



**KENTUCKY STATE
UNIVERSITY**

LIBERAL STUDIES (GENERAL STUDIES OPTION) BACHELOR OF ARTS

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Academic Requirements:

- Grade-point average of at least 2.0 overall.
- 30-31 credit hours of general education core are included in the total 120 credits. Students must earn a "C" or higher in ENG 101 and ENG 102.
- 42 semester-credit hours of concentration. Courses must be in the upper level 300-400 and student must earn a "C" or higher.
- A minimum of 120 total credit hours are required. Certificates and minors are encouraged to fit scholar career or professional development interests.

Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies

Course	Title	Hours
Year 1		
Fall		
ENG 101	English Comp I	3
COM 103	Interpersonal Communication	3
MAT 111	Acceler. Contemp. Mathematics ((or higher)	3
KSU 118	Intro. to University Learning	3
Select one General Education Natural Science Course		3-4
Select one of the following:		
BIO 101	Life Science	
BIO 111	Principles of Biology	
CHE 109	Chemistry in Context	
CHE 101	General Chemistry I	
CHE 209	Survey Gen/Organic/Biochemi	
PHS 201	Physical Sciences I	
Hours		15-16
Spring		
ENG 102	English Comp II	3
Select one General Education Arts Course		3
ART 130	Introduction to Art	
MUS 130	Introduction to Music	
THE 130	Introduction to Theatre	
ENG 211	Intro to Literature	
Select one General Education Humanities Course		3
EDU 204	Cultural Responsiveness	
BUA 120	Business and Society	
HIS 103	Western Civilization	
HIS 108	Intro to African American Hist	
Select one General Education Social Science Course		3
Select one of the following:		
FIN 101	Financial Literacy	
or ECO 201	or Prin of Economics I	
Select one General Educational Global/Civic Course		3
Select one of the following:		
ASP 303	American Civil Rights Movement	
AFE 117	Global Perspect Ag/Food/Env	
POS 361	World Politics	
POS 101	American Government	
Hours		15
Total Hours		30-31