LA SIERRA UNIVERSITY

LIBERAL STUDIES

B.A. Degree

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2009-2010 CURRICULUM CHECK SHEET is a guide to the requirements of this major. **It is NOT necessary to take these courses in the order given**. Please consult the online Bulletin for specific details (http://www.lasierra.edu/academics/bulletin).

		FALL	WINTER	SPRING
FIRST YEAR	★ The Language of Art (ARTA 205) (4 units) *Meets Theme IIB*	_____	_____	_____
	★ Introduction to Physics (PHYS 117) (4 units) *Meets Theme IVB*	_____	_____	_____
	★ Race, Ethnicity & Class in American Society (HPSC 106) (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	★ Dimensions of Health (HLED 214) (4 units) *Meets Theme IB* OR Human Biology (BIOL 107)(4 units) OR Human Anatomy and Physiology I (BIOL 131)(5 units)	_____	_____	_____
	First Year Seminar (UNST 101/100)(2-6 units)	_____	_____	_____
	College Writing (ENGL 111, 112, 113) (4 units) OR (ENGL 124)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Math Foundational Studies requirement (MATH 121)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Lifetime Fitness (PEAC 120) (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme IC: Globalization, Identity, & Citizenship. *Choose 1 course from:* SSCI 104, 105, 106, 107 (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme III: Religious Beliefs and Practice (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
SECOND YEAR	★ The Western Intellectual Traditions (HIST 105) OR (PHIL 204)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	★ Concepts of Mathematics (MATH 202)(4 units) OR (MATH 155)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	★ English 8 units (4 upper division) select from: ENGL 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 224, 225, 338, 339,405, 406, 407, 414, 415, 416, 425, 445, 446, 457, 458, 459, 487A, 487B, 490 *416 Meets Theme IIB*	_____	_____	_____
	★ Music Appreciation (MUHL 205)(4 units) *Meets Theme IIA*	_____	_____	_____
	★ The Construction of American Political Life (HPSC 274)(4 units) *Meets Theme IIB*	_____	_____	_____
	★ Developmental Psychology (PSYC 234)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	World language Foundational Studies requirement (Proficiency through 201)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme IIC: Expl. Amer. Culture through Visual and Perf. Arts (HUMN 205)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme III: Religious Beliefs and Practice (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
THIRD YEAR	★ Advanced Grammar and Style (ENGL 482)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	★ Language & Linguistics (ENGL 484)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	★ Physical & Human Geography (GEOG 276)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	★ Earth and Space Science (GEOL 316)(4 units) *Meets Theme IVB*	_____	_____	_____
	★ Advanced Expository Writing (ENGL 304)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Concentration Courses: see concentration guide [20 units](12 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme III: Religious Beliefs and Practice. *Choose 1 course from:* RLGN 304, 305 (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
FOURTH YEAR	★ Survey of Biological Principles (BIOL 327)(4 units) *Meets Theme IVA*	_____	_____	_____
	Theme III: Religious Beliefs and Practice (4 units) *Must be in Scripture, Theme IIIC, unless previously taken*	_____	_____	_____
	Theme IVC: Scientific Foundations: Choose one course from the following: NSCI 404, 405, 406, 407 (4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Theme V: Religious, Moral & Social Aspects of Education (UNST 404Q)(4 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Concentration Courses (8 units)	_____	_____	_____
	Electives to complete 190 quarter units	_____	_____	_____

★ Major Requirements (92 units, including 20 units in area of concentration)

Some courses may be substituted with approal from the Co-director of the Liberal Studies program.

Consult Credentials Analyst for information regarding SDA credentials.

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This program has been specifically designed for students who wish to have the enriching benefit of a liberal arts education.

The Liberal Studies major gives a foundation in the social sciences, humanities, sciences and communication arts and provides a basis for adapting to demands of changing times, for working and communicating well with others, and for understanding and appreciating sciences, arts and letters.

SOURCES OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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