art Fundamentals (3 units)

ARTH 210 or 211: Intro to Art History (3-4 Units) or other Art History Courses - up to 6 units.

ARTS: Up to 6 Units of Studio Courses

ARTS 400: Art in the Classroom (3 units) Art History or Studio Art background advised

MUS 150: Survey of U.S. Music (3 units) or MUS 350: Survey of World Music

MUS 325: SSU Chorus (1-2 units)

MUS 400: Music for the Classroom (2 units) ability to read music advised

THAR 110: Dance Fundamentals (1 unit) may be taken 5 times

THAR 202 or 203: Intro to the History of Drama and Dance (3 units)

THAR 460: Drama for Children (2 units)

THAR 470: Dance for Children (2 units)

LIBS 320/321C: Elective in Core C: (with emphasis on drama and/or visual arts) (3 units)

LIBS 338: Special Art Project (2 units)