

GENERAL STUDIES - SUSPENDED

Faculty of Arts and Science

MacEwan.ca/GeneralStudies (<http://MacEwan.ca/GeneralStudies>)

SUSPENDED: THERE ARE NO PLANNED INTAKES FOR THIS PROGRAM. APPLICATIONS FOR ADMISSION ARE NOT BEING ACCEPTED.

General Studies is excellent preparation for entry into career studies, university-transfer and degree programs at MacEwan University, and various other faculties in Alberta universities. The General Studies program offers university credit coursework in the following areas: anthropology, art history, biology, classics, computer science, drama, economics, health education, history, music, philosophy, political science, psychology, and sociology.

Students are encouraged to seek admission to a degree or university-transfer program, even if their academic goal is undecided. If a student does not meet the admission requirements of the Bachelor of Arts or another university program, the General Studies program may be the right option. University credit courses are available through the General Studies program, although it is not considered a degree or university-transfer program.

Note:

- General Studies offers a liberal arts education. Normally, only first-year courses are available to General Studies students
- Students are encouraged, but not required, to complete a General Studies diploma (60 credits) while enrolled in the program. General Studies students who have completed the diploma will be eligible for MacEwan University alumni benefits

Career Potential

The General Studies program is not designed as a career program. However, the benefits of its liberal arts programming can be an important asset to any career. Prospective applicants are encouraged to contact the General Studies program to ensure it is appropriate to assist them with their academic goals.

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Program of Study

Course ID	Course Name	Credits
English		
Choose 6 credits in any courses in English except upgrading and developmental courses		6
Social Science		
Choose 15 credits in any courses in anthropology, economics, political science, psychology, or sociology		15
Canadian Studies		
Choose 6 credits from the following:		6
ECON 102	Introduction to Macroeconomics	
HIST 260	History of Canada to 1867	

HIST 261	History of Canada Since 1867	
POLS 221	Canadian Political Realities	
SOCI 201	Canadian Society	
Humanities		
Choose 12 credits in any courses in classics, history or philosophy		12
Science		
Choose 3 credits from the following:		3
BIOL 101	Current Issues in Human Biology	
BIOL 103	Humans and Their Environment	
PSYC 104	Introductory Psychology I	
CMPT 101	Introduction to Computing I	
PHIL 125	Analytical Reasoning	
Electives		
Choose 18 credits in any baccalaureate-level courses with a minimum of three credits		18
Total Credits		60

All courses taken to satisfy diploma requirements must have a minimum value of three credits.

With approval, additional courses may be used to satisfy course and discipline requirements.

The minimum passing grade for a course at MacEwan University is a D unless otherwise noted next to the appropriate course in the program of study.