

Wilson Advising Center

2025-26 Requirements:BA in Interdisciplinary Studies: African American and African Diaspora Studies

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem	 AAS courses
COLA 100LA					African American Stu
English Composition (6 Cred	lits)				Course
Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem	AAS 101 (Multicultur
ENG 101					AAS 330
ENG 102					AAS 433
Second Year Seminar (3 Cre	dits)				IDS 495A
Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem	African American Str.
ENG 231 or 232					African American Stu No more that
Mathematics (3 Credits)					PSC 4011, SC
Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem	Course
MATH 120 or higher					
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HIST 100 or PSC 101	Ci	Ji	ITAIIS	Jem	
					300-400 level
Sciences (7 Credits)					300-400 level
Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem	300-400 level
4cr Science with lab					
3cr Science					Electives (29-31 Credi
					Course
Analytical Thinking (3 Credi	ts)				
Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem	
Fine Arts (6 Credits)					
Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem	
From Gen Ed list					
Humanities (6 Credits)	•				
Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem	
From 2 different areas					
Social Sciences (9 Credits)	l .		1		
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World Cultures or Language – 2	2 courses		Trans	6 Credits)	

General Education Core Requirements, 56-58 Credits

First Year Seminar (3 Credits)

International

Department Requiremen	nts	33 Credits

- Minimum of 18 credits of upper division courses
- annot be used in General Education

lies Core (12 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
AAS 101 (Multicultural)				
AAS 330				
AAS 433				
IDS 495A				

lies Electives, (21 credits)

n 2 of the following may be used here: C 471, or WMST 113

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
300-400 level				
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Other General Degree Requirements

- Minimum 120 credits required to graduate
- 42 credits must be Upper Division (courses numbered 300 or higher)
- Minimum 30 Upper Division credits must be completed at UNLV
- 50% of Department requirements must be completed at UNLV
- Last 30 credits must be earned as a declared major in the College of Liberal Arts
- 2.0 Cumulative UNLV GPA required to graduate
- Maximum 4 credits of PEX can be used towards graduate requirements
- At least one Multicultural and one International course must be completed. Students can combine these courses with others in their major or the General Education.

African and African American Studies Electives Options

Not more than two of the following courses may count toward the major in African American and African Diaspora Studies: PSC 401I, SOC 471, or WMST 113.

Use of the following courses for major credit requires permission of the Director of the African American and African Diaspora Studies Program: ENG 499, HIST 497, HIST 498, or PSC 480A.

AAS 105 - Afro-American Music and Culture

AAS 166 – Survey of African American Dance

AAS 232 - History of Africa III

AAS 264 - African American Psychology

AAS 286 - Contemporary Black Filmmakers

AAS 288 - Afro-Americans in Film

AAS 289 - Film, Race, and Ethnicity

AAS 290 - Introduction to African American Literature

AAS 291 - Slave Narratives, Literature, and Imagery

AAS 331 - Selected Topics in Afro-American Film

AAS 350 - History of Modern Africa

AAS 405R - Africa in World Politics

AAS 407T - The Politics of Sub-Saharan Africa

AAS 420 - Afro-American Spirituality

AAS 432 - Afro-American Social History

AAS 433B - African American History to 1877

AAS 433C - African American History since 1877

AAS 435 - Malcolm X

AAS 436 - Politics of Racial Ambiguity

AAS 440 - Selected Topics in Afro-American Studies

AAS 479A - West Africa and the Making the Atlantic World

AAS 491/ENG 495A – Early African American Literature

AAS 492/ENG 495B – Modern African American Literature

AAS 499 – Independent Research in Afro-American Studies

ENG 499 – Independent Study

HIST 433 - African American History

HIST 497 – Independent Study

HIST 498 - Advanced Historical Studies

MUS 134 - Jazz Appreciation

PSC 401I – Ethnic and Minority Politics

PSC 403Z – Special Topics in Public Policy

PSC 480A – Independent Study and Research in Political Science

SOC 471 - Race and Ethnic Relations in America

THTR 428 - Black Drama and Performance

WMST 113 - Gender, Race, and Class