



**UW COLLEGES  
DEGREE SUMMARY FOR UWRF COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & ECONOMICS**

**I. GENERAL EDUCATION**

Listed below are UW Colleges courses most directly applicable to General Education requirements for majors in the UWRF College of Business & Economics (CBE). This is intended as a guide for program planning and is subject to revision if requirements or course evaluations change. The CBE requires a GPA of 2.25 or higher in Gen Ed courses. For department/major info see the catalog: [www.uwrf.edu/catalog](http://www.uwrf.edu/catalog) or [www.uwrf.edu/cbe](http://www.uwrf.edu/cbe).

**A. Communication:**

1. ENG 101 AND 102
2. COM 103 or BUS/ENG 210

**B. Humanities and Fine Arts:** Select 1 course from 2 different areas.

1. Art: ART 100, 175, 180, 181, 183
2. Film: COM 150, ENG 277
3. Literature: ENG 250, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 272, 273, 274, 276
4. Music: MUS 170, 173, 174, 275, 276
5. Philosophy: PHI 101, 241, 253
6. Theatre: COM 130

**C. Social & Behavioral Sciences:** Select 1 course from 2 different areas.

1. ANT 100, 104
2. ECO 101
3. GEO 101, 110
4. HIS 101, 102, 105, 106, 161, 162
5. POL 101, 104, 160, 175
6. PSY 201, 202
7. SOC 101

**D. Sciences:** Select 1 course from 2 different areas. At least 1 course must have a laboratory.

1. BIO 109, BOT 130, ZOO 101
2. CHE 123, 124, 125, 145
3. GEO 120, 123, 124, 125
4. GLG 100, 101
5. PHY 107, 120, 141, 201, or AST 100, 105, 106, 200

**E. Mathematics:**

1. MAT 211 or 221 (MAT 221 required for Computer Science majors)

**F. Personal Health & Wellness:**

Take PED 127; OR take PED 206 AND 1 credit of activities from PED 001-061 or 101-118.

**G. Ethical Citizenship:** Select 1 course from BUS 110, 242, COM 201, BIO 103, BIO 107, BOT 240, GEO 130, 350, GLG 135, 169, PHI 243, 244

**Priority consideration** may be given to applicants who have completed the Communications Skills, Mathematics, and Science areas prior to transfer.

**Students who complete the Associate of Arts & Sciences Degree** are considered to have satisfied UWRF Gen Ed requirements, except for a junior/senior level "Multidisciplinary Inquiry" course, which must be taken at UWRF. Some majors may recommend or require specific Gen Ed courses. Consult the UWRF catalog or the major department for information.

**II. OTHER UNIVERSITY-WIDE REQUIREMENTS** These courses may "double count" in any area of the UWRF degree.

**A. UW System Ethnic/Cultural Diversity Requirement.** Students may satisfy the UW System Ethnic/Cultural Diversity requirement by taking any UW Colleges course identified to meet this requirement.

**B. UWRF Global Perspectives Requirement.** Students must have one course at the sophomore level or higher which examines subject matter from a global/international perspective.

**III. MAJOR** Students should select other courses based on the intended major. See <http://www.uwrf.edu/cbe> for CBE majors.

**A. Business Administration or Accounting Majors.** Before taking upper division business or accounting courses, students majoring in Business Administration or Accounting must complete a group of lower division courses. Students must earn a 2.5 GPA in the lower division courses to be eligible to take upper division business and accounting courses. UW Colleges students may meet lower division course requirements by taking the following:

MAT 211 or 221 (Calculus)  
BUS 201 and 204 (Intro Accounting and Managerial Accounting)  
ECO 203 and 204 (Macroeconomics and Microeconomics)  
MAT 117 or BUS/ECO 243 (Statistics)  
ENG/BUS 210 (Business Communication)  
BUS 230 (Intro to Management Info Systems)

**B. Computer Science & Information Systems (CSIS) Majors.** Students must complete two semesters of computer program and one semester of data structures (or another course approved by the CSIS Dept) with a minimum GPA of 2.5 for admission to the CSIS major. Due to the changing nature of the computer industry and computer applications, students are advised to consult the CSIS Department with questions about transfer of computer courses. The foundation programming courses for Computer Science or Information Systems majors (UWRF CSIS 161 & 162) use the JAVA language. Courses in other programming languages (UWC CPS 110 or higher) may be useful as electives in the major. Required supporting courses for Computer Science majors include UWC MAT 221, MAT 230, MAT 262. Required supporting courses for Information Systems majors include UWC MAT 211 (or 221), MAT 230.

**C. Economics Majors.** Students must earn a 2.5 GPA in macroeconomics, microeconomics, quantitative analysis (or business calculus) and two semesters of English composition for admission to the Economics major. Courses applicable to the Economics major or supporting requirements are UWC ECO 203, ECO 204, ECO/MAT 243, BUS 230, ECO 230, ECO 250, ECO 342. The Economics major may also be completed as a degree program in the College of Arts & Sciences (CAS). If the student chooses the CAS degree, see the College of Arts & Sciences course selection guide for further information.

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Campus Home Page

<http://www.uwrf.edu>

College of Business & Econ

<http://www.uwrf.edu/cbe>

Course Catalog

<http://www.uwrf.edu/catalog>

**Students planning to complete TEACHER EDUCATION degrees, or degrees in AGRICULTURE areas,** should see UWRF course selection guides for the College of Education, or College of Agriculture, Food & Environmental Sciences. Transfer after one year is generally recommended for students in these programs.

**Students planning to complete LIBERAL ARTS degrees** should see the UWRF course selection guide for the College of Arts and Sciences.

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