College of Arts and Sciences Advising Worksheet

WRITING AND RHETORIC BA

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT — requires one course of 3 or more credits in each area for a total of at least 40 credits. See catalog for list of approved courses in each area.

Composition II (2.0 minimum grade required)
Arts
Literature
Foreign Language and Culture
Western Civilization
Global Perspective
Social Science
Formal Reasoning
Natural Science and Technology
Knowledge Application (cannot be WRT)

General Education Credits Still Needed

GEN EDS THAT MAY BE DOUBLE-COUNTED (satisfied with courses that also satisfy other degree requirements)

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U.S. Diversity	
Writing Intensive in Gen Ed	
Writing Intensive in Major	WRT 491 (since F'05)
Capstone	

COLLEGE DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENT – requires at least one course in 4 areas for a total of 16 credits. Each area must have at least three credits in order to be considered satisfied.

Arts and Literature
Foreign Language-2 nd semester level or higher
(NOT sign language or linguistics: ALS/LIN)
Civilization
Social Science
Mathematics (NOT logic or computer science)
Natural Sciences
Interdisciplinary - either AMS 300 or WGS 200

Distribution Credits Still Needed

MAJOR COURSES – A minimum of 40 credits in WRT courses is required for the BA degree.

WRT 160	4				
WRT 340	4				
WRT 394	4				
WRT elective at 200 level or higher	4				
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WRT 491or 492	4				
Students will choose one specialty area:					
1. Writing for the Professions – WRT 331, plus 3 additional co	arses fi	rom			
WRT 305, 332, 335, 341, 350, 380, 381, 382, 460					
2. Writing for New Media – WRT 330, plus 3 additional courses from WRT					
231, 233, 305, 320, 332, 364, 381					
3. Writing as a Discipline – WRT 320, plus 3 additional courses	s from	WRT			
305, 341, 342, 350, 364, 365, 380, 414, 460					
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2.	4				
3. 4					
4.	4				

CREDIT SUMMARY AFTER:

MINIMUM CREDITS REQUIRED:	124 cr.
OU credits (through current semester)	
Transfer credits (on current OU transcript)	
TOTAL CREDITS	
TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS	
CREDITS STILL NEEDED FOR DEGREE:	
Current Date:	

General Education	
Diversity	
WIM/WIGE/Capstone	
Distribution	
Major	
Minor/Concentration	
Electives	
TOTAL NEEDED:	

IMPORTANT NOTES:

A cumulative GPA of 2.0 is required as well as a 2.0 minimum grade in all major courses.

At least 16 credits in major courses must be completed at Oakland University.

Students who have been exempted from WRT 160 for submitting a writing portfolio do not need to take WRT 160 for the major and may instead choose an additional WRT elective course to complete their 40 credits of WRT major coursework.

WRT 102 or 150 cannot be used toward major requirements or as substitutes.

MINOR COURSES (optional):

MINIMUM 32 CREDITS AT 300-400 LEVEL TO GRADUATE (any courses, not just in major)

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300-400 LEVEL CREDITS COMPLETED:

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I understand that this worksheet is not meant to be comprehensive. It is a summary of my degree requirements only. I am responsible for reading my undergraduate catalog and understanding all requirements necessary to complete my degree at Oakland University.

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Signature:	Date:					